**A** **JOINT RESOLUTION**

TO PROVIDE THAT, IN A DETERMINATION OF WHETHER THE STATE IS IN AN EXTENDED BENEFIT PERIOD BEGINNING ON NOVEMBER 1, 2020 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2021, PROVISIONS RELATING TO THE STIPULATION THAT NO EXTENDED BENEFIT PERIOD MAY BEGIN BEFORE THE FOURTEENTH WEEK FOLLOWING THE END OF A PRIOR EXTENDED BENEFIT PERIOD SHALL NOT APPLY.

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

SECTION 1. In a determination of whether the State is in an extended benefit period beginning on November 1, 2020 through December 31, 2021, the provisions of Section 41-35-310(2)(b), relating to the stipulation that no extended benefit period may begin before the fourteenth week following the end of a prior extended benefit period, shall not apply.

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

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