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2002 Ballot Issues

Constitutional Amendment A

Following is the ballot language of Constitutional Amendment A as it will appear on the 2002 General Election ballot:

The adoption of the amendment to Article 3, Section 7(a)(i) would allow a majority of the elected members of each house to convene a special legislative session; The governor's power to call a special legislative session is not affected by these amendments.

For a complete copy of Senate Enrolled Joint Resolution 3, original Senate Joint Resolution 7, Special legislative sessions, please click here.

PROCLAMATION

In accordance with W.S. 22-20-108, I hereby proclaim that the following constitutional amendment, submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Wyoming in the General Election held on the 5th day of November 2002, on the ballot as Constitutional Amendment A, was ratified by a majority of electors of the State of Wyoming voting in said election, which fact has fully and in all respects been determined in accordance with the laws of the State of Wyoming, and said amendment has been adopted in full compliance with the Constitution and the laws of the State of Wyoming and has been officially certified as adopted by the State Canvassing Board at its meeting on November 13th, 2002:

Article 3, Section 7. Time and place of sessions.

(a) The legislature shall meet at the seat of government at twelve o'clock noon, on the second Tuesday of January of the odd-numbered years for general and budget session and may meet on the second Tuesday of January of the even-numbered years for budget session, and at other times when convened by the governor or upon call of the legislature as herein provided. The governor by proclamation may also, in times of war or grave emergency by law defined, temporarily convene the legislature at a place or places other than the seat of government. The legislature may convene a special session not to last longer than twenty (20) working days as follows:

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(i) Upon written request to the presiding officer of each house of the legislature by a majority of the elected members of each house, the legislature shall convene in special session; or

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Stateof Wyoming to be affixed this 13th day of November 2002.

	Jim Geringer Governor of Wyoming	
ATTEST:		
Joseph B. Meyer Secretary of State		

Constitutional Amendment B

Following is the ballot language of Constitutional Amendment B as it will appear on the 2002 General Election ballot:

The amendment to Article 3, Section 7(a)(ii) would allow the legislative leaders of each house to call a special session to resolve a dispute or challenge to determine the presidential electors; The governor's power to call a special legislative session is not affected by these amendments.

For a complete copy of Senate Enrolled Joint Resolution 3, original Senate Joint Resolution 7, Special legislative sessions, please click here.

PROCLAMATION

In accordance with W.S. 22-20-108, I hereby proclaim that the following constitutional amendment, submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Wyoming in the General Election held on the 5th day of November 2002, on the ballot as Constitutional Amendment B, was ratified by a majority of electors of the State of Wyoming voting in said election, which fact has fully and in all respects been determined in accordance with the laws of the State of Wyoming, and said amendment has been adopted in full compliance with the

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Constitution and the laws of the State of Wyoming and has been officially certified as adopted by the State Canvassing Board at its meeting on November 13th, 2002:

Article 3, Section 7. Time and place of sessions.

- (a) The legislature shall meet at the seat of government at twelve o'clock noon, on the second Tuesday of January of the odd-numbered years for general and budget session and may meet on the second Tuesday of January of the even-numbered years for budget session, and at other times when convened by the governor or upon call of the legislature as herein provided. The governor by proclamation may also, in times of war or grave emergency by law defined, temporarily convene the legislature at a place or places other than the seat of government. The legislature may convene a special session not to last longer than twenty (20) working days as follows:
- (ii) The presiding officers of each house shall also jointly call a special session for the purpose of resolving a challenge or a dispute of any kind in the determination of the presidential electors.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the Stateof Wyoming to be affixed this 13th day of November 2002.

	Jim Geringer Governor of Wyoming	
ATTEST:		
Joseph B. Meyer Secretary of State		

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Constitutional Amendment C

Following is the ballot language of Constitutional Amendment C as it will appear on the 2002 General Election ballot:

This amendment would limit the governor's partial veto authority (line item veto authority) to apply only to general appropriations bills.

For a complete copy of Senate Enrolled Joint Resolution 1, original Senate Joint Resolution 2, Governor's partial veto authority, please click <u>here.</u>

Constitutional Amendment D

Following is the ballot language of Constitutional Amendment D as it will appear on the 2002 General Election ballot:

This amendment would provide that amendments to the Wyoming Constitution proposed by the Wyoming Legislature will be submitted to the electors of the state without prior presentment to the Governor for his approval or disapproval.

For a complete copy of Senate Enrolled Joint Resolution 2, original Senate Joint Resolution 3, Constitution amendment process, please click here.