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## A BILL FOR AN ACT

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE HAWAII CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT GAMBLING IN THE STATE.

## BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

SECTION 1. The purpose of this Act is to propose an
amendment to article XVI of the Constitution of the State of
Hawaii by adding a new section to permit gambling within the
State, in accordance with law determined by the legislature.
SECTION 2. Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of
Hawaii is amended by adding a new section to read as follows:
"Section . Gambling permitted. Gambling shall be
permitted within the State in accordance with law."
SECTION 3. The question to be printed on the ballot shall
be as follows:
"Shall gambling be permitted within the State in accordance
with law?"
SECTION 4. New constitutional material is underscored.



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SECTION 5. This amendment shall take effect upon
compliance with article XVII, section 3, of the Constitution of
the State of Hawaii.

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**Description:** Proposes to add a new section to article XVI of the state constitution to permit gambling in the State, in accordance with law.

