

103<sup>D</sup> CONGRESS  
1<sup>ST</sup> SESSION

# H. J. RES. 224

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to prohibit the death penalty.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

JULY 1, 1993

Mr. GONZALEZ introduced the following joint resolution; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## **JOINT RESOLUTION**

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1       *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*  
2       *of the United States of America in Congress assembled*  
3       *(two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the fol-*  
4       *lowing article is proposed as an amendment to the Con-*  
5       *stitution of the United States, which shall be valid to all*  
6       *intents and purposes as part of the Constitution when*  
7       *ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several*

1 States within seven years from the date of its submission  
2 by Congress:

3 “ARTICLE —

4 “The death penalty shall not be imposed or executed  
5 by the United States, or by any State, Territory or other  
6 jurisdiction within the United States.”.

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