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S.J.R. No. 67

A JOINT RESOLUTION

1 proposing a constitutional amendment authorizing a statewide  
2 referendum allowing voters to indicate a preference for observing  
3 year-round standard time or daylight saving time and authorizing  
4 the legislature to enact legislation that gives effect to the  
5 preferred option.

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

7 SECTION 1. Article XVI, Texas Constitution, is amended by  
8 adding Section 74 to read as follows:

9 Sec. 74. The legislature by general law may:

10 (1) hold a statewide referendum that allows the voters  
11 to indicate a preference for either:

12 (A) observing standard time year-round; or

13 (B) observing daylight saving time year-round;

14 and

15 (2) enact a law based on the results of the referendum  
16 providing for observing standard time year-round or observing  
17 daylight saving time year-round.

18 SECTION 2. This proposed constitutional amendment shall be  
19 submitted to the voters at an election to be held November 4, 2025.  
20 The ballot shall be printed to permit voting for or against the  
21 proposition: "The constitutional amendment authorizing the state  
22 to conduct a statewide referendum allowing the voters to indicate a  
23 preference for observing standard time year-round or observing  
24 daylight saving time year-round and authorizing the legislature to

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1 enact legislation that gives effect to the option preferred by a  
2 majority of the voters voting in the statewide referendum."