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FIRST DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, May 14, 2002

In accordance with law, as set forth in the Constitution of the State of North Carolina, and pursuant to the Proclamation issued by the Governor, The Honorable Michael F. Easley, on May 7, 2002, the Senate of the 2001 General Assembly convenes in Extra Session 2002 at the hour of 1:00 P.M. in the Senate Chamber in the Legislative Building in the City of Raleigh.

The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor, presides and calls the Senate to order.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Bob Inskeep, Associate Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, North Carolina, as follows:

"Creator God, these public servants have heard a cacophony of voices, much like the days of Babel. (Genesis 11)

"By your grace, could today they hear one voice, as on that one day of Pentecost and be of one mind and if possible, do it in one day. (Acts 2)

"Guide them with wisdom and a sense of fairness, a sense of concern for the least among us so that each person's vote counts and each constituent is properly represented by the public servant who is called to serve in this public trust that is both a duty and a privilege.

"God be with us as we do our best to do what is right in your sight. Amen."

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Led by the President, members and guests remain standing and pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

The President instructs the Reading Clerk to read the Proclamation issued by Governor Michael F. Easley on May 7, 2002, as follows:

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, on 30 April 2002, the Supreme Court of North Carolina filed an opinion wherein a majority of the justices held that the state legislative redistricting plans adopted by the General Assembly in November 2001 must be redrawn; and

WHEREAS, the opinion stated that it is optimal for the General Assembly to "be afforded the first opportunity to enact [the] new redistricting plans for the North Carolina Senate and the North Carolina House of Representatives" necessitated by the Supreme Court's decision; and

WHEREAS, the leadership of the state Senate and House believe it prudent to adopt new redistricting plans for each House while an appeal of the Supreme Court's decision is pending; and

WHEREAS, the leadership of the state Senate and House, by letter dated 7 May 2002, have requested the undersigned to convene an extra session for the purpose of enacting legislation providing for new legislative district plans; and

WHEREAS, the leadership of the state Senate and House are committed to adopting such plans expeditiously.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Michael F. Easley, Governor of the State of North Carolina, pursuant to the authority granted to me by Article III, Section 5(7) of the Constitution of North Carolina, by and with the advice of the Council of State, find that the circumstances stated above constitute an extraordinary occasion within the meaning of the aforesaid constitutional provision and PROCLAIM that the General Assembly is hereby convened in an extra session for the purpose of adopting new redistricting plans for the North Carolina Senate and the North Carolina House of Representatives.

This extra session shall begin the 14th day of May 2002 at 1:00 p.m. and shall continue as provided by law and the rules of each House until both Houses shall have adjourned sine die.

Done in Raleigh, North Carolina, this the 7th day of May, 2002.

S/Michael F. Easley Governor

CALL OF THE ROLL

The President directs the Reading Clerk to call the roll of the members of the Senate heretofore elected to the 2001 General Assembly and the following answer the call:

Senators Albertson, Allran, Ballance, Ballantine, Basnight, Berger, Bingham, Carpenter, Carrington, Carter, Clodfelter, Cunningham, Dalton, Dannelly, Forrester, Foxx, Garrou, Gulley, Hagan, Harris, Hartsell, Horton, Hoyle, Kerr, Kinnaird, Lee, Lucas, Martin of Pitt, Martin of Guilford, Metcalf, Miller, Moore, Odom, Plyler, Purcell, Rand, Reeves, Robinson, Shaw of Cumberland, Shaw of Guilford, Soles, Swindell, Thomas, Warren, Webster, Weinstein, and Wellons—47.

With the members present having properly received and subscribed to the Oath of Office, the President announces a quorum present.

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Garwood and Senator Rucho.

OFFICERS

Without objection, the Officers of the Senate of the 2001 Regular Session shall serve as the Officers of this 2002 Extra Session.

ADOPTION OF RULES

The President recognizes Senator Rand who submits Senate Resolution 1 which is read and disposed of as follows:

S.R. 1, A SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE PERMANENT RULES OF

THE SENATE FOR THE 2002 EXTRA SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, the resolution is placed before the Senate for immediate consideration, upon adoption.

The text of Senate Resolution 1 is as follows:

A SENATE RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE PERMANENT RULES OF THE SENATE FOR THE 2002 EXTRA SESSION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY. Be it resolved by the Senate:

SECTION 1. The permanent rules of the 2001 Regular Session, with the following amendments, are the rules governing the Extra Session, 2002, of the General Assembly: **Rule 36.2. Amendments concerning redistricting.**

Any member of the Senate may propose an amendment in committee on a bill establishing districts, whether or not that Senator is a member of the Committee. No amendment changing any districting plan proposed in a bill may be offered on the floor of the Senate unless that amendment was proposed in committee. Any amendment changing any districting plan must be accompanied by the analysis necessary for submission to the superior court in the case of Stephenson v. Bartlett, in a manner announced by the chair of that committee.

Rule 40. Introduction of bills.

Every bill introduced shall contain on the outside cover the title of the document and the name of the Senator or Senators presenting it. The Principal Clerk of the Senate shall receive, number, and present said bill to the Senate for first reading.

Rule 40.1. Limitation on resolutions and bills.

The only resolutions that may be introduced or considered in the Senate are resolutions adjourning the Extra Session sine die. No bills, parts thereof, or amendments thereto may be introduced or considered in the Senate other than the subject of the Governor's Proclamation dated May 7, 2002, convening the Extra Session: for the purpose of adopting new redistricting plans for the North Carolina Senate and the North Carolina House of Representatives, and legislation providing for scheduling of the primaries and necessary amendments to scheduling for the general election in 2002. Any bill request must be submitted to the Bill Drafting Division of the Legislative Services Office no later than 5:00 P.M. Tuesday, May 14, 2002, and must be filed for introduction no later than 3:00 P.M. on Wednesday, May 15, 2002. Any drafting request for a bill to adopt a districting plan must be accompanied by a plan to cover the entire state. This rule may not be suspended.

Rule 41. (Reserved).

Rule 43. First reading; reference to committee.

All bills introduced and all House bills received upon a message from the House of Representatives, upon presentation to the Senate, shall be read in the regular order of business by their number and title which shall constitute the first reading of the bill. The Chairman of the Rules and Operation of the Senate Committee or, in his absence, the Vice-Chairman of the Committee shall refer to a Senate committee all bills introduced in the Senate. Upon the referral being made, the Chairman of the Committee on Rules and Operation of the Senate shall notify the Principal Clerk of the Senate of the referral, and the Reading Clerk shall announce the referral of the bill. The Principal Clerk shall inform the Presiding Officer of the referral. The title and referral shall be entered upon the Journal.

Rule 43.1. Second reading.

All bills reported by committee shall be placed before the Senate for second reading and immediate consideration upon passage.

Rule 50. Third reading requirements.

When a bill or resolution has passed its second reading, it shall be placed on the calendar for immediate consideration on its third reading, unless prohibited by Article II, Section 23 of the Constitution.

Rule 56.1. Amendments and committee substitutes adopted by the House to bills originating in the Senate.

(a) Whenever the House has adopted an amendment or a committee substitute for a bill originating in the Senate and has returned the bill to the Senate for concurrence in that amendment or committee substitute, the Senate may concur in that amendment or committee substitute on the same legislative day.

Rule 59. (Reserved).

SECTION 2. This resolution is effective upon adoption.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, Senate Resolution 1 is adopted (36-11).

PRIVILEGES OF THE FLOOR

Without objection, upon motion of Senator Miller, Senate Rule 67 is suspended to allow Margaret Powell and Carol Williams Wolfe, from Williams Court Reporting, onto the Senate floor through the duration of the Extra Session to record the debate on redistricting.

COMMITTEE APPOINTMENTS

Senator Basnight, President Pro Tempore, announces the appointments to the Redistricting Committee as follows:

Senator Miller, Senator Ballance and Senator Metcalf, Co-Chairs; Senator Ballantine, Senator Hagan, Senator Martin of Guilford, and Senator Wellons, Vice-Chairs; Senators Albertson, Allran, Berger, Bingham, Carpenter, Carrington, Carter, Clodfelter, Cunningham, Dalton, Dannelly, Forrester, Foxx, Garrou, Garwood, Gulley, Harris, Hartsell, Horton, Hoyle, Kerr, Kinnaird, Lee, Lucas, Martin of Pitt, Moore, Odom, Plyler, Purcell, Rand, Reeves, Robinson, Rucho, Shaw of Cumberland, Shaw of Guilford, Soles, Swindell, Thomas, Warren, Webster, and Weinstein.

INTRODUCTION OF A BILL

Without objection, upon motion of Senator Rand, a bill filed for introduction is presented to the Senate, read the first time, and disposed of, as follows:

By Senator Rand:

S.B. 2, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO ISSUE TEMPORARY ORDERS, GUIDELINES, AND DIRECTIVES FOR THE 2002 PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS AND RELATING TO OTHER ELECTIONS THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT. Referred to Redistricting Committee.

SPECIAL MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following special messages are received from the House of Representatives:

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Madame President:

Pursuant to a Proclamation issued by Governor Michael F. Easley on May 7, 2002, it is ordered that a message be sent to the Senate informing that Honorable Body that the House of Representatives is organized and is now ready to proceed with the public business of the State for the 2002 Extra Session.

Respectfully, S/Denise Weeks Principal Clerk

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Madame President:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that pursuant to a Proclamation issued by Governor Michael F. Easley on April 28, 2002, Shelly Willingham has been administered the oath of office as a Member of the House of Representatives for the remainder of the 2001 General Assembly. Representative Willingham has been seated to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Representative Milton F. Fitch, Jr. from the Seventieth District.

> Respectfully, S/Denise Weeks Principal Clerk

EXECUTIVE ORDERS

The following Executive Orders received after adjournment of the Regular Session of the 2001 General Assembly on December 6, 2001, are presented to the Senate, read, and ordered filed in the Office of the Senate Principal Clerk, as follows: (*See Appendix.*)

Executive Order Number 14, North Carolina Interagency Council for Coordinating Homeless Programs.

Executive Order Number 15, To Establish the Heavy Duty Diesel Rule Effective Date.

Executive Order Number 16, Extending the North Carolina State Health Coordinating Council.

Executive Order Number 17, Commission to Promote Government Efficiency and Savings on State Spending.

Executive Order Number 18, Commission to Modernize State Finances.

Executive Order Number 19, Classroom Protection and Orderly Budget Administration Given State of Fiscal Emergency.

Executive Order Number 20, Amending Executive Order Number 84 Issued by Governor James B. Hunt, Jr. which Established the North Carolina Home Furnishing Export Council.

