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AMENDMENTS
TO THE
CONSTITUTION.

ADOPTED IN THE YEAR 1883.

AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION FIVE (5)
OF ARTICLE FIVE (V) OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THIS
STATE RELATING TO THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

SEC. 5. The official term of the secretary of state, treasurer and attorney general, shall be two (2) years. The official term of the state auditor shall be four (4) years, and each shall continue in office until his successor shall have been elected and qualified. The further duties, and the salaries of said executive officers, shall each be prescribed by law.

Official term of
office of Attorney
General and
Auditor of State.

Adopted November 6, 1883. For amendment 74,375
against amendment 24,359.

AN ACT PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE SEVEN (7) OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THIS STATE BY ADDING A SECTION THERETO, TO BE TERMED SECTION NINE (9) RELATING TO ELECTIVE FRANCHISE.

Official year for the state—when to commence.

When general elections to be held.

SEC. 9. The official year for the state of Minnesota shall commence on the first Monday in January in each year, and all terms of office shall terminate at that time; and the general election shall be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November. The first general election for state and county officers, except judicial officers, after the adoption of this amendment, shall be held in the year A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four (1884), and thereafter the general election shall be held biennially. All state, county, or other officers elected at any general election, whose terms of office would otherwise expire on the first Monday of January, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six (1886), shall hold and continue in such offices respectively until the first Monday in January, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven (1887).

Adopted November 6, 1883. For amendment 75,782 against amendment 24,082.

AN ACT PROPOSING AMENDMENTS TO SECTION TWO (2), THREE (3), AND FOUR (4), OF ARTICLE SIX (6), OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THIS STATE RELATING TO THE JUDICIARY.

Term of office.

First—That section two (2) of said article be amended by striking out the word "three" where it occurs in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "four."

Adopted November 6, 1883. For amendment 73,547 against amendment 23,818.

Term of office.

Second—That section three (3) of said article be amended by striking out the word "seven" where it occurs in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six."

Adopted November 6, 1883. For amendment 73,018 against amendment 23,699.

Third—That section four (4) of said article be amended Term of office. by striking out the word “seven” where it occurs in said section and inserting in lieu thereof the word “six.”

Adopted November 6, 1883. For amendment 73,565 against amendment 24,016.