

**Pennsylvania Proposed Constitutional Amendments of the General
Assembly for the Year 2003
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2003	SB	1	9	Children; victims in criminal proceedings, videotaped depositions or testimony by closed-circuit television, including in judicial administration (Amend Constitution Article I, sections 9 and 10)	SB55
2003	HB	1	9	Criminal prosecutions, accused, judicial administration (Amend Constitution Article I, section 9)	HB171
2003	SB	1	9	Criminal prosecutions, accused, right to be confronted with the witnesses against him, including in judicial administration (Amend Constitution Article I, sections 9 and 10)	SB55
2003	SB	1	13	Death sentence imposition, prohibiting (Amend Constitution Article I, section 13)	SB12
2003	HB	1	29	Hunting and fishing, rights of people shall not be prohibited (Amend Constitution Article I, section 29)	HB1512
2003	HB	2	6	Disqualification to hold other office (Amend Constitution Article II, section 6)	HB407
2003	SB	2	6	Lieutenant Governor, appointment by Governor, under certain conditions; confirmation by majority vote of Senate; Lieutenant Governor, disqualification to hold other office (Amend Constitution Article II, section 6 and Article IV, section 14)	SB757
2003	HB	2	11	Lobbying and lobbyists, power of the General Assembly to regulate (Amend Constitution Article II, section 11)	HB969
2003	HB	2	16	Commonwealth, House of Representatives, reducing number of members (Amend Constitution Article II, section 16)	HB1958
2003	SB	2	16	General Assembly, legislative districts, reducing (Amend Constitution Article II, section 16)	SB220
2003	SB	2	17	Congressional Reapportionment Bureau, establishing; membership; powers and duties (Amend Constitution Article II, section 17)	SB837
2003	SB	2	17	Legislative Reapportionment Commission, establishing; membership; powers and duties (Amend Constitution Article II, section 17)	SB107
2003	HB	3	18	Compensation laws, General Assembly may enact, requiring payment by employers (Amend Constitution Article III, section 18)	HB3
2003	HB	3	18	Compensation laws, relating to medical professional liability actions, General Assembly may enact (Amend Constitution Article III, section 18)	HB1326
2003	HB	3	18	General Assembly, compensation laws, recovery of economic damages for injuries (Amend Constitution Article III, section 18)	HB1345
2003	HB	3	18	General Assembly, compensation laws, recovery of economic or noneconomic damages for injuries (Amend Constitution Article III, section 18)	HB1455

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2003	SB	3	18	General Assembly, compensation relating to right of action; limitation by law (Amend Constitution Article III, section 18)	SB50 SB728
2003	HB	3	18	Medical malpractice actions, authorizing legislation to limit recovery of noneconomic and punitive damages (Amend Constitution Article III, section 18)	HB53
2003	HB	3	18	Medical malpractice actions, compensation laws to General Assembly (Amend Constitution Article III, section 18)	HB1446
2003	HB	3	18	Medical malpractice actions, limit recovery of noneconomic and punitive damages (Amend Constitution Article III, section 18)	HB140
2003	HB	3	18	Medical malpractice, limitation of damages (Amend Constitution Article III, section 18)	HB475
2003	HB	3	26	Retirement benefits or pensions, authorizing General Assembly to increase (Amend Constitution Article III, section 26)	HB69
2003	SB	3	26	Retirement benefits; General Assembly increase payments to members or beneficiaries who are spouses of members (Amend Constitution Article III, section 26)	SB58
2003	SB	3	33	Initiative and referendum procedure, authorizing; powers reserved to the people (Amend Constitution Article III, section added)	SB22
2003	SB	3	33	Initiative and referendum, indirect procedure, authorizing; powers reserved to the people (Amend Constitution Article III, adding section 33)	SB88
2003	SB	4	4	Insurance Commissioner, election of; qualifications, disqualifications for office (Amend Constitution Article IV, adding section 4.2; amending sections	SB465
2003	HB	4	4	Insurance Commissioner, election, qualifications (Amend Constitution Article IV, section 1)	HB1100
2003	SB	4	5	Insurance Commissioner, election of; qualifications, disqualifications for office (Amend Constitution Article IV, adding section 4.2; amending sections 5, 6, 17)	SB465
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2003	SB	4	8	"Justice of the peace" phrase, replacing with "magisterial district justice" (Amend Constitution Articles IV and V, various sections)	SB54
2003	HB	4	9	Children; victims in criminal proceedings, videotaped depositions or testimony by closed-circuit television, including in judicial administration (Amend Constitution Article I, sections 9 and 10)	HB758
2003	HB	4	10	Children; victims in criminal proceedings, videotaped depositions or testimony by closed-circuit television, including in judicial administration (Amend Constitution Article I, sections 9 and 10)	HB758
2003	SB	4	14	Lieutenant Governor, appointment by Governor, under certain conditions; confirmation by majority vote of Senate; Lieutenant Governor, disqualification to hold other office (Amend Constitution Article II, section 6 and Article IV, section 14)	SB757
2003	SB	4	17	Insurance Commissioner, election of; qualifications, disqualifications for office (Amend Constitution Article IV, adding section 4.2; amending sections 5, 6, 17)	SB465
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2003	SB	5	1	"Justice of the peace" phrase, replacing with "magisterial district justice" (Amend Constitution Articles IV and V, various sections)	SB54
2003	SB	5	7	"Justice of the peace" phrase, replacing with "magisterial district justice" (Amend Constitution Articles IV and V, various sections)	SB54
2003	SB	5	10	"Justice of the peace" phrase, replacing with "magisterial district justice" (Amend Constitution Articles IV and V, various sections)	SB54
2003	SB	5	10	Children; victims in criminal proceedings, videotaped depositions or testimony by closed-circuit television, including in judicial administration (Amend Constitution Article I, sections 9 and 10)	SB55
2003	HB	5	10	Courts, general rules, judicial administration (Amend Constitution Article V, section 10(c))	HB90

