

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2nd Extraordinary Session of the 59th Legislature (2023)

SENATE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION 1

By: McCortney of the Senate

and

Echols of the House

AS INTRODUCED

A Concurrent Resolution relating to adjournment of the Legislature for a period in excess of three days; and providing reciprocal consent of the Senate and the House of Representatives to adjourn for a period of time in excess of three days for the duration of the 2nd Extraordinary Session of the 59th Oklahoma Legislature.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article V, Section 30 of the Oklahoma Constitution, there is a requirement for consent of the two chambers of the Legislature to be adjourned for a period of time in excess of three (3) days; and

WHEREAS, it is foreseeable that either the Senate or the House of Representatives or both chambers of the Legislature may need to adjourn for a period of time of more than three (3) days between the current point of the 2nd Extraordinary Session of the 59th Oklahoma Legislature and the sine die adjournment of such session; and

1 WHEREAS, in the interest of time and to avoid potential
2 difficulty in obtaining the required assent pursuant to Article V,
3 Section 30 of the Oklahoma Constitution, it is reasonable for the
4 Legislature to provide a continuing permission for either chamber or
5 both chambers to be adjourned for a period of time in excess of
6 three (3) days.

7 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND
8 EXTRAORDINARY SESSION OF THE 59TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE HOUSE OF
9 REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING THEREIN:

10 THAT the Senate grants its consent to the House of
11 Representatives, and the House of Representatives grants its consent
12 to the Senate, to be adjourned for more than three (3) days from the
13 date of adoption of this measure by the chambers or the date as of
14 which the measure is acted upon by the second chamber to consider
15 it, whichever date last occurs.

16 THAT the ongoing mutual consent to adjournment for a period of
17 time in excess of three (3) days as provided by this measure shall
18 continue until this measure is either superseded by other action
19 taken by the Legislature or until the sine die adjournment of the
20 2nd Extraordinary Session of the 59th Oklahoma Legislature,
21 whichever event first occurs.

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