Executive Order Number 21, North Carolina Human Service Transportation Council.

REPORT TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The following report received after adjournment of the Regular Session of the 2001 General Assembly on December 6, 2001, from a Board, Commission, or Agency directed to report to the General Assembly, is presented to the Senate and ordered placed on file in the Legislative Library, as follows:

The North Carolina Sentencing and Policy Advisory Commission submits the *Report* on Study of Structured Sentencing.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Plyler, the Senate adjourns at 1:46 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Wednesday, May 15, at 2:00 P.M.

SECOND DAY

Senate Chamber Wednesday, May 15, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Bob Inskeep, Associate Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, North Carolina, as follows:

"Great God, we pray today for wisdom and strength to rise to the task before us, and for faith and hope to press on toward the best solution.

"We recall your servant Jacob being in fear when he heard Esau was coming - the one he had defrauded. But when they met, there was forgiveness and peace. (Genesis 33)

"Lord, we have no need to fear when we have been truthful and honest - when we let your eternal values be our guiding star - when we do justice and love kindness and walk humbly with our God. (Micah 6:8)

Lord, walk with us today this extra mile as we seek to find a fair solution for all. Amen."

The Chair grants a leave of absence for today to Senator Garwood.

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Tuesday, May 14, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS

Bills filed for introduction are presented to the Senate, read the first time, and disposed of, as follows:

By Senator Miller:

S.B. 3, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SENATE DISTRICTS.

Pursuant to Rule 43, the bill is ordered held in the office of the Principal Clerk pending referral to committee.

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By Senator Ballantine:

S.B. 4, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SENATE DISTRICTS.

Referred to **Redistricting Committee**.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

A bill is reported from a standing committee, read by its title, together with the report accompanying it, and takes its place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Senator Miller for the Redistricting Committee:

S.B. 2, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO ISSUE TEMPORARY ORDERS, GUIDELINES, AND DIRECTIVES FOR THE 2002 PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS AND RELATING TO OTHER ELECTIONS THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT, with an unfavorable report as to bill, but favorable as to Committee Substitute.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 40 of the 2002 Extra Session, the Committee Substitute bill is placed on today's calendar.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on today's Calendar are taken up and disposed of, as follows:

S.B. 2 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO ISSUE TEMPORARY ORDERS, GUIDELINES, AND DIRECTIVES FOR THE 2002 PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS AND RELATING TO OTHER ELECTIONS THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT, placed earlier on today's calendar.

Senator Webster offers a motion that the Committee Substitute bill be withdrawn from today's Calendar and placed on the Calendar for tomorrow, Thursday, May 16, which motion prevails (38-5).

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Purcell, the Senate adjourns subject to introduction of bills, to meet Thursday, May 16 at 3:00 P.M.

INTRODUCTION OF A BILL

A bill filed for introduction is presented to the Senate, read the first time, and disposed of, as follows:

By Senator Miller:

S.B. 5, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SENATORIAL DISTRICTS AND TO APPORTION SEATS IN THE SENATE AMONG DISTRICTS. Referred to **Redistricting Committee**.

Pursuant to Senator Basnight's motion to adjourn having prevailed, the Senate adjourns at 3:02 P.M.

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THIRD DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, May 16, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Bob Inskeep, Associate Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, North Carolina as follows:

"God of the conscience, in this week following Mother's Day, the time of year we honor those who first taught us about fairness and truthfulness, let us bring honor to our parents by the way we act with integrity, fairness, and compassion.

"We pray for patience and perseverance, for insight into others' point of view, and we pray for vision to see what might be your plan, what would be fairest of all for each child.

"Lord, grant us wisdom, and guide our steps, so that we walk and behave in a way which would make our mothers proud...the way of a good conscience. Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Carpenter, Senator Garwood, Senator Hoyle, and Senator Warren.

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Wednesday, May 15, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

INTRODUCTION OF A RESOLUTION

A joint resolution filed for introduction is presented to the Senate, read the first time, and disposed of, as follows:

By Senator Rand:

S.J.R. 6, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2002 EXTRA SESSION.

Referred to **Redistricting Committee**.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on today's Calendar are taken up and disposed of, as follows:

S.B. 2 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO ISSUE TEMPORARY ORDERS, GUIDELINES, AND DIRECTIVES FOR THE 2002 PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS AND RELATING TO OTHER ELECTIONS THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT.

Senator Rand offers Amendment No. 1 which is adopted (43-1).

Senator Foxx offers Amendment No. 2.

Senator Webster offers Amendment No. 3, a substitute for Amendment No. 2.

Senator Webster subsequently withdraws Amendment No. 3.

Amendment No. 2 fails of adoption (13-31).

Senator Shaw of Guilford offers Amendment No. 4, which fails of adoption (13-31).

Senator Hagan offers Amendment No. 5 which is adopted (44-0).

The Committee Substitute bill, as amended, passes its second reading by a three-fifths

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majority vote, ayes 32, noes 12, as follows:

Voting in the affirmative: Albertson, Ballance, Basnight, Carter, Clodfelter, Cunningham, Dalton, Dannelly, Garrou, Gulley, Hagan, Harris, Horton, Kinnaird, Lee, Lucas, Martin of Guilford, Martin of Pitt, Metcalf, Miller, Odom, Plyler, Purcell, Rand, Reeves, Robinson, Shaw of Cumberland, Soles, Swindell, Thomas, Weinstein and Wellons—32.

Voting in the negative: Allran, Ballantine, Berger, Bingham, Carrington, Forrester, Foxx, Hartsell, Moore, Rucho, Shaw of Guilford, and Webster—12.

The Committee Substitute bill, as amended, passes its third reading by a three-fifths majority vote, ayes 32, noes 12, as follows:

Voting in the affirmative: Albertson, Ballance, Basnight, Carter, Clodfelter, Cunningham, Dalton, Dannelly, Garrou, Gulley, Hagan, Harris, Kinnaird, Lee, Lucas, Martin of Guilford, Martin of Pitt, Metcalf, Miller, Odom, Plyler, Purcell, Rand, Reeves, Robinson, Rucho, Shaw of Cumberland, Soles, Swindell, Thomas, Weinstein and Wellons—32.

Voting in the negative: Allran, Ballantine, Berger, Bingham, Carrington, Forrester, Foxx, Hartsell, Horton, Moore, Shaw of Guilford, and Webster—12.

The Committee Substitute bill as amended, is ordered engrossed and sent to the House of Representatives by special message.

MESSAGES TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Without objection, upon motion of Senator Rand, all bills ordered sent to the House of Representatives during the Extra Session will be sent by special message.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Thomas, the Senate adjourns at 3:44 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Friday, May 17, 2002, at 11:00 A.M.

FOURTH DAY

Senate Chamber Friday, May 17, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Marc Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Gracious God, from my experience with the Senate family and what I think I know about your ways, praying at the Well of the Senate for a specific outcome may be just as frustrating to your purpose as trying to figure out that outcome or when it will be achieved.

"But when Holy Scripture says, 'Let us not provoke one another and be kind and forgiving to one another', the words are surely not directed to the joyful people at a family reunion or the celebrants at a wedding reception!

"They are words that offer hope in the difficult process of bringing order out of chaos and peace out of disharmony.

"Today, help us to be kind, forgiving, not provoking one another. For if we live in the spirit of God, let us walk in that spirit. Amen."

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The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Carpenter, Senator Forrester, Senator Garwood, Senator Hoyle, Senator Martin of Pitt, Senator Rucho, Senator Soles, and Senator Warren.

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of yesterday, Thursday, May 16, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

The Senate recesses at 11:16 A.M. for the purpose of a Redistricting Committee meeting to reconvene at 2:00 P.M.

RECESS

The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by Honorable Marc Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*.

The Chair grants leaves of absence for the remainder of today's session to Senator Berger, Senator Carter and Senator Gulley.

Upon the appearance of Senator Martin of Pitt in the Chamber, the Chair acknowledges his presence and the leave of absence granted previously is withdrawn.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

A bill is reported from a standing committee, read by its title, together with the report accompanying it, and takes its place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Senator Miller for the Redistricting Committee:

S.B. 5, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SENATORIAL DISTRICTS AND TO APPORTION SEATS IN THE SENATE AMONG DISTRICTS, with an unfavorable report as to bill, but favorable as to Committee Substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 45.1, the proposed Committee Substitute bill 6788 is adopted and engrossed.

Pursuant to Senate Rule 40 of the 2002 Extra Session, the Committee Substitute bill is placed on today's calendar for immediate consideration.

Senator Clodfelter announces a pair vote. If Senator Berger were present, he would vote "no"; Senator Clodfelter votes "aye".

Senator Lee announces a pair vote. If Senator Rucho were present, he would vote "no"; Senator Lee votes "aye".

Senator Shaw of Guilford announces a pair vote. If Senator Hoyle were present, he would vote "aye"; Senator Shaw of Guilford votes "no".

The Committee Substitute bill passes its second reading (26-9) and remains on today's calendar for third reading.

The Senate recesses at 2:22 P.M. to reconvene at 4:30 P.M.

RECESS

The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by The Honorable Marc Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*.

The Chair grants a leave of absence for the remainder of today's session to Senator Harris.

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SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A special message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting a bill which is read the first time and disposed of, as follows:

H.B. 4 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH HOUSE DISTRICTS.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, the Committee Substitute bill is placed before the Senate for immediate consideration.

Senator Miller offers Amendment No.1 which is adopted (28-9).

Senator Carrington announces a pair vote. If Senator Gulley were present, he would vote "aye"; Senator Carrington votes "no".

Senator Bingham announces a pair vote. If Senator Hoyle were present, he would vote "aye"; Senator Bingham votes "no".

Senator Hartsell announces a pair vote. If Senator Harris were present, he would vote "ave"; Senator Hartsell votes "no".

Senator Wellons announces a pair vote. If Senator Shaw of Guilford were present, he would vote "no"; Senator Wellons votes "aye".

Senator Lee announces a pair vote. If Senator Rucho were present, he would vote "no"; Senator Lee votes "aye".

Senator Clodfelter announces a pair vote. If Senator Berger were present, he would vote "no"; Senator Clodfelter votes "aye".

Senator Kinnaird announces a pair vote. If Senator Forrester were present, he would vote "no"; Senator Kinnaird votes "aye".

The Committee Substitute bill, as amended, passes its second (24-6) and third readings and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives by special message for concurrence in Senate Amendment No. 1.

WITHDRAWAL FROM CALENDAR

S.B. 5 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SENATORIAL DISTRICTS AND TO APPORTION SEATS IN THE SENATE AMONG DISTRICTS, upon third reading.

