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House Resolution 1

By: Representatives Scott of the 76th, Cannon of the 58th, Mitchell of the 88th, Jackson of the 64th, and Burnough of the 77th

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Proposing an amendment to the Constitution so as to authorize the General Assembly to
- 2 provide for the proceeds of one or more lottery games to benefit homeless military veterans;
- 3 to provide for authorized purposes; to provide for appropriations; to provide for related
- 4 matters; to provide for the submission of this amendment for ratification or rejection; and for
- 5 other purposes.

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BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 SECTION 1.

- 8 Article I, Section II, Paragraph VIII of the Constitution is amended by adding a new
- 9 subparagraph to read as follows:
- 10 "(e) The General Assembly is authorized to provide for the proceeds of one or more
- games operated within a lottery authorized by subparagraph (c) of this Paragraph to assist
- with military veterans' homelessness. The proceeds of such game or games shall be
- accounted for separately and shall be appropriated for such purposes in the same manner
- provided for educational purposes in subparagraph (c) of this Paragraph."

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15	SECTION 2.
16	The above proposed amendment to the Constitution shall be published and submitted as
17	provided in Article X, Section I, Paragraph II of the Constitution. The ballot submitting the
18	above proposed amendment shall have written or printed thereon the following:
19	"() YES Shall the Constitution of Georgia be amended so as to authorize the General
20	() NO Assembly to provide for the proceeds of one or more games operated by the
21	state lottery to benefit homeless military veterans?"
22	All persons desiring to vote in favor of ratifying the proposed amendment shall vote "Yes."
23	All persons desiring to vote against ratifying the proposed amendment shall vote "No." I
24	such amendment shall be ratified as provided in said Paragraph of the Constitution, it shall
25	become a part of the Constitution of this state.