

**Public Policy Position  
HJR LL**

The Family Law Section is a voluntary membership section of the State Bar of Michigan, comprised of 2,519 members. The Family Law Section is not the State Bar of Michigan and the position expressed herein is that of the Family Law Section only and not the State Bar of Michigan. To date, the State Bar does not have a position on this item.

The Family Law Section has a public policy decision-making body with 21 members. On October 13, 2018, the Section adopted its position after a discussion and vote at a scheduled meeting. 17 members voted in favor of the Section's position on HJR LL, 0 members voted against this position, 2 members abstained, 2 members did not vote.

**SUPPORT**

**Explanation:** Resolution to amend the State Constitution to remove requirement that only marriages/unions between a man and woman will be recognized. Brings Michigan Constitution in line with United States Supreme Court decision in Obergefell finding such laws and constitutional amends unconstitutional.

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