

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

**CALIFORNIA AUTONOMY FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT. INITIATIVE**

**CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT AND STATUTE.** Repeals provision in California

Constitution stating California is an inseparable part of the United States. Directs Governor, in consultation with those members of Congress who represent California, to negotiate continually greater autonomy from federal government, up to and including agreement establishing

California as a fully independent country, provided voters agree to revise the California

Constitution. Creates new state commission to research and make recommendations on ways of increasing California's autonomy and independence. Summary of estimate by Legislative

Analyst and Director of Finance of fiscal impact on state and local government: **At least \$1.25**

**million in added state costs per year for an advisory commission on California autonomy**

**and independence. Unknown, potentially major, fiscal effects if California voters approved**

**changes to the state's relationship with the United States at a future election after the**

**approval of this measure. (17-0005.)**