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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION DRSJR35318-MC-199

Sponsors: Senator Rabon (Primary Sponsor).

Referred
to:

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION ADJOURNING THE 2025 REGULAR SESSION OF THE
2 GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO A DATE CERTAIN AND LIMITING THE MATTERS
3 THAT MAY BE CONSIDERED UPON RECONVENING.

4 Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring:

5 **SECTION 1.(a)** When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on
6 Tuesday, July 1, 2025, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, July 29, 2025, at 12:00
7 noon.

8 **SECTION 1.(b)** During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, July 29,
9 2025, only the following matters may be considered:

- 10 (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article
11 II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering
12 overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- 13 (2) Bills containing no matter other than one or more of the following:
- 14 a. The selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by law,
15 including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees
16 were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the
17 Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate,
18 President Pro Tempore of the Senate, or a minority leader of a chamber
19 of the General Assembly.
- 20 b. Actions on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
- 21 c. Actions related to litigation challenging the legality of legislative
22 enactments.
- 23 d. Matters relating to election laws, including bills concerning the
24 districts for Congressional, State House, State Senate, judicial,
25 municipal, county, and other elected officials.
- 26 e. Impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina
27 Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- 28 (3) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective
29 house.
- 30 (4) Adoption of conference reports for bills, including bills (i) providing for
31 disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and
32 (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, for
33 which conferees had been appointed by both houses on or before Tuesday,
34 July 1, 2025.
- 35 (5) Bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and
36 primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or



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1 local pension or retirement system, returned on or before Tuesday, July 1,
2 2025, to the house in which the bill originated for concurrence.

- 3 (6) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, amending a
4 joint resolution adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2025
5 Regular Session, sine die.

6 **SECTION 2.(a)** When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on
7 Thursday, July 31, 2025, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, August 26, 2025, at
8 12:00 noon.

9 **SECTION 2.(b)** During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, August 26,
10 2025, only the following matters may be considered:

- 11 (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article
12 II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering
13 overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- 14 (2) Bills containing no matter other than one or more of the following:
- 15 a. The selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by law,
16 including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees
17 were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the
18 Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate,
19 President Pro Tempore of the Senate, or a minority leader of a chamber
20 of the General Assembly.
- 21 b. Actions on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
- 22 c. Actions related to litigation challenging the legality of legislative
23 enactments.
- 24 d. Matters relating to election laws, including bills concerning the
25 districts for Congressional, State House, State Senate, judicial,
26 municipal, county, and other elected officials.
- 27 e. Impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina
28 Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- 29 (3) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective
30 house.
- 31 (4) Adoption of conference reports for bills, including bills (i) providing for
32 disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and
33 (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, for
34 which conferees had been appointed by both houses on or before Tuesday,
35 July 1, 2025.
- 36 (5) Bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and
37 primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or
38 local pension or retirement system, returned on or before Tuesday, July 1,
39 2025, to the house in which the bill originated for concurrence.
- 40 (6) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, amending a
41 joint resolution adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2025
42 Regular Session, sine die.

43 **SECTION 3.(a)** When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on
44 Thursday, August 28, 2025, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, September 23, 2025,
45 at 12:00 noon.

46 **SECTION 3.(b)** During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, September
47 23, 2025, only the following matters may be considered:

- 48 (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article
49 II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering
50 overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- 51 (2) Bills containing no matter other than one or more of the following:

- a. The selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, or a minority leader of a chamber of the General Assembly.
 - b. Actions on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
 - c. Actions related to litigation challenging the legality of legislative enactments.
 - d. Matters relating to election laws, including bills concerning the districts for Congressional, State House, State Senate, judicial, municipal, county, and other elected officials.
 - e. Impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- (3) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective house.
 - (4) Adoption of conference reports for bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, for which conferees had been appointed by both houses on or before Tuesday, July 1, 2025.
 - (5) Bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, returned on or before Tuesday, July 1, 2025, to the house in which the bill originated for concurrence.
 - (6) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, amending a joint resolution adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, sine die.

SECTION 4.(a) When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on Thursday, September 25, 2025, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, October 7, 2025, at 12:00 noon.

SECTION 4.(b) During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, October 7, 2025, only the following matters may be considered:

- (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- (2) Bills containing no matter other than one or more of the following:
 - a. The selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, or a minority leader of a chamber of the General Assembly.
 - b. Actions on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
 - c. Actions related to litigation challenging the legality of legislative enactments.
 - d. Matters relating to election laws, including bills concerning the districts for Congressional, State House, State Senate, judicial, municipal, county, and other elected officials.
 - e. Impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.

- (3) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective house.
- (4) Adoption of conference reports for bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, for which conferees had been appointed by both houses on or before Tuesday, July 1, 2025.
- (5) Bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, returned on or before Tuesday, July 1, 2025, to the house in which the bill originated for concurrence.
- (6) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, amending a joint resolution adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, sine die.

SECTION 5.(a) When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on Tuesday, October 7, 2025, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, October 28, 2025, at 12:00 noon.

SECTION 5.(b) During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, October 28, 2025, only the following matters may be considered:

- (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- (2) Bills containing no matter other than one or more of the following:
 - a. The selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, or a minority leader of a chamber of the General Assembly.
 - b. Actions on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
 - c. Actions related to litigation challenging the legality of legislative enactments.
 - d. Matters relating to election laws, including bills concerning the districts for Congressional, State House, State Senate, judicial, municipal, county, and other elected officials.
 - e. Impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- (3) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective house.
- (4) Adoption of conference reports for bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, for which conferees had been appointed by both houses on or before Tuesday, July 1, 2025.
- (5) Bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, returned on or before Tuesday, July 1, 2025, to the house in which the bill originated for concurrence.
- (6) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, amending a joint resolution adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, sine die.

SECTION 6.(a) When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on Thursday, October 30, 2025, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Wednesday, November 5, 2025, at 12:00 noon.

SECTION 6.(b) During the regular session that reconvenes on Wednesday, November 5, 2025, only the following matters may be considered:

- (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- (2) Bills containing no matter other than one or more of the following:
 - a. The selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, or a minority leader of a chamber of the General Assembly.
 - b. Actions on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
 - c. Actions related to litigation challenging the legality of legislative enactments.
 - d. Matters relating to election laws, including bills concerning the districts for Congressional, State House, State Senate, judicial, municipal, county, and other elected officials.
 - e. Impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- (3) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective house.
- (4) Adoption of conference reports for bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, for which conferees had been appointed by both houses on or before Tuesday, July 1, 2025.
- (5) Bills, including bills (i) providing for disaster recovery, (ii) directly and primarily affecting the State budget, and (iii) primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system, returned on or before Tuesday, July 1, 2025, to the house in which the bill originated for concurrence.
- (6) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, amending a joint resolution adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2025 Regular Session, sine die.

SECTION 7. The Speaker of the House of Representatives or the President Pro Tempore of the Senate may authorize appropriate committees or subcommittees of their respective houses to meet during the interims between sessions to (i) review matters related to the State budget for the 2025-2027 fiscal biennium, (ii) prepare reports, including revised budgets, or (iii) consider any other matters as the Speaker of the House of Representatives or the President Pro Tempore of the Senate deems appropriate. A conference committee may meet in the interim upon approval by the Speaker of the House of Representatives or the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

SECTION 8. This resolution is effective upon ratification.