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August 29, 2016

The Honorable Karen Haas Clerk of the U.S. House of Representatives U.S. Capitol, Room H154 Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Madam Clerk,

Pursuant to section 3(c) of House Resolution 5 (114th Congress), I hereby designate the attached Memorial from the State of Georgia, received by the House of Representatives in the year 1976, as purporting to be an application of the State legislature calling for a convention for proposing amendments to the Constitution of the United States pursuant to Article V, and request that you make it publicly available.

Sincerely,

Bob Goodlatte

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I, Ben W. Fortson, Ir., Secretary of State of the State of Georgia, do hereby certify, that the three

pages of photographed matter hereto attached contain a true and correct copy of an Act approved by the Governor on February 13, 1976 numbered Resolution Act Number 93 (H. R. No. 469-1267) and entitled: "A Resolution Applying to the Congress of the United States to call a convention for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States; and for other purposes"; all as the same appear of file and record in this office.

the seal of my office, at the Capitol, in the City of Atlanta, this 8th day of June, in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventy-eight and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Second.



General Assembly



Jud.



H. R. No. 469-1267

By: Representatives Linder of the 44th, Murphy of the 18th, Egan of the 25th, Vaughn of the 57th, Williamson of the 45th, Shanahan of the 7th, Irvin of the 23rd, Lane of the 40th, Sizemore of the 136th, Larsen of the 27th and others

A RESOLUTION

Applying to the Congress of the United States to call a convention for the purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States; and for other purposes.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

That this body respectfully petitions the Congress of the United States to call a convention for the specific and exclusive purpose of proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to require a balanced federal budget and to make certain exceptions with respect thereto.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this application by the General Assembly of the State of Georgia constitutes a continuing application in accordance with Article V of the Constitution of the United States until at least two—thirds of the legislatures of the several states have made similar applications pursuant to Article V, but if Congress proposes an amendment to the Constitution identical in subject matter to that contained in this Resolution before January 1, 1977, this petition for a Constitutional Convention shall no longer be of any force or effect.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is hereby authorized and instructed to transmit a duly attested copy of this Resolution to the Secretary of the Senate of the United States Congress, the Clerk of the House of Representatives of the United States Congress, to the Presiding Officer of each House of each State Legislature in the United States, and to each member of the Georgia Congressional Delegation.

IN HOUSE Read and Adopted January 14, 1976 IN SENATE Read and Adopted January 19, 1976

Sen Willeard Glenn W. Ellard

CLERK

Hamilton McWhorter, Jr.

SECRETARY

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ENROLLMENT

February 13 1976

The Committee of the House on Audition

H. R. No. 469-1267 Act No. 93

General Assembly



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Journals has examined the within and finds the same properly enrolled,

Chairman

Thomas Brund Speaker of the House

Clerk of the House

President of the Senate

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Secretary of the Senate

Received Secretary, Executive Department
This 13-day of Feb 1976

Approved

Governor

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This 13 day of February 1976

IN HOUSE

Read 1st time January 12, 1996
Read 2nd time January 13, 1976
Read 3rd time January 14, 1976

And adopted

Ayes 156

Nays 11

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Clerk of the House

IN SENATE

Read 1st time Jan. 15, 1976
Read 2nd time Jan. 17, 1976
Read 3rd time Jan. 19 1976

And Adopted

Ayes 52

Nays 2

Secretary of the Senate

Reps. Linder of the 44th, By: Murphy of the 18th, Egan of the 25th and others