The 2013 Session of the General Assembly adjourned as scheduled on Saturday, February 23.

Upcoming Deadlines and Key Dates
- Monday, March 25 - Last day for Governor to sign, amend, or veto legislation
- Wednesday, April 3 - Reconvened Session
- Monday, July 1 - Effective date of enacted legislation

Session Statistics
- Introduced: 2,574
- Passed: 1,527
- Defeated: 1047
- Signed by the Governor: 56
- Awaiting action by the Governor: 757

Update on Legislation *

2012-14 Budget (HB1500)
- The Conference Committee report was adopted by the House of Delegates (83-17) and the Senate (31-8)
- Items of interest to UVa
  - Increases faculty salaries by an average of 3% effective July 25
  - Increases staff salaries by 2% effective July 25 and provides for an additional increase of $65 for each year of service, up to 30 years, for employees with five years or more of continuous state service
  - Provides flexibility for University staff salary increases to be based on performance
  - $2,596,124 in additional education and general (E&G) funds
  - $312,844 in additional undergraduate financial aid funds
  - $4,266,579 in additional research funds ($1 million for cancer research, $1 million for the Economic Development Accelerator, $2,266,579 for research through the Equipment Trust Fund)
  - Authorizes funding for Rotunda restoration
  - Authorizes pre-planning for Gilmer Hall and the Chemistry Building renovations
  - Corrects error in indigent care funding to the Health System, increasing by $5 million in FY2014
  - Establishes the Medicaid Innovation and Reform Commission to review, recommend, and approve innovation and reform proposals affecting the Virginia Medicaid and Family Access to Medical Insurance Security (FAMIS) programs
- Access the State Budget website for more information on the budget, including the full text of all amendments included in the Conference Report.

Legislation of Interest Passed by the General Assembly
- HB1609/SB1342 - Mental health treatment coordination for students
- HB1790/SB1138 - Establishes the Virginia Nuclear Energy Consortium
- HB1952 - Public access to information and governance of boards of visitors
- HB2311 - Expands the purpose and membership of the State Council of Higher Education for Virginia
- HJ689 - Study of severe shortage of medical doctors

The 2013 Session Summary and 2013 Law Report will be available after the Reconvened Session on April 3.

* To access a complete list, the full text, and the status of all legislation, visit the Legislative Information System.

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