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CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Fetterman offered the following:

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3 **Amendment to Amendment (478557) (with title amendment)**

4 Remove lines 5-33 and insert:

5 amendments convention for the purpose of proposing amendments to
6 the Constitution of the United States:

7 (1) To achieve and maintain a balanced budget by:

8 (a) Requiring that such balanced budget account for all
9 obligations of the Federal Government;

10 (b) Allowing flexibility in federal balanced budget
11 requirements by providing exceptions related to exigencies such
12 as national emergencies or threats to the nation's security;

13 (c) Imposing spending limits on the Federal Government;

14 (d) Setting extraordinary vote requirements for new or
15 increased federal taxes and other revenues; and

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16 (e) Prohibiting federal mandates on states to impose taxes
17 or fees.

18 (2) To control the ability of the Congress and the various
19 federal executive agencies to require states to expend funds by:

20 (a) Limiting the ability of Congress and the various
21 federal executive agencies to pass legislation requiring states
22 to spend money or to take actions requiring the expenditure of
23 money unless federal funds are provided in ongoing amounts
24 sufficient to offset the full costs of such requirements; and

25 (b) Limiting the ability of Congress to dictate to states
26 requirements for the expenditure of federal funds other than
27 such requirements as may be necessary to measure outcomes to be
28 achieved through the expenditure of the federal funds, leaving
29 to the several states the ability to decide how to best
30 accomplish those outcomes.

31 (3) To make adequate and defined provisions for a right to
32 privacy for both individuals and for families, so they can be
33 secure in their own persons and make decisions for themselves
34 and their families without obtrusive government interference.

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38 **T I T L E A M E N D M E N T**

39 Remove lines 38-41 and insert:

40 WHEREAS, the United States Supreme Court has recognized an
41 individual's right to privacy in numerous court cases, and

42 WHEREAS, the courts and legislatures lack clear limits
43 regarding the limits of this right, and

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44 WHEREAS, the right to privacy is constantly threatened by
45 political agendas and legislative activity, and