Senator Miller offers a motion that the Committee Substitute bill be withdrawn from today's calendar and re-referred to the Redistricting Committee, which motion prevails with unanimous consent.

The Chair orders the Committee Substitute bill withdrawn from today's calendar, and re-refers the measure to the Redistricting Committee.

Upon motion of Senator Ballance, seconded by Senator Foxx, the Senate adjourns subject to ratification of bills, to meet Tuesday, May 21, at 4:00 P.M.

ENROLLED BILLS

The Enrolling Clerk reports the following bill duly ratified for presentation to the Governor:

H.B. 4, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH HOUSE DISTRICTS.

Pursuant to Senator Ballance's motion to adjourn having prevailed, the Senate adjourns at 7:20 P.M.

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FIFTH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, May 21, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, everyone of us in this room recognizes the term, 'When the writing is on the wall', and it's safe to say we've all tried to edit that writing or explain it away or even erase it in an attempt to accommodate our personal comfort zones.

"But rather than denying such a communication we might be better off embracing it, because writing on the wall may be as close to a burning bush, a revelation from you, O God, as we will ever know.

"Today and in the days ahead, help us to be attentive to your holy communication. Amen."

The Chair grants a leave of absence for today to Senator Bingham, Senator Garwood, and Senator Metcalf.

Senator Basnight, President Pro Tempore, announces that the Journal of Friday, May 17, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

CHAPTERED BILL

The Enrolling Clerk reports the following bill properly enrolled, assigned the following Chapter Number, and presented to the Office of the Secretary of State:

H.B. 4, AN ACT TO ESTABLISH HOUSE DISTRICTS. (Became law upon approval of the Governor, May 20, 2002-S.L. 2002-1-Extra Session).

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A special message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting a bill which is read the first time and disposed of, as follows:

H.B. 3 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DEFER UNTIL THE GENERAL ELECTION THE VOTE ON A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT. Referred to Redistricting Committee.

WITHDRAWAL FROM CLERK'S OFFICE

S.B. 3, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SENATE DISTRICTS, ordered held in the Office of the Principal Clerk on Wednesday, May 15, pending referral to committee.

Senator Rand, Chairman of the Rules and Operations of the Senate Committee, announces the referral of the bill to the Redistricting Committee.

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The Senate recesses at 4:20 P.M. for the purpose of a Redistricting Committee meeting to reconvene at 4:30 P.M.

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The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly Eaves Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Bills are reported from a standing committee, read by their titles, together with the reports accompanying them, and take their place on the Calendar, as follows:

By Senator Miller for the Redistricting Committee:

H.B. 3 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DEFER UNTIL THE GENERAL ELECTION THE VOTE ON A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT, with a favorable report.

Pursuant to Rule 40 of the 2002 Extra Session, the Committee Substitute bill is placed on today's calendar.

S.B. 3, A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO ESTABLISH SENATE DISTRICTS, with an unfavorable report as to bill, but favorable as to Committee Substitute bill.

Pursuant to Rule 45.1, the proposed Committee Substitute bill 3978, which changes the title to read **S.B. 3** (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CORRECT 2002 HOUSE DISTRICTS, is adopted and engrossed.

Pursuant to Rule 40 of the 2002 Extra Session, the Committee Substitute bill is placed on today's calendar.

CALENDAR

Bills and resolutions on today's Calendar are taken up and disposed of, as follows:

H.B. 3 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO DEFER UNTIL THE GENERAL ELECTION THE VOTE ON A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT, placed earlier on today's calendar.

The Committee Substitute bill passes its second reading by a three-fifths majority vote, ayes 38, noes 0, as follows:

Voting in the affirmative: Senators Albertson, Allran, Ballance, Ballantine, Basnight, Carpenter, Carter, Clodfelter, Cunningham, Dalton, Dannelly, Forrester, Foxx, Garrou, Gulley, Hagan, Harris, Hartsell, Horton, Kerr, Kinnaird, Lee, Lucas, Martin of Guilford, Miller, Odom, Plyler, Purcell, Rand, Reeves, Robinson, Soles, Swindell, Thomas, Warren, Webster, Weinstein and Wellons—38.

Voting in the negative: None.

The Committee Substitute bill passes its third reading by a three-fifths majority vote, ayes 39, noes 0, as follows:

Voting in the affirmative: Senators Albertson, Allran, Ballance, Ballantine, Basnight, Carpenter, Carter, Clodfelter, Cunningham, Dalton, Dannelly, Forrester, Foxx, Garrou, Gulley, Hagan, Harris, Hartsell, Horton, Hoyle, Kerr, Kinnaird, Lee, Lucas, Martin of

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Guilford, Miller, Odom, Plyler, Purcell, Rand, Reeves, Robinson, Soles, Swindell, Thomas, Warren, Webster, Weinstein and Wellons—39.

Voting in the negative: None.

The Committee Substitute bill is ordered enrolled.

S.B. 3 (Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO CORRECT 2002 HOUSE DISTRICTS, placed earlier on today's calendar.

The Committee Substitute bill passes its second reading by electronic vote, ayes 31, noes 8, as follows:

Voting in the affirmative: Senators Albertson, Ballance, Basnight, Carter, Clodfelter, Cunningham, Dalton, Dannelly, Garrou, Gulley, Hagan, Harris, Hoyle, Kerr, Kinnaird, Lee, Lucas, Martin of Guilford, Miller, Odom, Plyler, Purcell, Rand, Reeves, Robinson, Soles, Swindell, Thomas, Warren, Weinstein and Wellons—31.

Voting in the negative: Senators Allran, Ballantine, Carpenter, Forrester, Foxx, Hartsell, Horton and Webster—8.

The Committee Substitute bill passes its third reading by electronic vote, ayes 31, noes 8, as follows:

Voting in the affirmative: Senators Albertson, Ballance, Basnight, Carter, Clodfelter, Cunningham, Dalton, Dannelly, Garrou, Gulley, Hagan, Harris, Hoyle, Kerr, Kinnaird, Lee, Lucas, Martin of Guilford, Miller, Odom, Plyler, Purcell, Rand, Reeves, Robinson, Soles, Swindell, Thomas, Warren, Weinstein and Wellons—31.

Voting in the negative: Senators Allran, Ballantine, Carpenter, Forrester, Foxx, Hartsell, Horton and Webster—8.

The Committee Substitute bill is ordered sent to the House of Representatives by special message.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Lucas, the Senate adjourns subject to ratification of bills, to meet Thursday, May 23, 2002, at 10:00 A.M.

ENROLLED BILLS

The Enrolling Clerk reports the following bills duly ratified, properly enrolled and presented to the Office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 3 AN ACT TO CORRECT 2002 HOUSE DISTRICTS.

H.B. 3 AN ACT TO DEFER UNTIL THE GENERAL ELECTION THE VOTE ON A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT.

Pursuant to Senator Basnight's motion to adjourn having prevailed, the Senate adjourns at 6:47 P.M.

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The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

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Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Almighty God, this special session on Redistricting is a microcosm of what goes on in our personal lives.

"Sometimes we can't possibly know where an action will ultimately take us, we just know something has to be done.

"You ask us to redraw the maps on our faith journey every day. Will you help us today? Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Carpenter, Senator Forrester, Senator Garwood, and Senator Hoyle.

Senator Purcell announces that the Journal of Tuesday, May 21, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

CHAPTERED BILLS

The Enrolling Clerk reports the following bills properly enrolled, assigned the following Chapter Numbers, and presented to the Office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 3, AN ACT TO CORRECT 2002 HOUSE DISTRICTS. (Became law upon ratification, May 21, 2002–S.L. 2002-2-Extra Session).

H.B. 3, AN ACT TO DEFER UNTIL THE GENERAL ELECTION THE VOTE ON A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT. (Became law upon ratification, May 21, 2002–S.L. 2002-3-Extra Session).

Upon motion of Senator Wellons, seconded by Senator Harris, the Senate adjourns at 10:08 A.M. to meet tomorrow, Friday, May 24, 2002, at 10:00 A.M.

SEVENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Friday, May 24, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"We pray today, O God, for the safety of all those who travel and vacation during this Memorial Day weekend.

"We also pray that you honor the memory of so many heroes who have stood and now stand on the wall to protect our nation.

"Your ways are not our ways, but we would pray for peace in a world so disparate and desperate that violence is used as the voice of discontent. Beat those swords into plowshares. In your Holy Name we pray, Amen."

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The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Garwood and Senator Hoyle.

Senator Miller announces that the Journal of yesterday, Thursday, May 23, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Senator Miller offers a motion that Rule 20 be suspended, which motion prevails.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, the Senate adjourns at 10:06 A.M. to meet Tuesday, May 28, at 4:00 P.M.

EIGHTH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, May 28, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, it seems that having the Special Session on Redistricting unresolved creates some uneasiness in the Senate family where they already have so much to do.

"We pray for the judge in his deliberations and pray that a resolution will soon be forthcoming. Guide the whole process and calm the waters of tension that exist. In your Holy Name we pray, Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Garwood, Senator Hartsell, and Senator Metcalf.

Senator Forrester announces that the Journal of Friday, May 24, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Carpenter, seconded by Senator Garrou, the Senate adjourns at 4:05 P.M. to meet Thursday, May 30, at 4:00 P.M.

NINTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, May 30, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

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"Dear Lord, a recent statement made by one of the Senators in a discussion about Redistricting was most encouraging. He said that though the new lines may not work to his benefit, he was still committed to serve his constituents, old and new, with the same commitment of purpose in behalf of their best interests.

"You can never draw boundaries that inhibit that kind of attitude and care-giving. Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Garwood and Senator Reeves.

Senator Swindell announces that the Journal of Tuesday, May 28, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Kinnaird, seconded by Senator Berger, the Senate adjourns at 4:05 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Friday, May 31, at 4:00 P.M.

TENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Friday, May 31, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Though this is the official session of the Senate on May 31, O God, the few of us gathered here this afternoon feel like the Israelites at the foot of Mount Sinai.

"From the fire and smoke we see at the top of the distant mountain, we're sure that there are some important happenings going on there instead of here.

" I guess the most productive things we can do are pray and wait. Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Garwood and Senator Reeves.

Senator Odom announces that the Journal of yesterday, May 30, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

PERSONAL PRIVILEGE

With unanimous consent, upon motion of Senator Purcell, the remarks of Senator Odom who rises to a point of personal privilege, are spread upon the Journal, as follows:

"We failed to note Robert E. Lee's great farewell address to the Army.

