## 2017 SESSION DATES

August	1, 2016	Deadline for filing claim bills (Rule 4.81(2))
January	27, 2017	Friday, 5:00 p.m., deadline for submitting requests for drafts of general bills and joint resolutions, <u>including requests for companion bills</u>
March	3, 2017	Friday, 5:00 p.m., deadline for approving final drafts of general bills and joint resolutions, <u>including companion bills</u>
March	7, 2017	Regular Session convenes (Article III, section 3(b), Constitution) 12:00 noon, deadline for filing bills for introduction (Rule 3.7(1))
April	22, 2017	All bills are immediately certified (Rule 6.8) Motion to reconsider made and considered the same day (Rule 6.4(4))
April	25, 2017	50th day—last day for regularly scheduled committee meetings (Rule 2.9(2))
May	5, 2017	60th day—last day of Regular Session (Article III, section 3(d), Constitution)