Senate Joint Resolution 4

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SUMMARY

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Proposes amendment to Oregon Constitution to prohibit paying or receiving money based on number of signatures obtained for purposes of nominating candidate for elective public office or registering persons to vote.

Refers proposed amendment to people for their approval or rejection at next regular general election.

JOINT RESOLUTION 1 2 Be It Resolved by the Legislative Assembly of the State of Oregon: PARAGRAPH 1. The Constitution of the State of Oregon is amended by creating new sections 25 and 25a to be added to and made a part of Article II, such sections to read: 4 SECTION 25. A person may not pay or receive money or another thing of value based 5 on the number of signatures obtained for purposes of: 6 7 (1) Nominating a candidate for elective public office; or (2) Registering persons to vote. 8 9 SECTION 25a. (1) Section 25 of this Article applies to signatures obtained on or after the 10 effective date of section 25 of this Article. (2) This section is repealed January 2, 2010. 11 12 PARAGRAPH 2. The amendment proposed by this resolution shall be submitted to the 13 people for their approval or rejection at the next regular general election held throughout 14 this state. 15 16