"Farewell to the Army of Northern Virginia by Robert E. Lee.

" 'After four years of arduous service, marked by unsurpassed courage and fortitude, the Army of Northern Virginia has been compelled to yield to overwhelming numbers and resources.

" 'I need not tell the survivors of so many hard-fought battles who have remained

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steadfast to the end that I have consented to this result from no distrust to them; but feeling that valor and devotion could accomplish nothing that could compensate for the loss that would have attended the continuance of the contest, I determined to avoid the useless sacrifice of those whose past services have endeared them to their countrymen. By the terms of the agreement, officers and men can return to their homes and remain there until exchanged.

"'You may take with you the satisfaction that proceeds from the consciousness of duty faithfully performed, and I earnestly pray that a merciful God will extend to you his blessings and protection.

" 'With an unceasing admiration of your constancy and devotion to your country, and a grateful remembrance of your kind and generous consideration of myself, I bid you all an affectionate farewell.'"

Upon motion of Senator Purcell, seconded by Senator Odom, the Senate adjourns at 4:05 P.M. to meet Monday, June 3, at 7:30 P.M.

ELEVENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, June 3, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"You remember how my grandfather loved politics and taught me to value the political process.

"After serving as an active member in the High Point Township Democratic Party and living out his vocational life in law enforcement, he was rewarded for his hard work and loyalty when President Kennedy appointed him United States Marshall for the middle district of our State.

"He served well and with enthusiasm until Richard Nixon won the Presidency. Nixon replaced my grandfather with a Republican Marshall who I'm sure, had also served his party well.

"I never heard my grandfather say an unkind word about the political process that blessed him but then blessed another instead of him. He didn't like every outcome but it was the way the political process worked.

"I am grateful for people like my grandfather and these Senators who choose to serve in the highly charged political process with honor but without malice. Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for tonight to Senator Carter, Senator Garwood, and Senator Martin of Pitt.

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of Friday, May 31, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Robinson, the Senate adjourns at 7:22 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Tuesday, June 4, at 2:15 P.M.

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TWELFTH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, June 4, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Almighty God, this special session on Redistricting is a microcosm of what goes on in our personal lives.

"Sometimes we can't possibly know where an action will ultimately take us, we just know something has to be done.

"You ask us to redraw the maps on our faith journey every day. Will you help us today? Amen."

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Monday, June 3, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Garwood, the Senate adjourns at 2: 20 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Wednesday, June 5, at 2:30 P.M.

THIRTEENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Wednesday, June 5, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, during this Special Session we've prayed sincerely over Redistricting. "Today, I simply pray that you would bless every district in our State with some much needed rain. The drought has been hard on all of us.

"It would raise our spirits, help our farmers, our economy, and the people who need the crops we grow in North Carolina.

"Bless us through your Creation, O God. Give us some rain. Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Horton and Senator Weinstein.

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Tuesday, June 4, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Wellons, the Senate adjourns at 2:31 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Thursday, June 6, at 10:30 A.M.

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FOURTEENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, June 6, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, I had never thought about it exactly this way until someone pointed out that Noah must have been braver and more faithful than we could ever have imagined having sailed that wooden ark with a male and female termite as passengers.

"I guess if we have a job without some aggravation, we really don't have a job at all. Give us bravery and faith for our jobs today. Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Garwood and Senator Horton.

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Wednesday, June 5, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Wellons, the Senate adjourns at 10:40 A.M. to meet Monday, June 10, at 6:45 P.M.

FIFTEENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, June 10, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, I think we understand what he meant when an English philosopher once said, 'I never make predictions and I never will.'

"Sometimes we are living paradoxes. The witness of our words is only as good as the witness of our actions.

"Help us this week, so that our words and actions might work in concert. To your glory, Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for tonight to Senator Basnight, Senator Garwood, Senator Moore, Senator Warren and Senator Weinstein.

Senator Ballance, Deputy President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of Thursday, June 6, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Ballance, seconded by Senator Plyler, the Senate adjourns at

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6:53 P.M. in memory of Mrs. Lessie Tillet, mother-in-law of Senator Basnight, to meet tomorrow Tuesday, June 11, at 2:15 P.M.

SIXTEENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, June 11, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, we remember that Bibles are given to each Senator. Many of them study the scriptures in their personal devotions or refer to their guidance for important ethical decisions made in this place.

"Remind us that 'If we believe what we like in Holy Scripture but reject what we don't like, it is not Holy Scripture we believe, but ourselves.'* Let the truth be found in scriptures that guide us daily. In your Holy Name we pray, Amen."

*Taken from St. Augustine

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Harris and Senator Warren.

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Monday, June 10, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Lee, the Senate adjourns at 2:55 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Wednesday, June 12, at 2:15 P.M.

SEVENTEENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Wednesday, June 12, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Thank you, O God, as we asked in our prayer ninety to ninety-five minutes ago, for being present at the beginning of the budget debate even though there are polite differing opinions. Help us, O God, that we may serve you with each day the gladness of children, recognize that every moment of life is wonderful and a precious gift from you. Help us to live accordingly. Amen."

The Chair grants a leave of absence for today to Senator Basnight, Senator Hagan, Senator Martin of Pitt and Senator Warren.

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Senator Ballance, Deputy President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Tuesday, June 11, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Ballance, seconded by Senator Kerr, the Senate adjourns at 3:36 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Thursday, June 13, at 9:30 A.M.

EIGHTEENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, June 13, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Comforting God, as the Senate ends their work this week, may the time away offer renewal of strength, fresh vision, and God-directed words to be used upon their return on Monday. Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Basnight, Senator Berger, Senator Garwood, Senator Gulley, Senator Hagan, Senator Hoyle, Senator Martin of Pitt, Senator Rucho and Senator Warren.

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of yesterday, Wednesday, June 12, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Garrou, the Senate adjourns at 9:36 A.M. to meet Monday, June 17, at 7:00 P.M.

NINETEENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, June 17, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"O God, we have learned from our fathers and mothers and from our own experience that you are a God of love and mercy, of order and beauty. For those gifts we thank you.

"At the same time that we offer thanksgiving, we also admit our perplexity at the unevenness of our existence. We are confused as to what you let happen and what you personally arrange, like the drought in our State and the terrorist attacks on our country.

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"Since we will never know, or could not comprehend the answer to that question, this week in the Senate we pray for more grace than knowledge; grace that when there is conflict we may endure and grace that when there is accomplishment we may experience joy.

"So, if you will not tell us what just happens or what you personally arrange, hold us together by your grace. Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for tonight to Senator Harris and Senator Thomas.

Senator Ballance, Deputy President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of Thursday, June 13, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Wellons, the Senate adjourns at 7:00 P.M. to meet Thursday, June 20, at 10:00 A.M.

TWENTIETH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, June 20, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Tony Rand, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Honorable Virginia Foxx, Senator from Watauga County as follows:

"There are no more eloquent prayers than those of the Psalms. On Thursdays I head to the mountains as soon as I can and I thought this Psalm would be appropriate for today.

"I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills, from whence cometh my help. My help cometh from the Lord, which made heaven and earth. He will not suffer thy foot to be moved: he that keepeth thee will not slumber. Behold, he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep. The Lord is thy keeper: the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand. The sun shall not smite thee by day, nor the moon by night. The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil: he shall preserve thy soul. The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in from this time forth, and even for evermore.* Amen."

*Taken from Psalm 121: King James Version.

The Chair grants a leave of absence for today to Senator Warren.

Senator Albertson announces that the Journal of Monday, June 17, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, seconded by Senator Weinstein, the Senate adjourns at 10:03 A.M. to meet Monday, June 24, at 7:00 P.M.

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TWENTY-FIRST DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, June 24, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Gracious God, Giver of every gift, support us now as we begin a new week in the Senate. Scripture reminds us that 'Where there is envy and self-ambition, there is also disorder.'* We don't need that, 'But where your wisdom abounds, there is evidence of peace, a willingness to yield, mercy and good fruits.'* That we can use.

"Help us to move through this week with true wisdom and to be grateful for what you have given us. Amen."

*Quote James 3:16-18.

The Chair grants a leave of absence for tonight to Senator Hagan.

Senator Ballance, Deputy President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of Thursday, June 20, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Ballance, seconded by Senator Reeves, the Senate adjourns at 7:02 P.M. to meet Thursday, June 27, at 10:00 A.M.

TWENTY-SECOND DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, June 27, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, sometimes the greatest progress is not that which is recognized and quantifiable but that which is made in our hearts and minds. Thank you for all the ways in which progress has been made this week in the Senate, seen and unseen. To your glory, Amen."

Senator Plyler announces that the Journal of Monday, June 24, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Garwood, seconded by Senator Kerr, the Senate adjourns at 10:02 A.M. to meet Monday, July 1, at 7:00 P.M.

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TWENTY-THIRD DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, July 1, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, Moses was raised in a palace to live eventually in the desert. Joseph was raised in the desert to eventually live in a palace. This Senate Chamber may seem like a palace on some days but like the desert on others.

"Being successful, as Moses and Joseph proved, is not a matter of geography, but of being faithful to your guidance and call of service. So this week, help us to that end we pray. Amen."

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of Thursday, June 27, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Odom, the Senate adjourns at 7:10 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Tuesday, July 2, at 2:00 P.M.

TWENTY-FOURTH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, July 2, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, take grand intentions we have in mind today and turn them into small deeds done one at a time in service to you and to others. Amen."

Senator Ballance, Deputy President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Monday, July 1, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Rand, the Senate adjourns at 2:14 P.M. to meet Thursday, July 4, at 8:30 A.M.

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TWENTY-FIFTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, July 4, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by E. Wayne White, Staff Member in the Senate Principal Clerk's office, as follows:

"Look with pity, O heavenly Father, upon the people in this land who live with injustice, terror, disease, and death as their constant companions. Have mercy upon us. Help us to eliminate our cruelty to these our neighbors. Strengthen those who spend their lives establishing equal protection of the law and equal opportunities for all. And grant that every one of us may enjoy a fair portion of the riches of this land; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen." *

*Taken from the Episcopal Church Book of Common Prayer.

Senator Lee announces that the Journal of Tuesday, July 2, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Lucas, seconded by Senator Lee, the Senate adjourns at 8:31 A.M. to meet Monday, July 8, at 7:00 P.M.

TWENTY-SIXTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, July 8, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Our Lord and God, as we begin a new week in the Senate, guard us from making premature judgments about people or major decisions that must be made.

"Premature judgments can happen in the committee room, the lunchroom, in our own living rooms. It can happen with friends, foes, and family.

