



# State of Tennessee

## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 222

By Senators Crowe, Faulk, Gresham, Overbey, Ford

and

Representatives Cobb, Naifeh, Curtis Johnson, Brown, Niceley, Shepard, Favors, Lollar,  
Fitzhugh, McManus

A RESOLUTION to propose an amendment to Article XI, Section 5 of the Constitution of Tennessee, relative to lotteries.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that a majority of all the members of each house concurring, as shown by the yeas and nays entered on their journals, that it is proposed that Article XI, Section 5 of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by deleting the following language:

All other forms of lottery not authorized herein are expressly prohibited unless authorized by a two-thirds vote of all members elected to each house of the general assembly for an annual event operated for the benefit of a 501(c)(3) organization located in this state, as defined by the 2000 United States Tax Code or as may be amended from time to time.

and by substituting instead the following language:

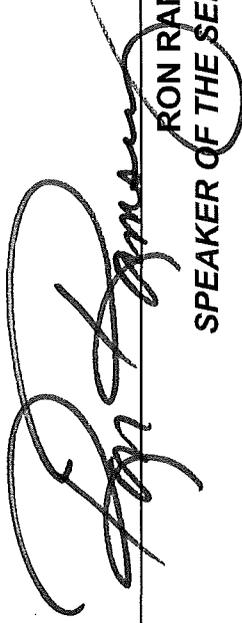
All other forms of lottery not authorized herein are expressly prohibited unless authorized by a two-thirds vote of all members elected to each house of the general assembly for an annual event operated for the benefit of a 501(c)(3) or a 501(c)(19) organization, as defined by the 2000 United States Tax Code, located in this state.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the foregoing amendment be referred to the One Hundred Eighth General Assembly and that this resolution proposing such amendment be published by the Secretary of State in accordance with Article XI, Section 3, of the Constitution of Tennessee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the Senate is directed to deliver a copy of this resolution to the Secretary of State.

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ADOPTED: April 30, 2012

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RON RAMSEY  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

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BETH HARWELL, SPEAKER  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES



**RON RAMSEY**  
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

**Senate Chamber**  
**State of Tennessee**

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May 4, 2012

Mr. Secretary of State,

I am directed to transmit to you Senate Joint Resolution No. 222, pursuant to Article XI, Section 3 of the Constitution of Tennessee. Senate Joint Resolution 222 was read in the Senate on February 16, 2012, February 23, 2012, and adopted after third reading on March 1, 2012 by a majority vote of the Senate of the One Hundred and Seventh General Assembly of the State of Tennessee.

Senate Joint Resolution 222 was then transmitted to the House, read three separate times on three separate days, and was concurred in on April 30, 2012 by a majority vote of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred and Seventh General Assembly of the State of Tennessee pursuant to Article XI, Section 3 of the Constitution of Tennessee.

With kindest regards, I am,

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "R. A. Humphrey".

Russell A. Humphrey  
Chief Clerk

**MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE**

**Mr. Speaker: I am directed to return to the Senate, Senate Joint Resolution No. 222.**

**Senate Joint Resolution 222 was read three separate times on three separate days and concurred in by a majority vote of the House of Representatives of the One Hundred and Seventh General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, pursuant to Article XI, Section 3 of the Constitution of Tennessee.**

**April 30, 2012  
Date**

**Joe McCord  
Chief Clerk**