

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION No. 1615

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION relating to the adjournment of the senate and the house of representatives for a period during the 2020 regular session of the legislature; extending such session beyond 90 calendar days.

*Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Kansas, the House of Representatives concurring therein:* That the 2020 regular session of the legislature shall be extended beyond 90 calendar days; and

*Be it further resolved:* Except as otherwise provided by the provisions of this concurrent resolution or other legislative action, that the legislature shall adjourn at the close of business of the daily session convened on March 19, 2020, and except as otherwise provided herein, shall reconvene on April 27, 2020, pursuant to adjournment of the daily session convened on March 19, 2020; and

*Be it further resolved:* That the second house bill consideration deadline established in 2019 Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1603, Joint Rule 4(f), for the 2020 regular session is hereby extended to May 1, 2020; and the bill consideration deadline established in 2019 Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1603, Joint Rule 4(k), for the 2020 regular session is hereby extended to May 8, 2020; and

*Be it further resolved:* That if the legislative coordinating council determines it is necessary to secure the health and safety of the public, legislative staff and legislators, the legislative coordinating council may reconvene the legislature before April 27, 2020, or may postpone the reconvening of the legislature past April 27, 2020, by a majority vote of five members of the legislative coordinating council, except that such postponement shall not be later than May 21, 2020; and

*Be it further resolved:* That the legislature may adjourn and reconvene at any time during the period on and after April 27, 2020, or such other date on which the legislature reconvenes as determined by the legislative coordinating council, to May 21, 2020, but the legislature shall reconvene on May 21, 2020, at which time the legislature shall continue in session and shall adjourn sine die at the close of business of the daily session convened on May 21, 2020; and

*Be it further resolved:* That the secretary of the senate and the chief clerk of the house of representatives and employees specified by the director of legislative administrative services for such purpose shall attend to their duties each day during such period of adjournment, Sundays excepted, for the purpose of receiving messages from the governor and conducting such other business as may be required; and

*Be it further resolved:* That members of the legislature shall not receive the per diem compensation and subsistence allowances provided for in K.S.A. 46-137a(a) and (b), and amendments thereto, for any day within a period in which both houses of the legislature are adjourned for more than two days, Sundays excepted; and

*Be it further resolved:* That members of the legislature attending a legislative meeting of whatever nature when authorized pursuant to law, or by the legislative coordinating council, the president of the senate or the speaker of the house of representatives, and members of a conference committee attending a meeting of the conference committee authorized by the president of the senate and the speaker of the house of representatives during any period of adjournment for which members are not authorized compensation and allowances pursuant to K.S.A. 46-137a, and amendments thereto, shall receive compensation and travel expenses or allowances as provided by K.S.A. 75-3212, and amendments thereto.

I hereby certify that the above CONCURRENT RESOLUTION originated in the SENATE, and was adopted by that body

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*President of the Senate.*

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*Secretary of the Senate.*

Adopted by the HOUSE \_\_\_\_\_

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*Speaker of the House.*

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*Chief Clerk of the House.*