

1 part of the Constitution which pertains to the Legislature.

2 I recognize the problem that this may be used
3 for other areas. I am willing to take that risk. I am
4 willing to believe that the Legislature will respond in most
5 instances to the needs of the people for constitutional
6 change and constitutional reform, but I think that it is
7 useful as a practical matter to have, with adequate
8 safeguards -- and I believe the ten per cent registered
9 voters petition requirement is an adequate safeguard -- to
10 give the people their recourse from a Legislature which
11 can't be reelected but once every four years and which in
12 the meantime may be avoiding grave constitutional issues
13 for which redress is needed.

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