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HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION DRHJR70502-LB-143D (07/09)

Sponsors: Representative T. Moore.

Referred to:

1 A JOINT RESOLUTION ADJOURNING THE 2013 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 House of Representatives, the Senate concurring:

5 **SECTION 1.** When the Senate and the House of Representatives adjourn on
6 Friday, July 26, 2013, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Wednesday, May 14, 2014, at
7 12:00 noon.

8 **SECTION 2.** During the regular session that reconvenes on Wednesday, May 14,
9 2014, only the following matters may be considered:

- 10 (1) Bills directly and primarily affecting the State budget, including the budget
11 of an occupational licensing board, for fiscal year 2014-2015, provided that
12 the bill must be submitted to the Bill Drafting Division of the Legislative
13 Services Office no later than 4:00 P.M. Friday, May 16, 2014, and must be
14 introduced in the House of Representatives or filed for introduction in the
15 Senate no later than 4:00 P.M. Tuesday, May 27, 2014.
- 16 (2) Bills amending the Constitution of North Carolina.
- 17 (3) Bills and resolutions introduced in 2013 and having passed third reading in
18 2013 in the house in which introduced, received in the other house in
19 accordance with Senate Rule 41 or House Rule 31.1(h) as appropriate, and
20 not disposed of in the other house by tabling, unfavorable committee report,
21 indefinite postponement, or failure to pass any reading and which do not
22 violate the rules of the receiving house.
- 23 (4) Bills and resolutions implementing the recommendations of:
- 24 a. Study commissions, authorities, and statutory commissions
25 authorized or directed to report to the 2014 Regular Session;
- 26 b. The General Statutes Commission, the Courts Commission, or any
27 commission created under Chapter 120 of the General Statutes that is
28 authorized or directed to report to the General Assembly;
- 29 c. The House Ethics Committee;
- 30 d. Select committees; or
- 31 e. The Joint Legislative Ethics Committee or its Advisory
32 Subcommittee.

33 A bill authorized by this subdivision must be submitted to the Bill Drafting
34 Division of the Legislative Services Office no later than 4:00 P.M.
35 Wednesday, May 14, 2014, and must be filed for introduction in the Senate
36 or introduced in the House of Representatives no later than 4:00 P.M.
37 Wednesday, May 21, 2014.



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- 1 (5) Any local bill that has been submitted to the Bill Drafting Division of the
2 Legislative Services Office by 4:00 P.M. Wednesday, May 21, 2014, is
3 introduced in the House of Representatives or filed for introduction in the
4 Senate by 4:00 P.M. Wednesday, May 28, 2014, and is accompanied by a
5 certificate signed by the principal sponsor stating that no public hearing will
6 be required or asked for by a member on the bill, the bill is noncontroversial,
7 and that the bill is approved for introduction by each member of the House
8 of Representatives and the Senate whose district includes the area to which
9 the bill applies.
- 10 (6) Selection, appointment, or confirmation of members of State boards and
11 commissions as required by law, including the filling of vacancies of
12 positions for which the appointees were elected by the General Assembly
13 upon recommendation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives,
14 President of the Senate, or President Pro Tempore of the Senate.
- 15 (7) Any matter authorized by joint resolution passed by a two-thirds majority of
16 the members of the House of Representatives present and voting and by a
17 two-thirds majority of the members of the Senate present and voting. A bill
18 or resolution filed in either house under the provisions of this subdivision
19 shall have a copy of the ratified enabling resolution attached to the jacket
20 before filing for introduction in the Senate or introduction in the House of
21 Representatives.
- 22 (8) A joint resolution authorizing the introduction of a bill pursuant to
23 subdivision (7) of this section.
- 24 (9) Any bills primarily affecting any State or local pension or retirement system,
25 provided that the bill has been submitted to the Bill Drafting Division of the
26 Legislative Services Office no later than 4:00 P.M. Wednesday, May 21,
27 2014, and is introduced in the House of Representatives or filed for
28 introduction in the Senate no later than 4:00 P.M. Wednesday, May 28,
29 2014.
- 30 (10) Joint resolutions, House resolutions, and Senate resolutions authorized for
31 introduction under Senate Rule 40(b) or House Rule 31.
- 32 (11) Bills:
- 33 a. Revising the Senate districts and the apportionment of senators
34 among those districts.
- 35 b. Revising the Representative districts and the apportionment of
36 representatives among those districts.
- 37 c. Revising the districts for the election of members of the House of
38 Representatives of the Congress of the United States and the
39 apportionment of representatives among those districts.
- 40 d. Bills responding to actions related to the Voting Rights Act of 1965.
- 41 e. Bills responding to actions related to litigation concerning
42 Congressional, State House, or State Senate districts.
- 43 (12) Bills returned by the Governor with objections under Section 22 of Article II
44 of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering
45 overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- 46 (13) Any bills relating to election laws.
- 47 (14) Bills to disapprove rules under G.S. 150B-21.3.
- 48 (15) A joint resolution adjourning the 2013 Regular Session, sine die.

49 **SECTION 3.** The Speaker of the House of Representatives or the President Pro
50 Tempore of the Senate may authorize appropriate committees or subcommittees of their
51 respective houses to meet during the interims between sessions to:

- 1 (1) Review matters related to the State budget for the 2013-2015 fiscal
2 biennium;
3 (2) Prepare reports, including revised budgets; or
4 (3) Consider any other matters as the Speaker of the House of Representatives
5 or the President Pro Tempore of the Senate deems appropriate. A conference
6 committee may meet in the interim upon approval by the Speaker of the
7 House of Representatives or the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.
8 **SECTION 4.** This resolution is effective upon ratification.