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Seventy-second General Assembly
STATE OF COLORADO**

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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 19-009

101 **CONCERNING THE CONVENING DATE FOR THE 2020 SECOND REGULAR**
102 **SESSION OF THE SEVENTY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AND, IN**
103 **CONNECTION THEREWITH, RESTORING THE DEADLINE SCHEDULE**
104 **SET OUT IN THE JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF**
105 **REPRESENTATIVES.**

1 WHEREAS, Section 2-2-303.5 (3), Colorado Revised Statutes,
2 authorizes the General Assembly to designate the convening date for
3 regular sessions by joint resolution; now, therefore,

4 *Be It Resolved by the Senate of the Seventy-second General*
5 *Assembly of the State of Colorado, the House of Representatives*
6 *concurring herein:*

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters or bold & italic numbers indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

HOUSE
Final Reading
May 2, 2019

SENATE
Final Reading
April 18, 2019

1 That, pursuant to section 2-2-303.5 (3), Colorado Revised Statutes,
2 the General Assembly designates Wednesday, January 8, 2020, as the
3 convening date for the Second Regular Session of the Seventy-second
4 General Assembly.

5 *Be It Further Resolved*, That in the Joint Rules of the Senate and
6 House of Representatives, Rule No. 23, **amend** (a)(1), (a)(1.6), and (a)(2)
7 as follows:

8 **23. DEADLINE SCHEDULE**

9 (a) (1) ***Deadline schedule.*** For the purposes of organizing the
10 legislative session, the schedule for the enactment of
11 legislation shall be as follows:

12 ~~7 5~~ days prior to Deadline for filing one of each member's three
13 1st day bills requested prior to ~~November 26 or December~~
14 ~~10~~ DECEMBER 1 OR DECEMBER 15 pursuant to
15 paragraph (2) of this subsection (a) and Joint Rule
16 24 (b)(1)(A) with the house of introduction for
17 printing, distribution to Legislative Council staff
18 for preparation of fiscal notes, and introduction on
19 the 1st day.

20 1st day Deadline for the introduction of the bills required
21 to be filed ~~7 5~~ days prior to the 1st day.

22 Deadline for introduction of any bills to increase
23 the number of judges.

24 ~~5th~~ **3rd** day Deadline for introduction of the two remaining
25 Senate bills requested prior to ~~November 26 or~~
26 ~~December 10~~ DECEMBER 1 OR DECEMBER 15
27 pursuant to paragraph (2) of this subsection (a) and
28 Joint Rule 24 (b)(1)(A).

1	7 th day	DEADLINE FOR INTRODUCTION OF THE TWO
2		REMAINING HOUSE BILLS REQUESTED PRIOR TO
3		DECEMBER 1 OR DECEMBER 15 PURSUANT TO
4		PARAGRAPH (2) OF THIS SUBSECTION (a) AND JOINT
5		RULE 24 (b)(1)(A).
6		Deadline for all remaining bill draft requests to the
7		Office of Legislative Legal Services.
8	8th day	Deadline for introduction of the two remaining
9		House bills requested prior to November 26 or
10		December 10 pursuant to paragraph (2) of this
11		subsection (a) and Joint Rule 24 (b)(1)(A).
12	19th 17 th day	Final deadline for introduction of Senate bills,
13		except for supplemental appropriation bills
14		recommended by the Joint Budget Committee and
15		the long appropriation bill.
16	22 nd day	Final deadline for introduction of House bills,
17		except for supplemental appropriation bills
18		recommended by the Joint Budget Committee and
19		the long appropriation bill.
20	27 TH DAY	DEADLINE FOR INTRODUCTION OF SUPPLEMENTAL
21		APPROPRIATION BILLS RECOMMENDED BY THE
22		JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE.
23	29th 30 th day	Deadline for House committees of reference, other
24		than the House Appropriations Committee, to
25		report House bills introduced on or before the 8 th
26		7th legislative day.
27	32nd day	Deadline for introduction of supplemental
28		appropriation bills recommended by the Joint
29		Budget Committee.
30	36 th 37 th day	Deadline for Senate committees of reference, other
31		than the Senate Appropriations Committee, to
32		report Senate bills.
33	43rd 44 th day	Deadline for House committees of reference, other
34		than the House Appropriations Committee, to
35		report remaining House bills.

