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1 A JOINT RESOLUTION ADJOURNING THE 2021 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 Friday, July 1, 2022, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, July 26, 2022, at 12:00  
7 noon.

8 **SECTION 1.(b)** During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, July 26,  
9 2022, 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 providing for the selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by  
14 law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees  
15 were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker  
16 of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, or President Pro  
17 Tempore of the Senate.
- 18 (3) Bills providing for action on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
- 19 (4) Bills responding to actions related to litigation challenging the legality of  
20 legislative enactments.
- 21 (5) Any bills relating to election laws.
- 22 (6) Bills providing for impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina  
23 Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- 24 (7) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective  
25 house.
- 26 (8) Adoption of conference reports for bills for which conferees had been  
27 appointed by both houses on or before Friday, July 1, 2022.
- 28 (9) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, amending a  
29 joint resolution adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2021  
30 Regular Session, sine die.

31 **SECTION 2.(a)** When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on  
32 Thursday, July 28, 2022, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, August 23, 2022, at  
33 12:00 noon.

34 **SECTION 2.(b)** During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, August 23,  
35 2022, only the following matters may be considered:

- 36 (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article  
37 II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering  
38 overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.



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- 1 (2) Bills providing for the selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by
- 2 law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees
- 3 were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker
- 4 of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, or President Pro
- 5 Tempore of the Senate.
- 6 (3) Bills providing for action on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
- 7 (4) Bills responding to actions related to litigation challenging the legality of
- 8 legislative enactments.
- 9 (5) Any bills relating to election laws.
- 10 (6) Bills providing for impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina
- 11 Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- 12 (7) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective
- 13 house.
- 14 (8) Adoption of conference reports for bills for which conferees had been
- 15 appointed by both houses on or before Friday, July 1, 2022.
- 16 (9) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, amending a
- 17 joint resolution adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2021
- 18 Regular Session, sine die.

19 **SECTION 3.(a)** When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on  
20 Thursday, August 25, 2022, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, September 20, 2022,  
21 at 12:00 noon.

22 **SECTION 3.(b)** During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, September  
23 20, 2022, only the following matters may be considered:

- 24 (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article
- 25 II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering
- 26 overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- 27 (2) Bills providing for the selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by
- 28 law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees
- 29 were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker
- 30 of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, or President Pro
- 31 Tempore of the Senate.
- 32 (3) Bills providing for action on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
- 33 (4) Bills responding to actions related to litigation challenging the legality of
- 34 legislative enactments.
- 35 (5) Any bills relating to election laws.
- 36 (6) Bills providing for impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina
- 37 Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- 38 (7) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective
- 39 house.
- 40 (8) Adoption of conference reports for bills for which conferees had been
- 41 appointed by both houses on or before Friday, July 1, 2022.
- 42 (9) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, amending a
- 43 joint resolution adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2021
- 44 Regular Session, sine die.

45 **SECTION 4.(a)** When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on  
46 Thursday, September 22, 2022, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, October 18, 2022,  
47 at 12:00 noon.

48 **SECTION 4.(b)** During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, October 18,  
49 2022, only the following matters may be considered:

- 1 (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article  
2 II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering  
3 overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- 4 (2) Bills providing for the selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by  
5 law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees  
6 were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker  
7 of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, or President Pro  
8 Tempore of the Senate.
- 9 (3) Bills providing for action on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
- 10 (4) Bills responding to actions related to litigation challenging the legality of  
11 legislative enactments.
- 12 (5) Any bills relating to election laws.
- 13 (6) Bills providing for impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina  
14 Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- 15 (7) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective  
16 house.
- 17 (8) Adoption of conference reports for bills for which conferees had been  
18 appointed by both houses on or before Friday, July 1, 2022.
- 19 (9) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, amending a  
20 joint resolution adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2021  
21 Regular Session, sine die.

22 **SECTION 5.(a)** When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on  
23 Thursday, October 20, 2022, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, November 15, 2022,  
24 at 12:00 noon.

25 **SECTION 5.(b)** During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, November  
26 15, 2022, only the following matters may be considered:

- 27 (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article  
28 II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering  
29 overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- 30 (2) Bills providing for the selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by  
31 law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees  
32 were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker  
33 of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, or President Pro  
34 Tempore of the Senate.
- 35 (3) Bills providing for action on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
- 36 (4) Bills responding to actions related to litigation challenging the legality of  
37 legislative enactments.
- 38 (5) Any bills relating to election laws.
- 39 (6) Bills providing for impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina  
40 Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- 41 (7) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective  
42 house.
- 43 (8) Adoption of conference reports for bills for which conferees had been  
44 appointed by both houses on or before Friday, July 1, 2022.
- 45 (9) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, amending a  
46 joint resolution adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2021  
47 Regular Session, sine die.

48 **SECTION 6.(a)** When the House of Representatives and the Senate adjourn on  
49 Thursday, November 17, 2022, they stand adjourned to reconvene on Tuesday, December 13,  
50 2022, at 12:00 noon.

1           **SECTION 6.(b)** During the regular session that reconvenes on Tuesday, December  
2 13, 2022, only the following matters may be considered:

- 3           (1) Bills returned by the Governor with his objections under Section 22 of Article  
4 II of the North Carolina Constitution, but solely for the purpose of considering  
5 overriding of the veto upon reconsideration of the bill.
- 6           (2) Bills providing for the selection, appointment, or confirmation as required by  
7 law, including the filling of vacancies of positions for which the appointees  
8 were elected by the General Assembly upon recommendation of the Speaker  
9 of the House of Representatives, President of the Senate, or President Pro  
10 Tempore of the Senate.
- 11           (3) Bills providing for action on gubernatorial nominations or appointments.
- 12           (4) Bills responding to actions related to litigation challenging the legality of  
13 legislative enactments.
- 14           (5) Any bills relating to election laws.
- 15           (6) Bills providing for impeachment pursuant to Article IV of the North Carolina  
16 Constitution or Chapter 123 of the General Statutes.
- 17           (7) Simple resolutions addressing organizational matters of each respective  
18 house.
- 19           (8) Adoption of conference reports for bills for which conferees had been  
20 appointed by both houses on or before Friday, July 1, 2022.
- 21           (9) A joint resolution further adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, amending a  
22 joint resolution adjourning the 2021 Regular Session, or adjourning the 2021  
23 Regular Session, sine die.

24           **SECTION 7.** The Speaker of the House of Representatives or the President Pro  
25 Tempore of the Senate may authorize appropriate committees or subcommittees of their  
26 respective houses to meet during the interims between sessions to (i) review matters related to  
27 the State budget for the 2021-2023 fiscal biennium, (ii) prepare reports, including revised  
28 budgets, or (iii) consider any other matters as the Speaker of the House of Representatives or the  
29 President Pro Tempore of the Senate deems appropriate.

30           **SECTION 8.** This resolution is effective upon ratification.