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DIGEST

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Present constitution provides that lands and mineral interests of the state, of a school board, or of a levee district shall not be lost by prescription except as authorized in present constitution.

Proposed constitutional amendment provides that a mineral interest of the state, of a school board, or of a levee district on land belonging to another shall be subject to the same prescription of nonuse without interruption as is provided by law for a mineral interest privately held, except that no prescriptive period shall be less than ten years.

Proposed constitutional amendment further provides that for a mineral interest existing on the effective date of proposed constitutional amendment, the prescriptive period shall commence on such effective date.

Specifies submission of the amendment to the voters at the statewide election to be held on November 21, 2015.

(Amends Const. Art. IX, Sec. 4)