

1 STATE OF OKLAHOMA

2 2nd Session of the 56th Legislature (2018)

3 SENATE CONCURRENT
4 RESOLUTION 22

By: Schulz of the Senate

5 and

6 McCall of the House

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8 AS INTRODUCED

9 A Concurrent Resolution allowing the Senate or House
10 of Representatives to reconvene prior to certain date
11 and time; providing procedures; providing for sine
12 die adjournment pursuant to Oklahoma Constitution.

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14 WHEREAS, Section 26 of Article V of the Oklahoma Constitution
15 establishes the first Monday in February as the day on which the
16 regular legislative session commences and requires that the regular
17 session be finally adjourned sine die not later than the last Friday
18 in May; and

19 WHEREAS, based on these parameters, the legislative calendar for
20 the 2nd Session of the 56th Oklahoma Legislature began on February
21 5, 2018, and will end on May 25, 2018; and

22 WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Legislature will complete its work for the
23 regular legislative session in a timely manner on Thursday, May 3,
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1 2018, prior to the date required to be finally adjourned sine die;
2 and

3 WHEREAS, the Oklahoma Legislature recognizes that unforeseen
4 circumstances may arise that require the Legislature's attention
5 prior to sine die adjournment.

6 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE 2ND SESSION
7 OF THE 56TH OKLAHOMA LEGISLATURE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
8 CONCURRING THEREIN:

9 THAT following adjournment of each house on May 3, 2018, the
10 Senate or the House of Representatives may reconvene at any time
11 prior to 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, May 10, 2018, upon the mutual
12 agreement of the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker
13 of the House of Representatives; provided, that members of the
14 respective house shall be provided at least twenty-four (24) hours'
15 notice of the reconvening of said chamber.

16 THAT pursuant to the provisions of Section 30 of Article V of
17 the Oklahoma Constitution, each house shall have the permission of
18 the opposite house to adjourn for more than three days beginning
19 Thursday, May 3, 2018, and ending not later than 11:59 p.m. on
20 Thursday, May 10, 2018.

21 THAT if the Senate or the House of Representatives reconvene
22 pursuant to the provisions of this resolution, the respective
23 chambers will adjourn sine die at such time as may be declared by
24 the Presiding Officer of the respective chambers, but in no case

1 later than 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, May 10, 2018; provided, that in
2 the event the Senate or the House of Representatives are not
3 reconvened prior to or on Thursday, May 10, 2018, then the
4 respective chambers of the Oklahoma Legislature shall be deemed to
5 stand adjourned sine die at 11:59 p.m. on Thursday, May 10, 2018.

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