

Amendment to CACR 12

1 Amend the title of the resolution by replacing it with the following:

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3 RELATING TO: public education.

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5 PROVIDING THAT: the legislature shall have the full power and authority and the responsibility
6 to define standards for public education, establish standards of
7 accountability, mitigate local disparities in educational opportunity and fiscal
8 capacity, and have full power and authority to determine the amount of state
9 funding for public education.

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11 Amend the resolution by replacing paragraph I with the following:

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13 I. That the second part of the constitution be amended by inserting after article 5-b the
14 following new article:

15 [Art.] 5-c [Public Education.] In fulfillment of the provisions with respect to education set forth
16 in Part II, Article 83, the legislature shall have full power and authority and the responsibility to
17 define reasonable standards for elementary and secondary public education, to establish reasonable
18 standards of accountability, and to mitigate local disparities in educational opportunity and fiscal
19 capacity. Further, the legislature shall have full power and authority to determine the amount of,
20 and the method of raising and distributing, state funding for public education.

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22 Amend the resolution by replacing paragraph IV with the following:

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24 IV. That the wording of the question put to the qualified voters shall be:

25 "Are you in favor of amending the second part of the constitution by inserting after article 5-b a new
26 article to read as follows:

27 [Art.] 5-c [Public Education.] In fulfillment of the provisions with respect to education set forth
28 in Part II, Article 83, the legislature shall have full power and authority and the responsibility to
29 define reasonable standards for elementary and secondary public education, to establish reasonable
30 standards of accountability, and to mitigate local disparities in educational opportunity and fiscal
31 capacity. Further, the legislature shall have full power and authority to determine the amount of,
32 and the method of raising and distributing, state funding for public education."



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AMENDED ANALYSIS

This constitutional amendment concurrent resolution provides that the legislature has the full power and authority and the responsibility to define standards for public education, establish standards of accountability, mitigate local disparities in educational opportunity and fiscal capacity, and have full power and authority to determine the amount of state funding for public education.