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Abstract: Authorizes the legislature to enact employee leave polices which are uniformly applicable to all state government employers and employees.

<u>Present constitution</u> creates the State Civil Service Commission and grants it broad and general rulemaking powers for the administration and regulation of the classified service for state employees, including the power to regulate employment, promotion, demotion, suspension, reduction in pay, removal, certification, qualifications, political activities, employment conditions, compensation and disbursements to employees, and other personnel matters and transactions. <u>Present constitution</u> further creates education management boards with authority to supervise and manage institutions and programs in their respective systems.

<u>Proposed constitutional amendment</u> authorizes the legislature to enact employee leave policies that provide minimum requirements which are uniformly applicable to all state government employers and employees.

Provides for submission of the proposed amendment to the voters at the statewide election to be held Nov. 3, 2020.

(Adds Const. Art. X, §31)