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Initiative 09-0011

The Attorney General of California has prepared the following title and summary of the chief purpose and points of the proposed measure:

REINSTATES RIGHT OF SAME-SEX COUPLES TO MARRY. INITIATIVE

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Repeals the current provision in California's

Constitution that states only marriage between a man and a woman is valid or recognized in California. Provides that the initiative is not intended, and shall not be interpreted, to modify or change the curriculum in any school. Clarifies that the initiative is not intended, and shall not be interpreted, to mandate or require clergy of any church or religious institution to perform a service or duty inconsistent with his or her faith. Summary of estimate by Legislative Analyst and Director of Finance of fiscal impact on state and local government: Over the long run, this measure would likely have little fiscal impact on state and local governments. (09-0011.)