**Appendix C: Alternative Models**

Table A1. The Impact of Bill and State Characteristics on Legislative Progress; Using Alternative Dependent Variable

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|  | (Model 1) |
| VARIABLES | Bill Progress  Log Odds |
| True Nullification Legislation | -1.73 (0.291)\*\*\* |
| Non-Acquiescent Legislation | -1.35 (0.130)\*\*\* |
| Procedural Legislation | -0.65 (0.095)\*\*\* |
| Resolution  Republican Sponsor | 0.10 (0.136)  -0.04 (0.105) |
| Majority Sponsor | 1.03 (0.106)\*\*\* |
| Net Sponsor Advantage  Opposite Party Sponsor  Committee Sponsor  Female Sponsor | 0.03 (0.006)\*\*\*  1.00 (0.315)\*\*\*  0.32 (0.708)  -0.02 (0.097) |
| Hearing Requirement | 0.46 (0.186)\*\* |
| Republican Governor | -0.25 (0.167) |
| Republican Legislature | -0.30 (0.107)\*\*\* |
| House Polarization  Senate Polarization  Divided Government | 0.45 (0.319)  0.22 (0.342)  -0.17 (0.140) |
| Democratic Presidential Vote Share | -0.01 (0.014) |
| Per Capita Income | 0.000002 (0.00002) |
| Logged Population  Legislative Professionalism  ALEC Model Bills Introduced | -0.69 (0.524)  -0.72 (1.750)  0.007 (0.005) |
| ALEC Model Bills Enacted | 0.007 (0.014) |
| South  Year Count | 0.69 (0.380)\*  0.02 (0.045) |
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| Observations | 3,109 |
| Log Likelihood | -2870.63 |

Standard errors in parentheses

\*\*\* p<0.01, \*\* p<0.05, \* p<0.10

Note: The dependent variable in this model is scored such that bills that pass no legislative chambers are scored as zeros, bills that pass one legislative chamber are scored as ones, bills that pass two legislative chambers are scored as twos, and bills that are enacted are scored as threes.

Table A2. Replication of Table 2, Model 1 Without Resolutions

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|  | (Model 1) |
| VARIABLES | Bill Progress  Log Odds |
| True Nullification Legislation | -1.66 (0.281)\*\*\* |
| Non-Acquiescent Legislation | -1.15 (0.115)\*\*\* |
| Procedural Legislation | -0.63 (0.091)\*\*\* |
| Republican Sponsor | -0.10 (0.097) |
| Majority Sponsor | 1.07 (0.099)\*\*\* |
| Net Sponsor Advantage  Opposite Party Sponsor  Committee Sponsor  Female Sponsor | 0.03 (0.006)\*\*\*  1.10 (0.318)\*\*\*  0.89 (0.591)  -0.11 (0.094) |
| Hearing Requirement | 0.39 (0.181)\*\* |
| Republican Governor | -0.16 (0.171) |
| Republican Legislature | -0.37 (0.100)\*\*\* |
| House Polarization  Senate Polarization  Divided Government | 0.60 (0.334)\*  0.32 (0.350)  -0.16 (0.141) |
| Democratic Presidential Vote Share | -0.009 (0.014) |
| Per Capita Income | 0.000008 (0.00002) |
| Logged Population  Legislative Professionalism  ALEC Model Bills Introduced | -0.28 (0.565)  -1.08 (2.051)  0.003 (0.005) |
| ALEC Model Bills Enacted | 0.009 (0.015) |
| South  Year Count | 0.46 (0.404)  -0.02 (0.046) |
|  |  |
| Observations | 2,822 |
| Log Likelihood | -3491.77 |

Standard errors in parentheses

\*\*\* p<0.01, \*\* p<0.05, \* p<0.10