

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 64

RESOLUTION CHAPTER 44

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 64—Relative to Joint Rule 51.

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LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SCR 64, Lockyer. Legislative calendar.

The existing Joint Rules of the Senate and Assembly specify that in the second calendar year of the regular legislative session the Legislature is in summer recess from July 5 until August 5.

This measure would instead specify that in that calendar year the Legislature is in summer recess from July 19 until August 5.

Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly thereof concurring, That Joint Rule 51 of the Joint Rules of the Senate and Assembly for the 1995–96 Regular Session is amended to read:

Legislative Calendar

51. (a) The Legislature shall observe the following calendar during the first year of the regular session:

(1) Organizational Recess—The Legislature shall meet on the first Monday in December following the general election to organize. Thereafter, each house shall be in recess from such time as it determines, but not later than the following Friday until the first Monday in January, except when the first Monday is January 1 or January 1 is a Sunday, in which case, the following Wednesday.

(2) Easter Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from the 10th day prior to Easter until the Monday after Easter.

(3) Summer Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from July 14 until August 14. This recess shall not commence until the Budget Bill is enacted.

(4) Interim Study Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from September 15 until the first Monday in January, except when the first Monday is January 1 or January 1 is a Sunday, in which case, the following Wednesday.

(b) The Legislature shall observe the following calendar for the remainder of the legislative session:

(1) Easter Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from the 10th day prior to Easter until the Monday after Easter.

(2) Summer Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess from July 19 until August 5. This recess shall not commence until the Budget

Bill is enacted. This paragraph shall apply only to the 1995–96 Regular and Extraordinary Sessions.

(3) Final Recess—The Legislature shall be in recess on September 1 until adjournment sine die on November 30.

(c) Recesses shall be from the hour of adjournment on the day specified to reconvene at the time designated by the respective houses.

(d) The recesses specified by this rule shall be designated as joint recesses.

