

## Session 123 - (2019-2020)

**S\*1201 Resolution, By Cash, Martin, Rice, Loftis, Corbin, Turner, Grooms, Gambrell, Talley, Massey, Climer and Verdin**

**Similar (H 5473)**

**Summary:** Successive states of emergency

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS THE SENSE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT THE GOVERNOR IS NOT AUTHORIZED TO DECLARE SUCCESSIVE STATES OF EMERGENCY THAT ARE BASED UPON THE SCOPE OF IMPACT OF THE EVENT OR OCCURRENCE THAT WAS THE BASIS FOR THE STATE OF EMERGENCY. FURTHER, TO EXPRESS THE SENSE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THAT A STATE OF EMERGENCY DECLARED BY THE GOVERNOR MAY NOT LAST LONGER THAN FIFTEEN DAYS WITHOUT THE EXPRESS CONSENT OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, THAT THE GOVERNOR HAS A DUTY TO REQUEST AN EXTENSION IF HE BELIEVES THAT THE EMERGENCY WILL EXTEND BEYOND FIFTEEN DAYS, AND THAT WITHOUT EXPRESS CONSENT FROM THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY THE STATE OF EMERGENCY EXPIRES FIFTEEN DAYS AFTER IT IS DECLARED.

05/12/20	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 10)
05/12/20	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 10)
05/12/20	Senate	Recalled from Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 35)
05/12/20	Senate	Adopted, sent to House (Senate Journal-page 35)
05/12/20	Senate	Roll call Ayes-17 Nays-16 (Senate Journal-page 35)
06/24/20	House	Introduced (House Journal-page 24)
06/24/20	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 24)