1	50 th day	Deadline for final passage of Senate bills in the
2		Senate.*
3		Deadline for final passage of House bills in the
4		House.*
5	60 th 59 th day	Deadline for final passage of any bill that
6		increases the number of judges.
7	71 st 73 rd day	Deadline for committees of reference, other than
8		the Appropriations Committees and the Legislative
9		Council, to report bills originating in the other
10		house.
11	76 TH DAY	DEADLINE FOR INTRODUCTION OF THE LONG
12		APPROPRIATION BILL IN THE HOUSE OF ORIGIN
13		WHICH SHALL BE THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
14		IN EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS AND THE SENATE IN
15		ODD-NUMBERED YEARS.
16	80 TH DAY	DEADLINE FOR FINAL PASSAGE OF THE LONG
17		APPROPRIATION BILL IN THE HOUSE OF ORIGIN.
18	81st day	Deadline for introduction of the long appropriation
19		bill in the house of origin which shall be the House
20		of Representatives in even-numbered years and the
21		Senate in odd-numbered years.
22	83 rd day	Deadline in even-numbered years for final passage
23		in the Senate of all bills originating in the House
24		of Representatives.*
25		Deadline in odd-numbered years for final passage
26		in the House of Representatives of all bills
27		originating in the Senate.*

1	85 th 87 th day	Deadline for final passage of the long
2		appropriation bill in the house of origin.
3		Deadline to request resolutions and memorials.
4		DEADLINE FOR FINAL PASSAGE OF THE LONG
5		APPROPRIATION BILL IN THE SECOND HOUSE.
6		Deadline for committees of reference and the
7		Appropriations Committee in house of
8		introduction to report bills creating statutory
9		committees with legislative members.
10	90 th day	Deadline to introduce resolutions and memorials.
11		Deadline in odd-numbered years for final passage
12		in the Senate of all bills originating in the House
13		of Representatives.*
14		Deadline in even-numbered years for final passage
15		in the House of Representatives of all bills
16		originating in the Senate.*
17	92 nd day	Deadline for final passage of the long
18		appropriation bill in the second house.
19	95 th 94 th day	DEADLINE FOR ADOPTION OF THE CONFERENCE
20		COMMITTEE REPORT ON THE LONG APPROPRIATION
21		BILL.
22		DEADLINE FOR APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE IN
23		HOUSE OF INTRODUCTION TO REPORT BILLS
24		REFERRED TO APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE.
25		Deadline for final passage in house of introduction
26		of all bills creating statutory committees with
27		legislative members.

1	99 th day	Deadline for adoption of the conference committee report on the long appropriation bill.
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3		Deadline for Appropriations Committee in house of introduction to report bills referred to Appropriations Committee.
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6		Deadline for committees of reference in second house to report bills creating statutory committees with legislative members to the Legislative Council in that house.
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10	102nd 100 th day	Deadline to introduce bills unless otherwise authorized in accordance with subsection (h) of this rule.
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13		Deadline for final passage in house of introduction of all bills referred to Appropriations Committee in that house.
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16	101 ST DAY	DEADLINE FOR FINAL PASSAGE IN HOUSE OF INTRODUCTION OF ALL BILLS REFERRED TO APPROPRIATIONS COMMITTEE IN THAT HOUSE.
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19		DEADLINE FOR COMMITTEES OF REFERENCE IN SECOND HOUSE TO REPORT BILLS CREATING STATUTORY COMMITTEES WITH LEGISLATIVE MEMBERS TO THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL IN THAT HOUSE.
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24		DEADLINE FOR FINAL PASSAGE, INCLUDING ANY CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT, FOR ANY BILL PRESCRIBING ALL OR A SUBSTANTIAL PORTION OF THE TOTAL FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS PURSUANT TO THE "PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE ACT OF 1994", ARTICLE 54 OF TITLE 22, COLORADO REVISED STATUTES.
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31	105th day	Deadline for Legislative Council to report all bills referred to it pursuant to section 2-3-301 (5), Colorado Revised Statutes.
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1 *specified by the Committee on Delayed Bills for that house are also*
2 *excluded from the specified final passage deadline unless otherwise*
3 *indicated in the delayed bill form.*

