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H.J.R. No. 7

## A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing a constitutional amendment clarifying that a voter must
 be a United States citizen.

3 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

4 SECTION 1. Section 1(a), Article VI, Texas Constitution, is 5 amended to read as follows:

6 (a) The following classes of persons shall not be allowed to7 vote in this State:

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persons under 18 years of age;

9 (2) persons who have been determined mentally 10 incompetent by a court, subject to such exceptions as the 11 Legislature may make; [and]

12 (3) persons convicted of any felony, subject to such
13 exceptions as the Legislature may make; and

14 <u>(4) persons who are not citizens of the United States</u>. 15 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be 16 submitted to the voters at an election to be held May 4, 2024. The 17 ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the 18 proposition: "The constitutional amendment clarifying that a voter 19 must be a United States citizen."

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