

## 2008 SESSION

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### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 299

*Joint Assembly to receive the Governor and other distinguished guests.*

Agreed to by the House of Delegates, January 26, 2008

Agreed to by the Senate, January 26, 2008

RESOLVED by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, That the General Assembly meet this day at 2:30 p.m. in a joint commemorative session to receive the Governor of Virginia and other distinguished guests, and that the rules for the government of the Senate and the House of Delegates, when convened in joint assembly for such purpose shall be as follows:

1. At the hour fixed for the meeting of the Joint Assembly, accompanied by the President and Clerk of the Senate, the Senators shall proceed to the Hall of the House of Burgesses and shall be received by the Delegates standing. Appropriate seats shall be assigned to the Senators. The Speaker of the House shall assign an appropriate seat for the President of the Senate.

2. The Speaker of the House of Delegates shall be President of the Joint Assembly. In case it shall be necessary for him to vacate the Chair, his place shall be taken by the President of the Senate, or, in his absence, by such member of the Joint Assembly as the President of the Joint Assembly may designate.

3. The Clerk of the House of Delegates shall be the Clerk of the Joint Assembly, and he shall be assisted by the Clerk of the Senate. He shall enter the proceedings of the Joint Assembly in the Journal of the House and shall certify a copy of the same to the Clerk of the Senate, who shall enter the same in the Journal of the Senate.

4. The Rules of the House of Delegates, as far as applicable, shall be the rules of the Joint Assembly.

5. In calling the roll of the Joint Assembly, the names of the Senators shall be called in alphabetical order, then the names of the Delegates in like order, except that the name of the Speaker of the House shall be called last.

6. When the Joint Assembly adjourns, the Senators, accompanied by the President and Clerk of the Senate, shall return to their chamber, and the business of the House shall be continued in the same order as at the time of the entrance of the Senators.

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