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## A JOINT RESOLUTION

- 1 proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing the legislature
- 2 to exempt from ad valorem taxation real property used to operate a
- 3 child-care facility.
- 4 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
- 5 SECTION 1. Article VIII, Texas Constitution, is amended by
- 6 adding Section 1-r to read as follows:
- 7 Sec. 1-r. The legislature by general law may exempt from ad
- 8 valorem taxation all or part of real property used to operate a
- 9 <u>child-care facility</u>. The legislature may define "child-care
- 10 <u>facility</u>" for purposes of this section and may impose eligibility
- 11 requirements for an exemption authorized by this section.
- 12 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be
- 13 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 7, 2023.
- 14 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the
- 15 proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the
- 16 legislature to exempt from ad valorem taxation real property used
- 17 to operate a child-care facility."