## 2000 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS

NOVEMBER 7, 2000 ELECTION BALLOT

Proposed Amendment No. 1 Act 153 (SB 74) 2000 1st Extra Session

To authorize the creation and abolishment, by law, of a corporation as a central source principal economic development organization of the state; to provide for the creation, administration, and powers, duties, and functions of such entity; to exempt such entity from civil service; to authorize such entity to engage in cooperative endeavors for economic development purposes and to receive state funds as appropriated by the legislature for economic development purposes. (Amends Article XII, Section 12)

Proposed Amendment No. 2 Act 48 (HB 73) 2000 Regular Session

To eliminate the constitutional requirement for a state income tax deduction for federal income taxes paid, to eliminate the current limitation on individual income tax rates, and to provide that the state individual and joint income tax schedule of rates and brackets shall never exceed the rates and brackets set forth in Title 47 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes on January 1, 2001. (Amends Article VII, Section 4(A))

Proposed Amendment No. 3 Act 49 (HB 98) 2000 Regular Session

To provide that food for home consumption, natural gas, electricity, and water shall be exempt from any sales and use tax levied by the state or by a statewide political subdivision. (Adds Article VII, Section 2.2)

Proposed Amendment No. 4 Act 152 (HB 9) 2000 1st Extra Session

To authorize local governments to loan, pledge, or donate certain revenues dedicated to economic or industrial development to persons, associations, or corporations which agree to locate or expand industrial operations in the area and agree to hire a certain minimum number of local residents. (Amends Article VII, Section 14(B))