## Application on the United States Congress Calling for the Sovereignty Amendment Convention

## THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ..... Concurrent Resolution No.

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## Calling on the United States Congress and instructing Congress to convene the Sovereignty Amendment Convention under the authority reserved to State Legislatures in Article V of the United States Constitution.

WHEREAS, Article IV, Section 4 of the Constitution of the United States guarantees to every State a Republican form of government which gives each State equal standing when calling for Amendment Conventions. Article V of the Constitution of the United States reserves to the several States the right to call for a Federal Amendment Convention for the purpose of proposing Amendments to the United States Constitution when Congress, the Courts, or the Executive Branch refuse to address an egregious wrong suffered by the people; and

WHEREAS, The States alone have the authority to "define" and "limit" the agenda at an Article V Amendment Convention. The authority of Congress, under Article V of the United States Constitution, empowers it to convene a Convention as Called for and defined by the several States; and

WHEREAS, The SOVEREIGNTY AMENDMENT CONVENTION will be a "Single Issue Amendment Convention" defined by State Legislatures. The delegates summoned to this convention by Congress will have the authority to deliberate on and decide if the SOVEREIGNTY AMENDMENT, as pre-approved by State Legislatures, should be sent back to the State Legislatures for ratification. Absolutely no other business will be authorized at this Convention; therefore, be it

That the United States Congress convene a "Single Issue Amendment Convention" called the SOVEREIGNTY AMENDMENT CONVENTION for the sole purpose to decide if the proposed Amendment should be sent back to the State Legislatures for ratification. Congress is directed to convene the Sovereignty Amendment Convention within 60 days from the date it receives the 34<sup>th</sup> Call for this Convention from State Legislatures; and, be it

*Resolved*, That the Clerk forward a copy of this signed Agreement to the leadership in Both Houses of the United States Congress.

This Resolution is hereby entered into and approved by the Legislature of the State of ...... on this date: Month: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Day: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Authorized Signatures with Titles:

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