"So, help us to listen with hearts and minds before giving answers so that we are able to make judgments as you have taught us, with equal amounts of justice and mercy. Amen."

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of Thursday, July 4, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Soles, the Senate adjourns at 7:07 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Tuesday, July 9, at 2:00 P.M.

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Senate Chamber Tuesday, July 9, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Our Heavenly Father, we remember that there is scriptural foundation for praying two prayers in public within a five-minute time frame, much like we are doing today with two sessions going on concurrently.

"The first prayer was offered by a Pharisee, a religious leader who prayed, 'I thank God that I am not greedy and dishonest like everyone else. I thank you, God, that I am not like the Tax Collector over there. I fast two days a week and I give generously to the Temple.'

"The Tax Collector, his face buried in his hands, prayed the second prayer, 'God, have pity on me, a sinner'.

"Which way do we pray, O God? Amen."

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Monday, July 8, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Lee, the Senate adjourns at 2:05 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Wednesday, July 10, at 12:00 Noon.

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Senate Chamber Wednesday, July 10, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, so many voices call the Senators, so many paths offer roads to travel, important decisions keep them awake at night. Through intricate issues more like a maze, guide them with pure motives and understanding of the consequences of their decisions, until they feel freed by the power of your spirit to move forward. In your Holy Name we pray, Amen."

Senator Ballance, Deputy President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Tuesday, July 9, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Ballance, seconded by Senator Robinson, the Senate adjourns at 12:10 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Thursday, July 11, at 10:00 A.M.

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Senate Chamber Thursday, July 11, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Heavenly Father, just as the dry earth soaks in the much needed rains you have blessed us with last night and today, our souls long for the wellspring of your spirit to be poured out on us in all that we undertake this day. We also ask that you give the Lieutenant Governor, Senators, and staff a safe and restful weekend. Amen."

Senator Hoyle announces that the Journal of yesterday, Wednesday, July 10, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Weinstein, seconded by Senator Carter, the Senate adjourns at 10:07 A.M. to meet Monday, July 15, at 7:00 P.M.

THIRTIETH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, July 15, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"God of Grace, Albert Schweitzer once said, 'One thing I know, the only ones among you who will be really happy are those who will have sought and found how to serve.'

"The men and women in this Chamber are first and foremost servants of the people of our State. If need be, restore to them the joy and happiness of that calling to serve. Amen."

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of Thursday, July 11, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Metcalf, the Senate adjourns subject to receipt of messages from the House of Representatives, to meet tomorrow, Tuesday, July 16, at 10:00 A.M.

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

A special message is received from the House of Representatives transmitting a bill which is read the first time and disposed of, as follows:

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S.B. 2 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SET THE DATE FOR THE 2002 PRIMARY AS SEPTEMBER 10, 2002, TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO ISSUE TEMPORARY ORDERS, GUIDELINES, AND DIRECTIVES FOR THE 2002 PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS, TO PROVIDE THAT IN 2002 ONLY THERE SHALL NOT BE A SECOND PRIMARY, AND RELATING TO OTHER ELECTIONS THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT, for concurrence in the House Committee Substitute bill.

The House Committee Substitute bill is placed on the Calendar for Tuesday, July 16.

Pursuant to Senator Basnight's motion to adjourn having prevailed, the Senate adjourns at 8:17 P.M.

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Senate Chamber Tuesday, July 16, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Loving God, while listening to Senator Garrou's 'motherly' advice to us last night about driving safely, I was reminded of a passage of scripture that speaks in a decidedly motherly and nuturing way. It goes: 'O Jerusalem, Jerusalem, how often I have yearned to gather your children around me, as a hen gathering her chicks under her wings.' (Matthew 23:37-38).

"In the patriarchal world as in which Scripture was written, that was an unheard of kind of reference, especially since it was you, O God, who spoke it. Thank you for the comfort we receive from such mothering, nurturing expressions of care, the Senators and yours. Amen."

The Chair grants leaves of absence for today to Senator Ballance, Senator Carrington, and Senator Shaw of Cumberland.

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Monday, July 15, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

CALENDAR

A bill on today's Calendar is taken up and disposed of, as follows:

S.B. 2 (House Committee Substitute), A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT TO SET THE DATE FOR THE 2002 PRIMARY AS SEPTEMBER 10, 2002, TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO ISSUE TEMPORARY ORDERS, GUIDELINES, AND DIRECTIVES FOR THE 2002 PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS, TO PROVIDE THAT IN 2002 ONLY THERE SHALL NOT BE A SECOND PRIMARY, AND RELATING TO OTHER ELECTIONS THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT, for concurrence in the House Committee Substitute bill.

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The Senate concurs in the House Committee Substitute bill (44-0) and the measure is ordered enrolled and sent to the Governor by special message.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Foxx, the Senate adjourns subject to ratification of bills, to meet tomorrow, Wednesday, July 17, at 2:00 P.M.

ENROLLED BILLS

The Enrolling Clerk reports the following bill duly ratified for presentation to the Governor:

S.B. 2, AN ACT TO SET THE DATE FOR THE 2002 PRIMARY AS SEPTEMBER 10, 2002, TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO ISSUE TEMPORARY ORDERS, GUIDELINES, AND DIRECTIVES FOR THE 2002 PRIMARIES AND ELECTIONS, TO PROVIDE THAT IN 2002 ONLY THERE SHALL NOT BE A SECOND PRIMARY, AND RELATING TO OTHER ELECTIONS THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT.

Pursuant to Senator Basnight's motion to adjourn having prevailed, the Senate adjourns at 10:20 A.M.

THIRTY-SECOND DAY

Senate Chamber Wednesday, July 17, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, in the busy world of the Senate, we're accustomed to praying for only about forty-five seconds or so each day. Maybe the Rabbi who said, 'There's a time to be brief in prayer and a time to be lengthy.', understood the time constraints that go on here.

"So when our forty-five seconds are up and we have to stop praying with words, teach us how to let the living of our life be itself a prayer offered to you and others. In your Holy Name we pray, Amen."

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Tuesday, July 16, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

CHAPTERED BILL

The Enrolling Clerk reports the following bill properly enrolled, assigned the following Chapter Number, and presented to the Office of the Secretary of State:

S.B. 2, ACT TO SET THE DATE FOR THE 2002 PRIMARY AS SEPTEMBER 10, 2002, TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS TO ISSUE TEMPORARY ORDERS, GUIDELINES, AND DIRECTIVES FOR THE 2002 PRIMARIES AND

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ELECTIONS, TO PROVIDE THAT IN 2002 ONLY THERE SHALL NOT BE A SECOND PRIMARY, AND RELATING TO OTHER ELECTIONS THAT HAD BEEN ON THE 2002 PRIMARY BALLOT. (Became law upon approval of the Governor, July 16, 2002–S.L. 2002-21-Extra Session.)

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Soles, the Senate adjourns at 2:08 A.M. to meet tomorrow, Thursday, July 18, at 10:00 A.M.

THIRTY-THIRD DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, July 18, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"After the resolution of a difference of opinion, whether a small disagreement or a long-suffering debate, we ask that you give us the grace and strength to move on. We don't deny that we have left a meaningful part of us behind, but pray that in resolution you use us with renewed strength as wounded healers for others.

"Thank you for making all things new by your grace and mercy. Amen."

Senator Clodfelter announces that the Journal of yesterday, Wednesday, July 17, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Dannelly, seconded by Senator Shaw of Guilford, the Senate adjourns at 10:09 A.M. to meet Monday, July 22, at 7:00 P.M.

THIRTY-FOURTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, July 22, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Marc Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, we begin another week in the Senate with word that the Stock Market fell again today, exacerbating the already difficult issues that face our State and these Senators.

"When we are tempted to fall prey to the gloomy side of life and our own human nature, take the quit out of us and remind us of your words of encouragement from the Book of Lamentations. They read: 'The steadfast love of the Lord never ceases, God's

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mercies never come to an end; they are new every morning. The Lord is my portion, therefore I will hope in God.' (Lamentations 3:22-27)

"That's a much better frame of mind from which to conduct the personal and corporate business before us this week. Help us, we pray. Amen."

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of Thursday, July 18, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Odom, the Senate adjourns at 7:10 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Tuesday, July 23, at 2:00 P.M.

THIRTY-FIFTH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, July 23, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Marc Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"God of all Nations and peoples, while watching the Lao-Hmong ladies performing their dances so beautifully and enthusiastically last night, I was reminded of a story about King David. It is said that he danced before the Lord with all his might in celebration of a victory over the Philistines.

"Whoever said dancing isn't Scriptural, hasn't read the Scriptures. In the North Carolina culture, whether it's in response to Gospel, Blue Grass, or Beach music, there is a healthy, healing dance in all of us. Maybe like King David, it's just a way for our heart and feet trying to express simultaneously the joy of who we are in relation to you, O God. Amen."

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of yesterday, Monday, July 22, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Garrou, the Senate adjourns at 2:03 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Wednesday, July 24, at 2:00 P.M.

THIRTY-SIXTH DAY

Senate Chamber Wednesday, July 24, 2002

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Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, the world has taught us that to have what we want is riches, but you have taught us, O God, that to be able to do without is our true source of power. If ever there was a time that we need to internalize and live out this prayer, it is now. Amen."

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of yesterday, Tuesday, July 23, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Carrington, the Senate adjourns at 2:14 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Thursday, July 25, at 11:00 A.M.

THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, July 25, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

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"So, Lord, search us and know us, lay your hand upon all that we do this day, that the words we speak and the thoughts we think are acceptable to you and to others. Amen."

*Quote by Ralph Waldo Emerson

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of yesterday, Wednesday, July 24, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Foxx, the Senate adjourns at 11:05 A.M. to meet Monday, July 29, at 7:00 P.M.

THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, July 29, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, in all the great and small decisions that we are asked to make this week, guard us from a spirit of pragmatic self-interest. Instead, be in our hearts and choosing

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that the best interests of others is always the motivation for our final choice of action. For your sake we pray, Amen."

Senator Albertson announces that the Journal of Thursday, July 25, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Hoyle, seconded by Senator Dalton, the Senate adjourns at 7:04 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Tuesday, July 30, at 9:00 A.M.

THIRTY-NINTH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, July 30, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, some of us, we confess, 'fear new experiences more than anything', because a new experience displaces so many old and comfortable experiences. But Holy Scripture says that in you 'Old things are passed away; behold all things become new.'*

"On this Tuesday, help make us comfortable with the uncomfortable, new ideas that lead us to new experiences, stretch us O God to your glory. Amen."

