

WHEREAS, an independent United States Supreme Court is an essential element of America's system of checks and balances that protects our Constitutional rights;

WHEREAS, the United States Supreme Court has been composed of nine Justices for more than 150 years; and

WHEREAS, the United States President and Congress should be prohibited from undermining the independence of the Supreme Court by changing the number of Justices on the Court;

Be It RESOLVED, that the California Federation of Republican Women joins the National Federation of Republican Women and Republican National Committee to urge Congress to adopt the "Keep Nine Amendment" to the U.S. Constitution that states: "The Supreme Court of the United States shall be composed of nine Justices" and

Be It RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be sent to each elected California Federal Representative and all State chamber Representatives directing them to vote to "Keep Nine Justices."

Be It RESOLVED, that the California Federation of Republican Women, meeting at its Fall Board of Directors meeting in Rancho Mirage, California, October 22, 2021 is in support of "Keep Nine Justices."

Dated this 22nd day of October 2021

Susan Blair, President