

1 State of Arkansas
2 94th General Assembly
3 Regular Session, 2023

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6 By: Senator Hester

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8 **HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

9 TO PROVIDE FOR THE RECESS OF THE NINETY-FOURTH
10 GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 7,
11 2023; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR
12 SESSION OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL
13 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2023, FOR THE PURPOSE OF
14 CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS,
15 COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL
16 AMENDMENTS, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER
17 EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE
18 NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE
19 THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO
20 RECONVENE; AND TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL
21 ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00
22 NOON, MAY 1, 2023, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-
23 FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT
24 DATE.

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27 **Subtitle**

28 TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE
29 REGULAR SESSION OF THE NINETY-FOURTH
30 GENERAL ASSEMBLY; AND TO PROVIDE FOR A
31 RECESS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

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34 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE NINETY-FOURTH GENERAL
35 ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS, THE SENATE CONCURRING THEREIN:



1 (a) That the Regular Session of the Ninety-Fourth General Assembly of
2 the State of Arkansas is extended until 12:00 noon, May 1, 2023;

3 (b) That under Arkansas Constitution, Article 6, § 15, prior to
4 adjournment of the General Assembly, the Governor is afforded five (5) days
5 after receipt of a bill to sign a bill or veto a bill, therefore from April
6 7, 2023, to May 1, 2023, the House of Representatives and the Senate shall be
7 open so the office of the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives and the
8 office of the Secretary of the Senate may receive communications, vetoes of
9 bills by the Governor, and notification of errors and oversights;

10 (c) That the Regular Session of the Ninety-Fourth General Assembly of
11 the State of Arkansas shall enter into recess simultaneously at the close of
12 business in each chamber on April 7, 2023, or at such earlier time as may be
13 agreed upon by the House of Representatives and the Senate;

14 (d) That the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President
15 Pro Tempore of the Senate may, by joint proclamation:

16 (1) Reconvene the General Assembly at any time before 12:00
17 noon, May 1, 2023, for the purpose of:

18 (A) Considering vetoes;

19 (B) Correcting errors and oversights;

20 (C) Completing its work on proposed constitutional
21 amendments; and

22 (D) Considering the need for further extension of the
23 Regular Session of the Ninety-Fourth General Assembly; or

24 (2) Adjourn the Regular Session of the Ninety-Fourth General
25 Assembly at any time before 12:00 noon, May 1, 2023, if they determine it is
26 not necessary to reconvene; and

27 (e) That if the General Assembly is not reconvened or adjourned before
28 12:00 noon, May 1, 2023, the Regular Session of the Ninety-Fourth General
29 Assembly is adjourned sine die on that date.

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