**A** **JOINT RESOLUTION**

TO PROVIDE THAT THE SCHOOL DAY MISSED ON JANUARY 8, 2009 BY THE STUDENTS OF PARIS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, TAYLORS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND SEVIER MIDDLE SCHOOL WHEN THE SCHOOLS WERE CLOSED DUE TO A POWER OUTAGE IS EXEMPT FROM THE MAKE‑UP REQUIREMENT THAT FULL SCHOOL DAYS MISSED DUE TO SNOW, EXTREME WEATHER, OR OTHER DISRUPTIONS BE MADE UP.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Pursuant to the provisions of Section 59‑1‑425(C) of the 1976 Code, the requirement that the school day missed on January 8, 2009, by the students of Paris Elementary School, Taylors Elementary School, and Sevier Middle School when the school was closed due to a power outage is waived from the make‑up requirement that full school days missed due to snow, extreme weather, or other disruptions be made up.

SECTION 2. This joint resolution takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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