

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 49

Relating to the election date for the referendum on Senate Substitute #2 for Senate Bill 19 as enacted by the Ninety-ninth General Assembly, First Regular Session.

Whereas, the voters of Missouri through the referendum process have ordered an election on the enactment of Senate Substitute #2 for Senate Bill 19; and

Whereas, Senate Substitute #2 for Senate Bill 19 provides that no person shall be required to pay dues to a union without his or her affirmative consent; and

Whereas, there is substantial need for the protection of a person's right to support or refrain from supporting a union; and

Whereas, the Constitution of Missouri provides in Article III, Section 52(b) in part "...all elections on measures referred to the people shall be had at the general state elections, except when the General Assembly shall order a special election...":

Now Therefore Be It Resolved by the members of the Missouri Senate, Ninety-ninth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, the House of Representatives concurring therein, that the referendum on Senate Substitute #2 for Senate Bill 19 of the Ninety-ninth General Assembly, First Regular Session, officially entitled on the ballot as an act "which prohibits as a condition of employment the forced membership in a labor organization (union) or forced payments of dues in full or pro-rata (fair-share); makes any activity which violates employees' rights illegal and ineffective; allows legal remedies for anyone injured as a result of another person violating or threatening to violate employees' rights; and which shall not apply to union agreements entered into before the effective date of Senate Bill 19" be submitted to the voters of Missouri at a statewide election to be held on August 7, 2018; and

Be It Further Resolved that this resolution be sent to the Governor for his approval or rejection pursuant to the Missouri Constitution.