

ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION No. 43

STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Introduced Pending Technical Review by Legislative Counsel

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By Assemblywoman GILL and Assemblyman JONES

1 AN ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION increasing the timeframe for the notice  
2 provisions for committee agendas and amending Rule 74 and 75.

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4 BE IT RESOLVED by the General Assembly of the State of New Jersey:

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6 1. Rule 74 is amended to read as follows:

7 74. Each standing reference committee shall meet at such time and place  
8 as its chair shall designate; provided, however, that no meeting shall be  
9 scheduled by the chair in conflict with the schedule established by the Speaker  
10 for a day when the General Assembly is in session.

11 The chair shall cause to be communicated to the majority staff and the  
12 Office of Legislative Services such information as may be necessary for the  
13 Office to give [five] fourteen days notice to the public and the members of the  
14 General Assembly of the time, place, and agenda for each committee meeting.  
15 Upon special order of the Speaker, the [five] fourteen day notice may be  
16 waived. No more than seven bills or resolutions may be considered at a  
17 committee meeting, other than an Appropriations Committee meeting, on a  
18 day when the General Assembly is in session except upon special order of the  
19 Speaker. No more than 12 bills or resolutions may be considered by the  
20 Appropriations Committee at a meeting on a day when the General Assembly  
21 is in session except upon special order of the Speaker.

22 All meetings at which official committee action is to be taken shall be open  
23 to the general public. A committee may, upon the affirmative vote of a  
24 majority of its authorized membership at an open meeting, convene in closed  
25 or executive session for the purpose of discussing any matter before the  
26 committee, or for meeting with or taking testimony from any person; provided,  
27 however, that full discussion and consideration of any bills or resolutions and  
28 all motions and action thereon shall be made in public session.

EXPLANATION - Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets [thus] in the above bill is not enacted and intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

