

IN THE SENATE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 101

BY STATE AFFAIRS COMMITTEE

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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2 STATING FINDINGS OF THE LEGISLATURE, PROVIDING THAT THE STATE OF DISASTER
3 EMERGENCY DECLARED BY THE GOVERNOR RELATING TO NOVEL CORONAVIRUS OR
4 COVID-19 IS TERMINATED, PROVIDING THAT RECEIPT OF FEDERAL FUNDS, BENE-
5 FITS, OR RESOURCES ARISING OUT OF THE STATE OF DISASTER EMERGENCY SHALL
6 NOT BE AFFECTED, AND PROVIDING THAT THE GOVERNOR MAY MAKE OR MAINTAIN
7 DECLARATIONS ONLY TO A CERTAIN EXTENT.

8 Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Idaho:

9 WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Idaho has the authority to declare
10 a disaster emergency in Idaho pursuant to Section 46-1008, Idaho Code; and

11 WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the Governor declared a state of disaster
12 emergency in response to a statewide outbreak of novel coronavirus or COVID-
13 19; and

14 WHEREAS, the state of disaster emergency, following continuation of the
15 state of disaster emergency by the Governor, remains in effect in this state;
16 and

17 WHEREAS, Section 46-1008(2), Idaho Code, declares in part that "The
18 legislature by concurrent resolution may terminate a state of disaster emer-
19 gency at any time."

20 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the members of the First Regular
21 Session of the Sixty-sixth Idaho Legislature, the Senate and the House of
22 Representatives concurring therein, that pursuant to Section 46-1008, Idaho
23 Code, the state of disaster emergency relating to the outbreak of novel coro-
24 navirus or COVID-19 is declared to be terminated as of the date of passage of
25 this concurrent resolution.

26 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that nothing in this concurrent resolution shall
27 prevent the State of Idaho from receiving any federal funds, benefits, or
28 resources arising out of the state of disaster emergency relating to the
29 outbreak of novel coronavirus or COVID-19. The Governor may make or main-
30 tain declarations only to the extent required to continue to receive Federal
31 Emergency Management Agency funding arising out of novel coronavirus or
32 COVID-19 but may not use any such declaration to impose restrictions on the
33 citizens of the State of Idaho.