

## Session 126 - (2025-2026)

### **S\*0779 (Rat #0099) Joint Resolution, By Massey, Hutto, Zell, Devine and Adams**

A JOINT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE THAT EACH MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL RECEIVE A MONTHLY LEGISLATIVE EXPENSE ALLOWANCE OF ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE ALLOCATION OF LEGISLATIVE EXPENSE ALLOWANCE PAYMENTS BETWEEN MEMBERS WHOSE SEATS WERE VACATED DURING FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026 AND THE MEMBERS ELECTED TO FILL THE VACANCY; AND TO PROVIDE THAT MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY WHOSE SEATS WERE VACATED DUE TO THE MEMBER BEING CONVICTED OF OR PLEADING GUILTY OR NOLO CONTENDERE TO A FELONY ARE NOT ENTITLED TO A LEGISLATIVE EXPENSE ALLOWANCE PAYMENT PURSUANT TO THIS JOINT RESOLUTION. - RATIFIED TITLE

<b>01/13/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 50)</b>
<b>01/13/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Finance (Senate Journal-page 50)</b>
<b>01/21/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable Finance (Senate Journal-page 17)</b>
<b>01/21/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time (Senate Journal-page 17)</b>
<b>01/21/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Roll call Ayes-43 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 17)</b>
<b>01/22/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 4)</b>
<b>01/28/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced, read first time, placed on calendar without reference (House Journal-page 403)</b>
<b>01/29/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time (House Journal-page 23)</b>
<b>01/29/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Roll call Yeas-113 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 24)</b>
<b>01/29/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day (House Journal-page 26)</b>
<b>01/30/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and enrolled (House Journal-page 1)</b>
<b>02/03/26</b>		<b>Ratified R 99</b>
<b>02/05/26</b>		<b>Signed By Governor</b>
<b>02/09/26</b>		<b>Effective date 02/05/26</b>