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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 19 (legislative day, JANUARY 10), 1995

Mr. THOMPSON (for himself, Mr. ASHCROFT, Mr. ABRAHAM, Mr. BOND, Mr. BROWN, Mr. BURNS, Mr. COVERDELL, Mr. CRAIG, Mr. FAIRCLOTH, Mr. FRIST, Mrs. HUTCHISON, Mr. INHOFE, Mr. KEMPTHORNE, Mr. MACK, Mr. PACKWOOD, Mr. PRESSLER, Mr. SMITH, Mr. THOMAS, and Mr. GRAMM) introduced the following joint resolution; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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Reported by Mr. HATCH, with an amendment

[Strike out all after the resolving clause and insert the part printed in italic]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Proposing a constitutional amendment to limit congressional terms.

1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives*
 2 *of the United States of America in Congress assembled (~~two-~~*
 3 *thirds of each House concurring therein), That the follow-*
 4 *ing article is proposed as an amendment to the Constitu-*
 5 *tion of the United States:*

1 *shall subsequently be elected as a Senator more than once;*
2 *and no person who has been a Representative for more than*
3 *a year of a term to which some other person was elected*
4 *shall subsequently be elected as a Representative more than*
5 *five times*

6 “SECTION 2. *This article shall be inoperative unless*
7 *it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitu-*
8 *tion by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several States*
9 *within seven years from the date of its submission to the*
10 *States by the Congress.*

11 “SECTION 3. *No election or service occurring before*
12 *ratification of this article shall be taken into account when*
13 *determining eligibility for election under section 1.”*