OFFICIAL BALLOT ON IQNAL AMENDMENT

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FOR Constitutional amendment to permit the General Assembly to enact general laws to authorize the creation of an agency to issue revenue bonds to finance the cost of capital projects consisting of agricultural facilities, and to refund such bonds, such bonds to be secured by and payable only from revenues or property derived from private parties and in no event to be secured by or payable from any public moneys what-

AGAINST Constitutional amendment to permit the General Assembly to enact general laws to authorize the creation of an agency to issue revenue bonds to finance the cost of capital projects consisting of agricultural facilities, and to refund such bonds, such bonds to be secured by and payable only from revenues or property derived from private parties and in no event to be secured by or payable from any public moneys

Farm Bureau backs amendment

"When North Carolina voters go to the polls on May 8 they will have the opportunity to vote on a constitutional amendment that will have a great impact on the future of agriculture in this state," according to the president of the North Carolina Farm Bureau Federation.

Federation President John Sledge said a favorable vote in important to the future of farmers in the state. He pointed out that the amendment will give eligible farmers the opportunity to secure longterm loans for capital improvements on their operations. Sledge said the loans would be properly secured and guaranteed on a first come, first serve basis with no liability on the part of the taxpayer. Sledge said consumers would also benefit from the farm finance amendment. "Helping North Carolina agriculture stay productive and efficient is the best way to

guarantee economical food If approved, the amend-ment will allow the state to set up the North Carolina Agricultural Financing Agency to issue tax-exempt revenue bonds which will be sold to investors. The Agency will make the money available through established lending institutions

which will then make loans to

farmers and farmer-owned

cooperatives for capital pro-

jects. This can include land,

buildings, structures and other

improvements which are used for production, processing, marketing and distribution of any agricultural products.

Sledge pointed out that by permitting tax-exempt revenue bonds, the constitutional amendment would extend to agriculture that which is already available to industrial, manufacturing and pollution control facilities, health care facilities and housing, and public power facilities.

Sledge emphasized that none of the money from these funds could be used for operating capital. He said interest received on loans to farmers would be used to pay back the bonds, and taxpayers in no event would be liable for the bonds.



Jim Long Jim Long, former State Representative and Chief Deputy Commissioner of Insurance, is running for Insurance Commissioner. Long, who currently serves as Legislative Council to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, is a native of Burlington. Noting that the average family spends about 7% of its income on insurance, Long suggested in a recent interview that the office of Insurance Commissioner more directly affected the day-to-day lives of North Carolinians than any other elected office. He attended public schools in Burlington and then attended N.C. State University and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, receiving a Bachelor of Arts degree in Political Science from U.N.C. He then at-tended U.N.C. Law School where he received a Juris Doctor degree and served a Chief Deputy Com-missioner of Insurance of North Carolina in 1975-1976. He served as Counsel to Liston B. Ramsey, Speaker of the North Carolina House of Representatives, 1980 to present. He was chairman of the North Carolina Property Tax Commission, 1981-1985 under ap-pointment of Governor James B. Hunt Jr. He is a partner in the law firm of Long & Long in Graham in practice with his father and his wife. He is married to Laura Jean Guy, he is the father of two

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children, James E. Jr. and Rebecca

Ann. He is a member of the

Episcopal Church in Burlington.

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No one's ever been better prepared to be Lt. Governor.

Bob Jordan built a small family company into one of the largest in the state . . . served 10 years in local government in Mt. Gilead . . . became one of the youngest appointees ever to the Consolidated UNC Board, where he served 15 years . . . and as a State Senator led the effort to cut spending, hold down taxes and balance the budget.

Describing Bob Jordan as "clear-thinking," the Charlotte News editorialized: "Sen. Jordan is certainly the type of candidate Democrats need: He has both experience and integrity." (Sept. 27, 1983).

> **BOB JORDAN** Democrat for Lt. Governor

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