

1 A proposal to revise
2 ARTICLE IV, s. 5, Fla. Const.; providing for
3 the candidate for the office of governor to run
4 without a lieutenant governor candidate.
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6 It is proposed by the Florida Constitution Revision Commission
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9 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 5 of Article IV
10 of the Florida Constitution is revised by amending that
11 subsection to read:
12 ARTICLE IV
13 EXECUTIVE
14 SECTION 5. Election of governor, lieutenant governor
15 and cabinet members; qualifications; terms.--
16 (a) At a state-wide general election in each calendar
17 year the number of which is even but not a multiple of four,
18 the electors shall choose a governor and a lieutenant governor
19 and members of the cabinet each for a term of four years
20 beginning on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in
21 January of the succeeding year. In primary elections,
22 candidates for the office of governor may choose to run
23 without a lieutenant governor candidate.In the general
24 election ~~and in party primaries, if held,~~all candidates for
25 the offices of governor and lieutenant governor shall form
26 joint candidacies in a manner prescribed by law so that each
27 voter shall cast a single vote for a candidate for governor
28 and a candidate for lieutenant governor running together.
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