

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE BUREAU

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 324

Sponsor:

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1 Amend Bill, page 1, line 1, by striking out "an amendment"

2 and inserting

3 integrated amendments and separate and distinct amendments

4 Amend Bill, page 1, line 2, by inserting after "Pennsylvania,

5 "

6 abolishing the Office of Lieutenant Governor;

7 Amend Bill, page 1, line 2, by inserting after "Assembly"

8 ; and reducing the size of the Supreme Court and the Superior
9 Court

10 Amend Bill, page 1, lines 5 and 6, by striking out all of

11 said lines and inserting

12 Section 1. The following integrated amendments to the
13 Constitution of Pennsylvania are proposed in accordance with
14 Article XI:

15 (1) That section 9 of Article II be amended to read:

16 § 9. Election of officers; judge of election and qualifications
17 of members.

18 The Senate shall, at the beginning and close of each regular
19 session and at such other times as may be necessary, elect one
20 of its members President pro tempore[, who shall perform the
21 duties of the Lieutenant Governor, in any case of absence or
22 disability of that officer, and whenever the said office of
23 Lieutenant Governor shall be vacant]. The House of
24 Representatives shall elect one of its members as Speaker. Each
25 House shall choose its other officers, and shall judge of the
26 election and qualifications of its members.

27 (2) That section 1 of Article IV be amended to read:

28 § 1. Executive Department.

29 The Executive Department of this Commonwealth shall consist
30 of a Governor, [Lieutenant Governor,] Attorney General, Auditor
31 General, State Treasurer, and Superintendent of Public
32 Instruction and such other officers as the General Assembly may
33 from time to time prescribe.