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## Senate

The Senate met at 3 and 3 seconds p.m. and was called to order by the Honorable THOMAS R. CARPER, a Senator from the State of Delaware.

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### APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will please read a communication to the Senate from the President pro tempore (Mrs. MURRAY).

The legislative clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,  
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,  
*Washington, DC, February 23, 2024.*

*To the Senate:*

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable THOMAS R. CARPER, a Senator from the State of Delaware, to perform the duties of the Chair.

PATTY MURRAY,  
*President pro tempore.*

Mr. CARPER thereupon assumed the Chair as Acting President pro tempore.

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### ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 2024, AT 3 P.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 3 p.m. on Monday, February 26, 2024.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 3 and 37 seconds p.m., adjourned until Monday, February 26, 2024, at 3 p.m.

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• This “bullet” symbol identifies statements or insertions which are not spoken by a Member of the Senate on the floor.



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