## 1999 SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 1

**Relating to:** the session schedule for the 1999–2000 biennial session period and extending the deadline for the governor's budget message.

## Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

## Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That:

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**SECTION 1. 1999–2000 Session schedule.** (1) BIENNIAL SESSION PERIOD. The legislature declares that the biennial session period of the 1999 Wisconsin legislature began on Monday, January 4, 1999, and that the biennial session period ends at 12 noon on Monday, January 1, 2001.

(2) Scheduled floorperiods and committee work periods. (a) *Unreserved days*. Unless reserved under this subsection as a day to conduct an organizational meeting or to be part of a scheduled floorperiod of the legislature, every day of calendar years 1999 and 2000 is designated as a day for committee activity and is available to extend a scheduled floorperiod, convene an extraordinary session or take senate action on appointments as permitted by joint rule 81.

- (b) *Inauguration.* Pursuant to section 13.02 (1) of the statutes, the inauguration of the members of the 1999 legislature, and the organizing for business of the 2 houses, commences at 2 p.m. on Monday, January 4, 1999.
- (c) *Floorperiod.* A floorperiod commences on Thursday, January 14, 1999, at 10 a.m., and ends on Thursday, January 14, 1999.
- (d) *Floorperiod.* A floorperiod commences on Tuesday, January 26, 1999, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Thursday, January 28, 1999.
- (e) *Floorperiod.* A floorperiod commences on Tuesday, February 16, 1999, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Thursday, February 18, 1999.
- (f) *Budget deadline extended.* The deadline of Tuesday, January 26, 1999, set by section 16.45 of the statutes for introduction of the executive budget bill or bills, submittal of the state budget report and delivery of the governor's budget message, is extended to Thursday, February 18, 1999.
- (g) *Floorperiod.* A floorperiod commences on Tuesday, March 2, 1999, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Thursday, March 4, 1999.
- (h) *Floorperiod.* A floorperiod commences on Tuesday, March 16, 1999, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Thursday, March 25, 1999.
- (i) *Bills to governor.* No later than Thursday, April 22, 1999, at 4:30 p.m., the chief clerk of each house shall submit to the governor for executive action thereon all enrolled bills originating in the chief clerk's house and having been passed by both houses, in regular, extraordinary or special session, on or before April 16, 1999.
- (j) *Floorperiod.* A floorperiod commences on Tuesday, May 11, 1999, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Wednesday, June 30, 1999, but this floorperiod may not be adjourned until the general fund executive budget bill has been passed by both houses.

(k) Bills to governor. No later than Thursday, August 12, 1999, at 4:30 p.m., the
chief clerk of each house shall submit to the governor for executive action thereon all
enrolled bills originating in the chief clerk's house and having been passed by both
houses, in regular, extraordinary or special session, on or before August 6, 1999.

- (L) *Floorperiod.* A floorperiod commences on Tuesday, September 21, 1999, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Thursday, September 30, 1999.
- (m) *Floorperiod.* A floorperiod commences on Tuesday, October 26, 1999, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Thursday, November 11, 1999.
- (n) *Bills to governor*: No later than Thursday, December 16, 1999, at 4:30 p.m., the chief clerk of each house shall submit to the governor for executive action thereon all enrolled bills originating in the chief clerk's house and having been passed by both houses, in regular, extraordinary or special session, on or before December 10, 1999.
- (o) *Floorperiod.* A floorperiod commences on Tuesday, January 25, 2000, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Thursday, February 10, 2000.
- (p) *Last general-business floorperiod.* The last general-business floorperiod commences on Tuesday, March 7, 2000, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Thursday, March 30, 2000.
- (q) *Limited-business floorperiod.* A floorperiod, limited to bills and joint resolutions not yet agreed to by both houses at the conclusion of the last general-business floorperiod scheduled for the spring of the even-numbered year and which have been passed by one house and concurred in, as amended, by the other house, or for which a committee of conference has been appointed by the houses, commences on Tuesday, May 2, 2000, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Thursday, May 4, 2000.

- (r) *Bills to governor.* No later than Thursday, May 11, 2000, at 4:30 p.m., the chief clerk of each house shall submit to the governor for executive action thereon all enrolled bills originating in the chief clerk's house and having been passed by both houses, in regular, extraordinary or special session, on or before May 5, 2000.
- (s) *Veto review floorperiod.* A floorperiod, limited, notwithstanding joint rule 82 (1) (g), to matters allowed under joint rule 82 (1) (a) to (f), commences on Tuesday, May 23, 2000, at 10 a.m., and, unless adjourned earlier, ends on Wednesday, May 24, 2000.
- (t) *Bills to governor.* No later than Thursday, June 1, 2000, at 4:30 p.m., the chief clerk of each house shall submit to the governor for executive action thereon all enrolled bills originating in the chief clerk's house and having been passed by both houses, in regular, extraordinary or special session, on or before May 26, 2000.
- (3) Interim period of committee work; no further introductions. Upon the adjournment of the May veto review floorperiod, there shall be an interim period of committee work ending on Monday, January 1, 2001. Unless the legislature is convened in one or more extraordinary or special sessions, no additional 1999 legislation may be offered during this interim period of committee work.
- (4) END OF TERM. The biennial term of the 1999 legislature ends on the first Monday of January (January 1) in 2001. Pursuant to section 13.02 (1) of the statutes, the inauguration of the members of the 2001 legislature will be on Wednesday, January 3, 2001.
- **SECTION 2. Notice of 2001 session organization.** Notice is hereby given that the biennial session of the 2001 legislature will hold its first meeting, pursuant to

- section 13.02 (1) of the statutes, on Wednesday, January 3, 2001, and that the
- 2 meeting will begin at 2 p.m.

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