*Corinthinians 5:17

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of yesterday, Monday, July 29, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Wellons, the Senate adjourns at 9:20 A.M. to meet Thursday, August 1, at 10:00 A.M.

FORTIETH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, August 1, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, though this special session continues, the new Senate Districts have been approved and most campaigns have already begun.

"As the candidates embrace the new districts, may they quickly forget all the acetate overlays of proposed districts and find energy in the encounter of new people with stories

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fresh and vitalizing to their campaigns.

"We pray this prayer in your name. Amen."

Senator Kinnaird announces that the Journal of Tuesday, July 30, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Reeves, seconded by Senator Rand, the Senate adjourns at 10:10 A.M. to meet Monday, August 5, at 9:00 A.M.

FORTY-FIRST DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, August 5, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by E. Wayne White, Staff Member in the Senate Principal Clerk's Office, as follows:

"Almighty God, we thank you for making the earth fruitful, so that it might produce what is needed for life. Bless those who work in the fields; give us seasonable weather; and grant that we may all share the fruits of the earth, rejoicing in your goodness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."*

*Taken from The Common Book of Prayer of the Episcopal Church

Senator Kinnaird announces that the Journal of Thursday, August 1, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Reeves, seconded by Senator Kinnaird, the Senate adjourns at 9:10 A.M. to meet Thursday, August 8, at 9 A.M.

FORTY-SECOND DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, August 8, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Bob Inskeep, Associate Pastor, First Presbyterian Church, Raleigh, North Carolina as follows:

"Creator God, you are the God of extravagance, the God of plenty. You provided manna in the wilderness long ago and, even today, you provide our daily bread, what is

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truly needed for each day.

"We pray you will help those charged with the common good to find enough, so that each one will have bread for the day, and be provided what is truly needed to live on as one of your children.

"We pray for wisdom and courage, patience and perseverance, as the difficult process of bread slicing continues. Amen."

Senator Kinnaird announces that the Journal of Monday, August 5, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Albertson, seconded by Senator Kinnaird, the Senate adjourns at 9:11 A.M. to meet Monday, August 12, at 9:00 A.M.

FORTY-THIRD DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, August 12, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"It's not often that we are privileged to pray at 9:00 A.M. on a new week in the Senate. Let us hear again your words, choose this day whom you will serve."

"In all the great and small choices that we shall be asked to make, help us to choose wisely, all for your sake. Amen."

Senator Kinnaird announces that the Journal of Thursday, August 8, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Reeves, seconded by Senator Kinnaird, the Senate adjourns at 9:25 A.M. to meet Thursday, August 15, at 10:00 A.M.

FORTY-FOURTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, August 15, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"It is said, O God, that a kind heart is a fountain of gladness, making everything in its

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vicinity to freshen into smiles.

"I think too often we depend on others to initiate gladness in us. Today, through you, let us be a channel of blessing to others. Amen."

Senator Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of Monday, August 12, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Basnight, seconded by Senator Robinson, the Senate adjourns at 10:09 A.M. to meet Monday, August 19, at 10:00 A.M.

FORTY-FIFTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, August 19, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Almighty God, we often fight for what we believe in, our principles. But what we have learned is that it is often much easier to fight for our principles than live up to them. This week, help us to live up to your principles in our lives this week. Amen."

Senator Lucas announces that the Journal of Thursday, August 15, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, seconded by Senator Lucas, the Senate adjourns at 10:08 A.M. to meet Thursday, August 22, at 9:00 A.M.

FORTY-SIXTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, August 22, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Let the few of us gathered here today raise our collective voices and pray together the Lord's prayer:

'Our Father who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name, thy kingdom come, thy will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our

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trespasses as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil, for thine is the Kingdom and the power and the glory, forever.' Amen."

Senator Reeves announces that the Journal of Monday, August 19, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Kinnaird, seconded by Senator Purcell, the Senate adjourns at 9:04 A.M. to meet Monday, August 26, at 10:00 A.M.

FORTY-SEVENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, August 26, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"All of us gathered here this morning, O God, are grateful for the cloudy skys and forecast of rain over the next several days.

"You are merciful to respond to the parched earth and reservoirs that are dangerously low in water supply.

"May the rain remind us that when we are dry and barren in our relationship with you and others, you have the same capacity to fill us with your spirit till our lives overflow with your goodness and mercy. Amen."

Senator Reeves announces that the Journal of Thursday, August 22, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, seconded by Senator Reeves, the Senate adjourns at 10:04 A.M. to meet tomorrow, Tuesday, August 27, at 1:00 P.M.

FORTY-EIGHTH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, August 27, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Marc Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

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Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, since we are still participating in the Special Session, it is appropriate to recognize that over the next few weeks and months we'll see more yard signs and see and hear more broadcast messages as the primary elections draw near.

"We pray that the good people of our State will be persuaded not by the volume of media and marketing but by a respect for the candidates who clearly have a vision worth following.

"Seeing the ads and seeing through them are two very different approaches to recognizing the issues and voting responsibly. Amen."

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of yesterday, Monday, August 26, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

RECOGNITION OF FFA PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE TEAM

Upon motion of Senator Webster, the President *Pro Tempore* extends privileges of the floor to the Future Farmers of America Parliamentary Procedure Team from Bartlett Yancey High School in Yanceyville, 2002 State FFA Champions. The members of the team, Josh Fuqua, Sara Griffin, Quentin Hodges, Melanie Smith, Alaric Gwynn, and Lendy Yeaman, will represent North Carolina at the FFA National Finals in Kentucky.

Senator Rand offers a motion, seconded by Senator Shaw of Cumberland, that the Senate adjourn. Senator Ballantine offers a substitute motion that the Senate adjourn *sine die*, seconded by Senator Forrester, which motion fails to prevail (12-32).

Senator Rand's motion to adjourn prevails and the Senate adjourns at 2:04 P.M. to meet Friday, August 30, at 9:00 A.M.

FORTY-NINTH DAY

Senate Chamber Friday, August 30, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, Thoreau once said, 'None are so old as those who have outlived enthusiasm.' Help us to be enthusiastic in all that we do today. It is our birthright gift from you.

"We also remember Leroy Clark, our Reading Clerk, who is undergoing a surgical procedure today. We pray for a successful surgery, good prognosis, and a speedy recovery. Amen."

Senator Reeves announces that the Journal of Tuesday, August 27, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

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Senator Reeves offers a motion that Rule 20 be suspended, which motion prevails.

Upon motion of Senator Reeves, the Senate adjourns at 9:15 A.M. to meet Tuesday, September 3, at 9:00 A.M.

FIFTIETH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, September 3, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by E. Wayne White, Staff Member in the Senate Principal Clerk's office, as follows:

"Time is all too brief, words spoken to one another, precious. With visions of youth still fresh, we grow toward adulthood with grace, but we often stumble on that path, regretting what was said, what wrong we may have caused.

"This is our Lord's world. We must treat it kindly and believe in each other. Time is all to brief. Let us make these moments gentle, today. Amen."

*By Judith A. Lindberg

Senator Lucas announces that the Journal of Friday, August 30, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Odom, seconded by Senator Lucas, the Senate adjourns at 9:03 A.M. to meet Thursday, September 5, at 10:00 A.M.

FIFTY-FIRST DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, September 5, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, we'll be voting next Tuesday in the Primary Elections. Help us to be informed in mind and loyal to your beliefs when we vote for those who would lead us.

"We pray this prayer for all the people of our State who exercise the right to vote. Amen."

Senator Odom announces that the Journal of Tuesday, September 3, has been

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examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Plyler, seconded by Senator Odom, the Senate adjourns at 10:06 A.M. to meet Monday, September 9, at 9:00 A.M.

FIFTY-SECOND DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, September 9, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, most of us this week will honor the memory of the thousands who died in last September 11 attack on the World Trade Center Towers.

"We are grateful, O God, that time and your presence has a way of healing deep hurts but we pray today for the families of those who were killed.

"Over the next two days they will be called to remember last meals together, final conversations, newscasts, and in doing so their wounds, though healing, may be reopened.

"The terrorists who planned September 11 meant it for evil. Show us, dear Lord, how you can use it for good. In your Holy Name we pray, Amen."

Senator Lucas announces that the Journal of Thursday, September 5, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Reeves, seconded by Senator Swindell, the Senate adjourns at 9:12 A.M. to meet Thursday, September 12, at 9:00 A.M.

FIFTY-THIRD DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, September 12, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, the face and personality of the Senate has begun a process of change following Tuesday's Primary Elections.

"Prepare those who will be returned to this place and those who will be birthed as new

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Senators a strong sense of your presence as they move toward Election Day in November, that their service will be first and foremost God-directed. Amen."

Senator Reeves announces that the Journal of Monday, September 9, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Weinstein, seconded by Senator Carpenter, the Senate adjourns at 9:09 A.M. to meet Monday, September 16, at 6:00 P.M.

FIFTY-FOURTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, September 16, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Tony Rand, Senator from Cumberland County, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, like children who have received a wonderful gift from parents, we thank you for the refreshing gift of rain over the last four days in our State.

"When we pray to you and our prayers are answered, never let us forget as your children to offer enthusiastic prayers of gratitude for every good and perfect gift. In your name we pray, Amen."

Senator Lucas announces that the Journal of Thursday, September 12, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Albertson, seconded by Senator Dalton, the Senate adjourns at 6:02 P.M. to meet Thursday, September 19, at 10:00 A.M.

FIFTY-FIFTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, September 19, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, if we find ourselves always coveting, wishing for more, then we shall always be poor. The most fulfilled people are those who have learned to be grateful for what they have and then use their talents to your glory. Blessings follow such an attitude. Amen."

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Senator Weinstein announces that the Journal of Monday, September 16, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Robinson, seconded by Senator Bingham, the Senate adjourns at 10:02 A.M. to meet Monday, September 23, at 7:00 P.M.

FIFTY-SIXTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, September 23, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Marc Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, last week the lottery issue was defeated in the House and the budget was passed by both the Senate and the House.

"What words of encouragement do you have for what lies ahead this week? The Apostle Paul, after going through his own trials and tribulations said: 'I do not claim that I have already succeeded or become perfect. But I keep striving, forgetting what is behind me and doing my best to reach what is ahead.'

"Help us to press on toward the goal of our calling through you, O God. Amen."

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of Thursday, September 19, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Soles, the Senate adjourns at 7:16 P.M. to meet Thursday, September 26, at 10:00 A.M.

FIFTY-SEVENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, September 26, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"God, you did not make us out of some kind of cosmic cookie cutter. We are all different and differently gifted.

"Mark Twain said, 'It were not best that we should all think alike; it is differences of opinions that make horse-races.'