4 (1.6) A member of the General Assembly shall introduce a bill
5 for an increase in the number of district judges in a judicial
6 district, or for an increase in the number of county judges
7 in a county, no later than 1st day of a regular legislative
8 session. The deadline for final passage of any such bills,
9 including any conference committee report, ~~shall be~~ IS the
10 ~~60th~~ **59th** legislative day.

11 (2) All bills which a member requested pursuant to Joint Rule
12 24 (b)(1)(A) on or before ~~November 26 or December 10~~
13 ~~DECEMBER 1 OR DECEMBER 15~~, whichever is applicable,
14 ~~shall~~ **MUST** be introduced no later than the initial deadline
15 for introduction of bills, subject to the following
16 conditions:

17 (A) A member is not required to introduce more than
18 three bills by said initial deadline;

19 (B) A member may choose to introduce any bill
20 requested after said ~~November 26 or December 10~~
21 ~~DECEMBER 1 OR DECEMBER 15~~ instead of any bill
22 requested on or before said ~~November 26 or~~
23 ~~December 10~~ ~~DECEMBER 1 OR DECEMBER 15~~; and

24 (C) One of the three bills that a member may request
25 prior to said ~~November 26 or December 10~~ ~~shall~~
26 ~~DECEMBER 1 OR DECEMBER 15~~ **MUST** be filed with
27 the house of introduction ~~7~~ **5** days prior to the first
28 day of the session for printing, distribution to
29 Legislative Council staff for preparation of a fiscal
30 note, and introduction on the 1st day.

31 That in the Joint Rules of the Senate and House of
32 Representatives, Rule No. 24, **amend** (b)(1)(A) and (c) as follows:

33 **24. SPONSORSHIP OF BILLS**

34 (b) (1) (A) A member of the General Assembly may not

1 introduce more than five bills in a regular session of
2 the General Assembly, excluding bills for
3 appropriations and excluding the bills specified in
4 subparagraph (D) of this paragraph (1). Permission
5 to exceed the limits established by this rule may be
6 given by the Senate Committee on Delayed Bills for
7 members of the Senate and the House Committee on
8 Delayed Bills for members of the House of
9 Representatives. Of the bills which are subject to
10 the five-bill limit under this subparagraph (A), not
11 more than two bills may be requested after the
12 ~~November 26~~ DECEMBER 1 which precedes the
13 convening of the regular session; except that any
14 member who will serve in the regular session in an
15 odd-numbered year but who is not a member of the
16 current General Assembly may not introduce more
17 than two bills requested after the ~~December 10~~
18 DECEMBER 15 which precedes the convening of said
19 odd-year session. Bills requested on or before said
20 ~~November 26 or December 10~~ DECEMBER 1 OR
21 DECEMBER 15, as the case may be, ~~shall be~~ ARE
22 treated as if requested to be prefiled bills, unless the
23 member making the request specifies otherwise.

24 (c) Any member of the General Assembly who submits a bill draft
25 request to the Office of Legislative Legal Services by subject only
26 shall provide the necessary information to enable the office to
27 proceed with the drafting of the bill as soon as possible. On and
28 after ~~November 26 or December 10~~ DECEMBER 1 OR DECEMBER
29 15, whichever is applicable, a member may not have more than
30 five draft requests for bills that are not subject to approval under
31 subsection (b)(1)(D) of this Joint Rule on file with the Office of
32 Legislative Legal Services at any time.