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Bill Analysis

SJR 32 provides a method by which Oklahoma shall select its commissioners to attend the Article V Convention wherein an amendment will be written to require the federal government to balance its budget. The measure requires the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and Speaker of the House to respectively appoint 4 members of their chambers. Of the members appointed to the commission, 2 shall be appointed from the majority party and 2 shall be appointed from the minority party from each chamber. The President Pro Tempore and Speaker are also required to appoint one current or former member of the Senate and House respectively.

The measure also provides for a member to be recalled if he or she casts a vote for an unauthorized amendment proposal and requires each member to take the oath as outlined in the measure. An Article V Convention Committee is also created to monitor and advise the delegation as well as discipline commissioners who violate their oath.

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