

**GREEN SHEET REDIGEST**

**HB 211**

**2023 Regular Session**

**Jordan**

**CONSTITUTION/AMENDMENT. (Constitutional Amendment) Prohibits slavery and involuntary servitude.**

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DIGEST

Present constitution provides that slavery and involuntary servitude are prohibited, except in the case of involuntary servitude as punishment for a crime.

Proposed constitutional amendment provides that slavery and involuntary servitude are forever prohibited.

Provides for submission of the proposed amendment to the voters at the statewide election to be held Oct. 14, 2023.

(Amends Const. Art. I, §3)

Summary of Amendments Adopted by House

The Committee Amendments Proposed by House Committee on Civil Law and Procedure to the original bill:

1. Provide that the prohibition of involuntary servitude shall not prohibit an inmate from being required to work.
2. Change ballot language.
3. Make technical changes.

Summary of Amendments Adopted by Senate

1. Remove provision that the prohibition of involuntary servitude shall not prohibit an inmate from being required to work.