JOINT PROCLAMATION TO CONVENE THE

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF NORTH CAROLINA IN

EXTRA SESSION

WHEREAS, Article II, Section 11(2) of the Constitution of North Carolina authorizes and requires the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate to convene the General Assembly in extra session by joint proclamation upon receipt of written requests signed by threefifths of all members of the House of Representatives and the Senate, and

WHEREAS, the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives has each received written requests from three-fifths of all the members of the House of Representatives and the Senate.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate do hereby proclaim that the General Assembly of North Carolina shall convene in extra session in the City of Raleigh, North Carolina, in the State Legislative Building at 2.00 o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, December 14, 2016, to consider bills concerning any matters the General Assembly elects to consider.

A copy of the Proclamation shall be delivered to each member of the House of Representatives, and the Senate, and a copy to the Governor of North Carolina and the Secretary of State.

Issued this the 14th day of December, 2016.

President of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Representatives

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