#### SECOND REGULAR SESSION

### [PERFECTED]

# **SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 29**

## 92ND GENERAL ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCED BY SENATORS STEELMAN, RUSSELL, CLEMENS, SCOTT, GROSS, CAUTHORN, NODLER, KLINDT, GIBBONS, VOGEL AND BARTLE.

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Read 2nd time January 12, 2004, and referred to the Committee on Aging, Families, Mental and Public Health.

Reported from the Committee February 12, 2004, with recommendation that the bill do pass.

Taken up for Perfection February 24, 2004. Bill declared Perfected and Ordered Printed, as amended.

TERRY L. SPIELER, Secretary.

# JOINT RESOLUTION

Submitting to the qualified voters of Missouri, an amendment to the Constitution of Missouri relating to marriage.

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring therein:

That at the next general election to be held in the state of Missouri, on Tuesday next following the first Monday in November, 2004, or at a special election to be called by the governor for that purpose, there is hereby submitted to the qualified voters of this state, for adoption or rejection, the following amendment to article 1 of the Constitution of the state of Missouri:

Section A. Article 1, Constitution of Missouri, is amended by adding thereto one new section, to be known as section 33, to read as follows:

Section 33. That to be valid and recognized in this state, a marriage shall exist only between a man and a woman.

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