"Today, bless our differences, but use them all to your purpose and your glory. Amen."

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Senator Rand announces that the Journal of Monday, September 23, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Lee, the Senate adjourns at 10:11 A.M. to meet Monday, September 30, at 7:00 P.M.

FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, September 30, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, let everything we do this week in the Senate begin with your inspiration and continue with your help. If, in a moment of frustration or anger, we begin to think that everything important that happens is our personal responsibility, remind us of this prayer. We are asking that all of our work begin in you and by you be successfully ended. Amen."

Senator Rand announces that the Journal of Thursday, September 26, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Dannelly, the Senate adjourns at 7:04 P.M. to meet Thursday, October 3, at 10:00 A.M.

FIFTY-NINTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, October 3, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Marc Basnight, President *Pro Tempore*, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"In Chapter 11 of Hebrews the writer calls the roll of the heroes of faith. When the final gavel pounds the end to this session, some of the Senators will be ending long, successful, and faithful service on behalf of the people of our State.

"Lord, we pause to thank you for each of them. May they carry with them memories of their public servant hood, the good they have accomplished, and the respect of their peers.

"Bless them, O God, in their departure and God bless us all. Amen."

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Senator Ballance, Deputy President *Pro Tempore*, announces that the Journal of Monday, September 30, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Senator Ballantine offers a motion that the Senate sitting in Extra Session adjourn *sine die*, seconded by Senator Forrester.

Senator Webster calls for the ayes and noes on the motion to adjourn *sine die*. The motion fails to prevail (14-24), as follows:

Voting in the affirmative: Senators Ballantine, Bingham, Carpenter, Carrington, Cunningham, Forrester, Foxx, Harris, Hartsell, Horton, Lucas, Moore, Rucho and Webster—14.

Voting in the negative: Senators Albertson, Ballance, Basnight, Carter, Clodfelter, Dalton, Dannelly, Garrou, Hagan, Kerr, Kinnaird, Lee, Martin of Guilford, Metcalf, Miller, Plyler, Purcell, Rand, Reeves, Soles, Swindell, Thomas, Weinstein and Wellons—24.

The Senate recesses at 10:03 A.M. to reconvene at 4:00 P.M.

RECESS

The Senate meets pursuant to recess and is called to order by The Honorable Tony Rand.

Upon motion of Senator Harris, seconded by Senator Cunningham, the Senate adjourns at 4:28 P.M. to meet Monday, October 7, at 12:00 Noon.

SIXTIETH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, October 7, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"When Scripture says, 'Where two or more are gathered there I will be also.' It doesn't say anything about that meeting being official or being a quorum. It is just a promise of your presence.

"We offer a collective sigh of relief now that the 2001-2002 Regular Session of the General Assembly is over. We pray, in particular, today for the Senate Principal Clerk and her staff as they journal the proceedings of the session. Give us a sense of your presence in all that we do this week. Amen."

Senator Kinnaird announces that the Journal of Thursday, October 3, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

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INTRODUCTION OF A RESOLUTION

A joint resolution filed for introduction is presented to the Senate, read the first time, and disposed of, as follows:

By Senator Rand:

S.J.R. 7, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2002 EXTRA SESSION.

Pursuant to Rule 43, the Joint Resolution is ordered held in the Office of the Principal Clerk pending referral.

Upon motion of Senator Reeves, seconded by Senator Kinnaird, the Senate adjourns at 12:08 P.M. to meet tomorrow, Thursday, October 10, at 9:00 A.M.

SIXTY-FIRST DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, October 10, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, Henry Adams once said, 'Chaos often breeds life, when order breeds habit.'

"With some attention still being drawn to the Legislature as the Extra Session continues, we find ourselves somewhere between order and chaos; between habit and life.

"We pray today for the orderly implementation of laws already passed and for the decisions yet to be made. Living between order and chaos is by definition the call to public servant hood. Amen."

Senator Lucas announces that the Journal of Monday, October 7, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Reeves, seconded by Senator Lucas, the Senate adjourns at 9:10 A.M. to meet Monday, October 14, at 12:00 Noon.

SIXTY-SECOND DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, October 14, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

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Prayer is offered by E. Wayne White, Staff Member in the Senate Principal Clerk's office, as follows:

"Today's prayer is from the Episcopal Book of Common Prayer and it is for the men and women in our armed forces who are protecting our country in such perilous times.

"Almighty God, we commend to your gracious care and keeping all the men and women of our armed forces at home and abroad. Defend them day by day with your heavenly grace; strengthen them in their trials and temptations; give them courage to face the perils which beset them; and grant them a sense of your abiding presence wherever they may be; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

Senator Kinnaird announces that the Journal of Thursday, October 10, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Reeves, seconded by Senator Kinnaird, the Senate adjourns at 12:06 P.M. to meet Thursday, October 17, at 10:00 A.M.

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Senate Chamber Thursday, October 17, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Aaron Plyler, Senator from Union County, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, beyond the walls of the Senate Chamber there is much to pray for today. The candidates running for election in North Carolina and all over our land, the capture of the sniper who is committing random acts of violence on innocent people in the Washington D.C. Metropolitan area, Nations choosing sides in war that seems more imminent every day, and an economy that can sustain more workers. Help us to be voices of hope in a world that needs some so desperately living out that hope in our faith and trust in you. Throughout history you have rescued us from others and ourselves so often."

Senator Garwood announces that the Journal of Monday, October 14, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Rand, seconded by Senator Swindell, the Senate adjourns at 10:08 A.M. to meet Monday, October 21, at 10:00 A.M.

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Senate Chamber Monday, October 21, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Aaron Plyler, Senator from Union County, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Help us to begin this new week, O God, with an enthusiasm for our work and compassion for those with whom we work. Remembering that you have blessed each of us so much that where people's needs intersect with our gifts and talents, there you have called us to be. Here we are, Lord, Use us, to your glory. Amen."

Senator Swindell announces that the Journal of Thursday, October 17, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Weinstein, seconded by Senator Swindell, the Senate adjourns at 10:05 A.M. to meet Thursday, October 24, at 10:00 A.M.

SIXTY-FIFTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, October 24, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, we awakened this morning relieved to hear the news that two suspects have been arrested in the sniper murders.

"Sometime since the shooting began we have all wondered why there is so much hate, so much and so many irrational evil acts going on in our world. But I guess we confess that we feel helpless to right such wrongs, to offer the world a word of hope.

"We cannot do so on our own. Through our relationship with you, O God, give us the grace to imagine a world in which the instinct for evil acts is defeated by a desire to live in peace. And then let each of us live accordingly. Amen."

Senator Lee announces that the Journal of Monday, October 21, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Lucas, seconded by Senator Lee, the Senate adjourns at 10:03 A.M. to meet Monday, October 28, at 10:00 A.M.

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SIXTY-SIXTH DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, October 28, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, whether it's the Senators campaigning during this week or all of us at work, or at play, in the midst of our times of happiness this week, we ask that you be the source of our joy. In the midst of our doubt, please be our faith. In the midst of frustrations be our hope. In the midst of our fear, be our strength. In everything that we do this week we ask that you be ever present! In your Holy Name we pray, Amen."

Senator Foxx announces that the Journal of Thursday, October 24, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Swindell, seconded by Senator Foxx, the Senate adjourns at 10:03 A.M. to meet Thursday, October 31, at 9:00 A.M.

SIXTY-SEVENTH DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, October 31, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, in less than a week the people of North Carolina will have elected fifty Senators and one-hundred twenty Representatives to lead our State for two years. Other elections in our State are also very important beyond the campaign gamesmanship that has become part of the process. There are critical issues that will affect how we live for years to come.

"We pray for the people of our State that they will recognize the issues, that they may understand the importance of choosing wisely, and then do so. In your Holy Name we pray. Amen."

Senator Lucas announces that the Journal of Monday, October 28, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Kinnaird, seconded by Senator Lucas, the Senate adjourns at 9:02 A.M. to meet Monday, November 4, at 10:00 A.M.

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Senate Chamber Monday, November 4, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, today is election eve. We have prayed for the candidates and the voters who will decide the outcome. Today, our prayer moves beyond tomorrow to the days and weeks and months ahead. We pray that personal beliefs, convictions and all other factors of distinction may become causes to understand unity even in diversity and through this unity to accept differences and use them for the good of those people who may be helped. In your Holy Name we pray, Amen."

Senator Allran announces that the Journal of Thursday, October 31, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Lucas, seconded by Senator Allran, the Senate adjourns at 10:09 A.M. to meet, Friday, November 8, at 9:00 A.M.

SIXTY-NINTH DAY

Senate Chamber Friday, November 8, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, amidst all that happens to and around us, remind us to be thankful for the beauty of a crisp autumn day in Raleigh. Trees painted beautiful colors by the broad brush of your hand, for rains that have replenished our dry earth and reservoirs, for blue skies, and fresh air. Experiencing your creation in this way assures us that you, O God, still care and are wonderfully in control of our world. Amen."

Senator Reeves announces that the Journal of Monday, November 4, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Kinnaird, seconded by Senator Reeves, the Senate adjourns at 9:11 A.M. to meet Tuesday, November 12, at 9:00 A.M.

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SEVENTIETH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, November 12, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, when the few of us convene one of these sessions and a majority of the Senate family is absent, help us to do so without just going through the motions. Some long-time members are contemplating what it will be like not to be here. All the newly elected members are preparing to start a new session. And so we pray in behalf of all of these people in the Senate family, prepare the way for them and for all of us. In Your Holy Name we pray. Amen."

Senator Swindell, announces that the Journal of Friday, November 8, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Lucas, seconded by Senator Swindell, the Senate adjourns at 9:12 A.M. to meet Thursday, November 14, at 9:00 A.M.

SEVENTY-FIRST DAY

Senate Chamber Thursday, November 14, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, we want to remember in our prayer this morning all the staff throughout the legislative buildings who hear what is said in the Senate Chamber but are unable to be here.

"We are so grateful for the commendable work that you do and pray that God will bless each of you, responding to your needs, hopes and desires today and in the future. It is in your behalf that we offer this prayer today. Amen."

Senator Garwood, announces that the Journal of Tuesday, November 12, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Lucas, seconded by Senator Garwood, the Senate adjourns at 9:16 A.M. to meet Monday, November 18, at 9:00 A.M.

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SEVENTY SECOND DAY

Senate Chamber Monday, November 18, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear God, by the power of your spirit, open our eyes and our ears, our hearts, to your presence so that today we may serve you in faithfulness. We may be a blessing and a reminder of your love to all those lives that we touch. Help us to that end, we pray. Amen"

Senator Reeves, announces that the Journal of Thursday, November 14, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Kinnaird, seconded by Senator Reeves, the Senate adjourns at 9:10 A.M. to meet Wednesday, November 20, at 2:00 P.M.

