

PROPOSED AMENDMENT
SENATE AMENDMENTS TO H.B. 2289
(Reference to House engrossed bill)

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert:

2 "Section 1. Section 11-211, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to
3 read:

4 11-211. Membership; qualifications; term

5 A. There shall be in each county having a population of one hundred
6 seventy-five thousand or more persons a board of supervisors consisting of
7 five members who shall be qualified electors of their supervisorial district,
8 and who shall be elected at a general election at which the president of the
9 United States is elected. In each county having a population of less than
10 one hundred seventy-five thousand persons, a board of supervisors shall
11 consist of three members, except as prescribed by subsection B of this
12 section, who shall be qualified electors of their supervisorial district and
13 who shall be elected at a general election at which the president of the
14 United States is elected. They shall enter upon their duties on January 1
15 subsequent to their election, and shall hold office for four years. No
16 person holding any other county or precinct office is eligible to the office
17 of supervisor.

18 B. Any county having a population of less than one hundred
19 seventy-five thousand persons but more than one hundred thousand persons
20 shall call an election to change from a three-member to a five-member board
21 of supervisors, or from a five-member to a three-member board of supervisors,
22 upon receipt by the board of supervisors of a petition containing signatures
23 of qualified electors equal to at least ten per cent of the votes cast in the
24 county at the preceding general election at which a president of the United
25 States was elected. The board shall submit to the electors in such county,
26 at a special election called for such purpose, the question whether or not
27 such county shall elect five members or three members to the board of
28 supervisors. The election shall be held before the first Monday in January
29 preceding the next general election. The ballots shall contain the words:

1 "Five supervisors, yes. Five supervisors, no." or "Three supervisors, yes.
2 Three supervisors, no." If the majority of the qualified electors voting on
3 the question votes in the affirmative, the board of supervisors OR
4 INDEPENDENT REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE shall redistrict the county in accordance
5 with section 11-212. The county shall thereafter elect the prescribed number
6 of members to the board of supervisors who shall have the same qualifications
7 as provided in subsection A of this section for a board of supervisors with a
8 population of one hundred seventy-five thousand or more persons, and shall
9 hold office for a term of four years to commence on January 1.

10 Sec. 2. Section 11-212, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended to read:

11 11-212. County supervisorial district redistricting; committee;
12 membership; appointment; duties

13 A. EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION B, the board of supervisors shall
14 meet ~~at the county seat~~ on or before December 1 following the release of the
15 United States decennial census data and divide the county into three or five
16 supervisorial districts as provided in this article, which shall be numbered,
17 respectively, districts one, two and three or districts one, two, three, four
18 and five. The board shall define the boundaries and limits of each district
19 and make the division equal or with not more than ten per cent difference in
20 population.

21 B. THE INDEPENDENT REDISTRICTING COMMITTEE IS ESTABLISHED IN EACH
22 COUNTY WITH FIVE SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS. THE COMMITTEE CONSISTS OF THE
23 MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, ONE MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED BY THE
24 SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, ONE MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED BY THE
25 MAJORITY LEADER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, ONE MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED
26 BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE, ONE MEMBER WHO IS APPOINTED BY THE MAJORITY
27 LEADER OF THE SENATE AND TWO MEMBERS WHO ARE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR. IF A
28 VACANCY OCCURS IN AN OFFICE, THE VACANCY SHALL BE FILLED BY THE PERSON WHO
29 APPOINTED THE PERSON WHO PREVIOUSLY HELD THE OFFICE. A MEMBER APPOINTED BY
30 THE GOVERNOR IS CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE UNTIL THE MEMBERS OF THE
31 COMMITTEE SELECT A CHAIRPERSON AT THE COMMITTEE'S FIRST MEETING. THE
32 COMMITTEE SHALL MEET AT THE COUNTY SEAT ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 1 FOLLOWING THE

1 RELEASE OF THE UNITED STATES DECENNIAL CENSUS DATA AND CREATE A PROPOSED
2 REDISTRICTING PLAN FOR THE COUNTY BY DIVIDING THE COUNTY INTO FIVE
3 SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICTS AS PROVIDED IN THIS ARTICLE, WHICH SHALL BE NUMBERED
4 DISTRICTS ONE, TWO, THREE, FOUR AND FIVE. THE COMMITTEE SHALL DEFINE THE
5 BOUNDARIES AND LIMITS OF EACH DISTRICT AND MAKE THE DIVISION EQUAL OR WITH
6 NOT MORE THAN TEN PER CENT DIFFERENCE IN POPULATION. THE COMMITTEE SHALL
7 SUBMIT THE PROPOSED REDISTRICTING PLAN TO THE GOVERNOR FOR THE GOVERNOR'S
8 APPROVAL. IF THE GOVERNOR DOES NOT APPROVE OF ANY PART OF THE REDISTRICTING
9 PLAN, THE GOVERNOR AND COMMITTEE SHALL NEGOTIATE A FINAL REDISTRICTING PLAN.
10 THIS SUBSECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO ANY REDISTRICTING AFTER DECEMBER 31, 2015.

11 C. The county may redistrict as often as deemed necessary between each
12 United States decennial census."

13 Amend title to conform

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