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2003	SB	5	10	Trials, jurors, take notes to use during deliberations, authorizing (Amend Constitution Article V, section 10)	SB81
2003	SB	5	12	"Justice of the peace" phrase, replacing with "magisterial district justice" (Amend Constitution Articles IV and V, various sections)	SB54
2003	HB	5	12	District justice, requiring an individual to pass an examination before filing nominating petition (Amend Constitution Article V, section 12)	HB494
2003	SB	5	12	Justice of the traffic court in City of Philadelphia, pass certification examination before filing nomination petition (Amend Constitution Article V, section 12(b))	SB394
2003	SB	5	13	"Justice of the peace" phrase, replacing with "magisterial district justice" (Amend Constitution Articles IV and V, various sections)	SB54
2003	SB	5	13	Justices of the peace, retention election provisions (Amend Constitution Article V, sections 13(c) and 15(b))	SB393
2003	HB	5	13	Justices of the peace, retention, election and tenure (Amend Constitution Article V, sections 13(c) and 15(b))	HB1522
2003	SB	5	15	"Justice of the peace" phrase, replacing with "magisterial district justice" (Amend Constitution Articles IV and V, various sections)	SB54
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2003	SB	6	7	Municipal officials, home rule charter municipalities, removal by referendum (Amend Constitution Article VI, section 7)	SB372
2003	HB	7	11	Gasoline taxes and motor license fees, restrictions (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 11)	HB1431
2003	HB	7	18	Commonwealth, spending limitations (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 18)	HB1569
2003	SB	8	1	Political subdivisions levying tax on real property, prohibited from levying tax on homestead property (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 1)	SB718
2003	HB	8	1	Taxation, imposition of graduated income tax authorized (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 1)	HB1095
2003	HB	8	1	Taxation, imposition of graduated income tax, authorizing (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 1)	HB1346
2003	HB	8	1	Taxation, uniformity relating to homestead property (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 1)	HB1573
2003	HB	8	1	Taxation, uniformity, homestead property, levying prohibited, provisions (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 1)	HB2088
2003	SB	8	1	Taxation; political subdivisions levying tax on real property, prohibited from levying tax on homestead property (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 1)	SB816
2003	HB	8	2	Land conservation, special tax provisions (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 2(b))	HB579
2003	HB	8	2	Long-term care expenses, special tax provisions (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 2(b))	HB82
2003	SB	8	2	Property tax, reduction; volunteer firefighters or emergency medical technicians (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 2)	SB681
2003	HB	8	2	Tax exemptions, special provisions provided (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 2(c))	HB2000
2003	HB	8	2	Taxation, qualified disability trusts, exemptions and provisions (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 2(a))	HB1158

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2003	SB	8	18	Tax Stabilization Reserve, financed by 6% surplus of General Fund; funding amount (Amend Constitution Article VIII, adding section 18)	SB159
2003	HB	8	2	Homestead property, taxation provisions (Amend Constitution Article VIII, section 2(b)(vi))	HB43
2003	SB	9	13	Laws, requiring municipalities to spend funds or that limit their ability to raise revenue or receive State tax revenue (Amend Constitution Article IX, adding section 13.1)	SB539
2003	SB	9	13	Revenue, laws requiring municipalities to spend funds or that limit their ability to raise revenue or receive State tax revenue (Amend Constitution Article IX, adding section 13.1)	SB539