

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION BBB

May 7, 2008, Introduced by Reps. Wenke and Ward and referred to the Committee on Government Operations.

A joint resolution proposing an amendment to the state constitution of 1963, by amending section 1 of article V, to provide for the establishment of the position of chief administrative officer of the state.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the state of Michigan, That the following amendment to the state constitution of 1963, to provide for the establishment of the position of chief administrative officer of the state, is proposed, agreed to, and submitted to the people of the state:

ARTICLE V

Sec. 1. The executive power is vested in the governor. **THE**

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1 GOVERNOR MAY APPOINT A CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER WITH THE
2 CONSENT OF THE SENATE TO ASSIST IN CARRYING OUT THE GOVERNOR'S
3 ADMINISTRATIVE RESPONSIBILITIES. THE POSITION OF CHIEF
4 ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER SHALL BE EXCEPTED FROM THE STATE CLASSIFIED
5 SERVICE. THE DUTIES OF THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER SHALL BE AS
6 ASSIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR, INCLUDING OVERSEEING ALL STATE EMPLOYEES.
7 THE CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER SHALL REPORT DIRECTLY TO THE
8 GOVERNOR AND SHALL SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE GOVERNOR. THE
9 GOVERNOR SHALL ESTABLISH THE SALARY FOR THE POSITION OF CHIEF
10 ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER AT NOT LESS THAN EQUAL TO BUT NOT MORE THAN
11 5 TIMES THE SALARY OF THE GOVERNOR.

12 Resolved further, That the foregoing amendment shall be
13 submitted to the people of the state at the next general election
14 in the manner provided by law.