SEVENTY-THIRD DAY

Senate Chamber Wednesday, November 20, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Ellie Kinnaird, Senator from Orange County, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Dear Lord, during this Thanksgiving season, though we are mindful that you have given us so much, we pray that you would give us one thing more, a thankful heart. Not thankful just when we are satisfied as if your blessing and attention to us is sporadic, but thankful everyday for the great gift of your presence in all that we do. Great are you, O God, and greatly to be praised! Amen."

Senator Rand, announces that the Journal of Monday, November 18, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

WITHDRAWAL FROM COMMITTEE

S.J.R. 6, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2002 EXTRA SESSION, referred to the **Redistricting Committee** on May 16.

Pursuant to Rule 47(a), Senator Rand offers a motion that the joint resolution be withdrawn from the **Redistricting Committee** and placed on the Calendar for Tuesday,

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November 26, which motion prevails with unanimous consent.

The Chair orders the joint resolution withdrawn from the **Redistricting Committee** and places it on the Calendar for Tuesday, November 26.

Senator Rand offers a motion that Rule 20 be suspended, which motion prevails.

Upon motion of Senator Rand the Senate adjourns at 2:12 P.M. to meet Friday, November 22, at 2:00 P.M.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DAY

Senate Chamber Friday, November 22, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Janet Pruitt, Senate Principal Clerk, who presides in the absence of the Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by E. Wayne White, Staff Member in the Senate Principal Clerk's office, as follows:

"The Lord is my pace-setter, I shall not rush. He makes me stop and rest for quiet intervals. He provides me with images of stillness, which restore my serenity. He leads me in ways of efficiency through calmness of mind. And His guidance is peace.

"Even though I have a great many things to accomplish each day, I will not fret, for His presence is here. His timelessness, His all-importance will keep me in balance. He prepares refreshment and renewal in the midst of my activity by anointing my mind with His oils of tranquility. Amen." *

*"The Nun's Twenty-Third Psalm" All Saints Convent, Cantonville, Maryland

Senator Swindell, announces that the Journal of Wednesday, November 20, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon his motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

Upon motion of Senator Kinnaird, seconded by Senator Swindell, the Senate adjourns at 2:08 P.M. to meet Tuesday, November 26, at 4:30 P.M.

SEVENTY-FIFTH DAY

Senate Chamber Tuesday, November 26, 2002

The Senate meets pursuant to adjournment and is called to order by The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, Lieutenant Governor.

Prayer is offered by The Reverend Mike Morris, Senate Chaplain, as follows:

"Almighty God, even amidst some difficult economic times, even when wars and

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rumors of war abound, we are a Nation, we are a people. Yes, every person in this Senate Chamber has been blessed beyond our deservedness.

"During this season how can we do, other than offer our thanksgivings to you, O God. But You call us to do more than offer words of gratitude, it is also your desire that we, out of our plenty visit the sick, clothe the naked, feed the hungry.

"As we celebrate our bounty help us never to lose sight of our accountability to bless others in Your name and for Your sake we pray. Amen."

Senator Kinnaird, announces that the Journal of Friday, November 22, has been examined and is found to be correct. Upon her motion, the Senate dispenses with the reading of the Journal and it stands approved as written.

CALENDAR

A joint resolution on today's Calendar is taken up and disposed of, as follows:

S.J.R. 6, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2002 EXTRA SESSION.

The joint resolution passes its second reading and third reading and is ordered sent to the House of Representatives by special message.

ENROLLED BILL

The Enrolling Clerk reports the following joint resolution duly ratified, properly enrolled, and presented to the Office of the Secretary of State:

S.J.R. 6, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2002 EXTRA SESSION. (Res. 20).

SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following special message is received from the House of Representatives:

House of Representative November 26, 2002

Madame President:

It is ordered that a message be sent your Honorable Body with the information that the House of Representatives has concluded the public business before it and pursuant to SJR 6, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2002 EXTRA SESSION, is adjourning sine die.

Respectfully, s/Denise Weeks Principal Clerk

Senator Rand offers a motion that pursuant to **S.J.R. 6**, A JOINT RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR ADJOURNMENT SINE DIE OF THE 2002 EXTRA SESSION (Res. 20), the Senate of the 2001 General Assembly sitting in Extra Session 2002, adjourn *sine die*, seconded by Senator Kinnaird, which motion prevails, with unanimous consent.

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The President of the Senate, The Honorable Beverly E. Perdue, declares the Senate of the 2001 General Assembly sitting in Extra Session 2002, adjourned at 4:52 P.M., *sine die*.

BEVERLY E. PERDUE President of the Senate

JANET B. PRUITT Principal Clerk of the Senate

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ADDENDUM

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EDITOR'S NOTES

A bill and a resolution passed second reading and were read a third time on the same day, pursuant to Senate Rule 50.

Rule 50 in the Senate Rules adopted for the Extra Session 2002 states:

"When a bill or resolution has passed its second reading, it shall be placed on the calendar for immediate consideration on its third reading, unless prohibited by Article II, Section 23 of the North Carolina Constitution."

The numerical figures which appear within parentheses throughout the Senate Journal represent the affirmative and negative votes cast and recorded electronically, pursuant to Rule 25. Copies of the voting printout are on file in the Legislative Library and the original is deposited in the Division of Archives and History of the Department of Cultural Resources.

SENATE DISTRICTS

A complete listing of the North Carolina Senatorial Districts can be found in the Addendum of the 2001 Senate Journal, Second Session 2002.

Janet B. Pruitt Principal Clerk

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EXECUTIVE ORDERS of the GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

In compliance with G.S. 150A (Art. 5) and Chapter 479 (S.B. 1 [Sec. 152]) of the 1985 Session Laws, the Office of the Governor of the State of North Carolina has filed with the Senate Principal Clerk a copy of all Executive Orders issued following adjournment of the First Session of the 2001 General Assembly on December 6, 2001.

The full text of Executive Orders 14 through 21 issued by Governor Michael F. Easley can be found in the Session Laws of the 2001 General Assembly, Regular Session 2002.

Executive Order	Title	Date of Issuance
14	North Carolina Interagency Council for Coordinating Homeless Programs.	November 28, 2001
15	To Establish the Heavy Duty Diesel Rule Effective Date.	December 21, 2001
16	Extending the North Carolina State Health Coordinating Council.	January 31, 2002
17	Commission to Promote Government Efficience and Savings on State Spending.	cy February 1, 2002
18	Commission to Modernize State Finances.	February 1, 2002
19	Classroom Protection and Orderly Budget Administration Given State of Fiscal Emergen	February 5, 2003
20	Amending Executive Order No. 84 Issued by Governor James B. Hunt, Jr. which Establishe the North Carolina Home Furnishing Export (
21	North Carolina Human Service Transportation Council.	April 22, 2002

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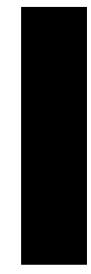
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		Person (part), Wake (part)
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Committee Assignments-		
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Bills and Resolutions—(S		
		None
Co-Sponsor		None
MACON COUNTY-Dist	rict 29—Senator	Dan Robinson
		Robert C. Carpenter
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MARTIN SENATOR R I	(BOB)	6 th District—Edgecombe (part), Martin (part)
MARTIN, DEMATOR R. I	D (D (D)	Pitt (part), Washington (part), Wilson (part)
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Primary Sponsor	·····	None
		None
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Committee Assignments-		
Bills and Resolutions—(S	enate Bills)	
		None
Co-Sponsor		None
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		enator Steve Metcalf
MECKLENBURG COUN		—Senator Charlie Smith Dannelly
		-Senator T. LaFontine Odom, Sr.
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District 40-Senator Daniel G. Clodfelter

METCALF, SENATOR STEVI	E M 28 th District—	Buncombe (part), Burke (part),
		Madison, McDowell, Yancey.
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		None.
		None.
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Co-Sponsor		None.
MITCHELL COUNTY—Distri	ct 27—Senator John A. G	arwood
	Senator Kenneth R	
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	Cald	well, Mitchell, Wilkes, Yadkin.
Committee Assignments—		
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		None.
Co-Sponsor		None.
NASH COUNTY—District 10—	Senator A B Swindell IV	J
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NEW HANOVER COUNTY-	District 4—Senator Patric	k J. Ballantine
		H. Jordan, Jr. (Deceased 4/23/02)
		M. Clark (Appointed 6/10/02)
]	District 18—Senator R. C.	. Soles, Jr.
NORTHAMPTON COUNTY-	-District 2—Senator Fran	k W. Ballance, Jr.
ODOM, SENATOR T. LAFON	TINE SR (FOUNTAIN	34th District
		oln (part), Mecklenburg (part).
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ORANGE COUNTY —District 16—Senator Eleanor Kinnaird
Senator Howard N. Lee
PAMLICO COUNTY—District 3—Senator Scott Thomas
PASQUOTANK COUNTY—District 1—Senator Marc Basnight
PENDER COUNTY—District 4—Senator Patrick J. Ballantine
District 5—Senator Charles W. Albertson
District 7—Senator Luther H. Jordan, Jr. (Deceased 4/23/02) Senator Kever M. Clark (Appointed 6/10/02)
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PERSON COUNTY—District 13—Senator Wib Gulley
Senator Jeanne Hopkins Lucas
District 21—Senator Hugh Webster
PITT COUNTY—District 6—Senator R. L. Martin District 9—Senator Ed N. Warren
PLYLER, SENATOR AARON W 17 th District—Anson, Hoke (part), Montgomery, Richmond, Scotland, Stanly (part), Union.
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Primary Sponsor	None.
Primary Sponsor Co-Sponsor RANDOLPH COUNTY—District 16—S	None.

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Primary Sponsor
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Primary SponsorNone.
Co-SponsorNone.

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Co-SponsorNon	e.
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Primary SponsorNon	
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Standing	
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Primary Sponsor	None.
Co-Sponsor	None.
WELLONS, SENATOR ALLEN H 11th District-Fr	anklin, Johnston (part),
Va	nce (part), Wilson (part).
Adjournment Motion	
Adjournment Motion—Second	
Committee Assignments—	
Standing	
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Primary Sponsor	None.
Co-Sponsor	
WILKES COUNTY—District 27—Senator John A. Garwood	
Senator Kenneth R. Moore	
WILSON COUNTY—District 6—Senator R. L. Martin	
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