

SENATE RESOLUTION

8647

By Senators Pedersen and Short

1       WHEREAS, The Legislature has been called into special session to  
2 address an important issue related to public safety; and

3       WHEREAS, A number of Senate members are unable to attend in  
4 person, but would be able to attend remotely; and

5       WHEREAS, The Senate adopted permanent rules for the 2023-2025  
6 biennium under Senate Resolution 8601, as amended by Senate  
7 Resolution 8606; and

8       WHEREAS, Senate Rule 8 of the permanent Senate rules provides  
9 that only three members from each caucus may vote remotely during a  
10 single day of floor action in the event of illness or emergency;

11       NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, That notwithstanding Senate Rule  
12 8, and only for this first special session of 2023, members of each  
13 caucus may vote remotely on each day of the special legislative  
14 session. Members who are voting remotely may not make motions or  
15 points of order during floor action, but may speak in accordance with  
16 the procedures established in Senate Rule 8.

17 I, Sarah Bannister, Secretary of the Senate,  
18 do hereby certify that this is a true and  
19 correct copy of Senate Resolution 8647,  
20 adopted by the Senate  
21 May 16, 2023

- 1 SARAH BANNISTER
- 2 Secretary of the Senate