

ORDERS FOR WEDNESDAY,  
FEBRUARY 8, 2006

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, I ask unanimous consent that when the Senate completes its business today, it adjourn until 9:45 a.m. on Wednesday, February 8. I further ask that following the prayer and pledge, the morning hour be deemed expired and the Journal of proceedings be approved to date, the time for the two leaders be reserved, and the Senate then begin a period of morning business for up to 1 hour, with the first 30 minutes under the control of the majority leader or his designee and the second 30 minutes under the control of the Democratic leader or his designee. I further ask the Senate begin consideration of S. 852 for

debate only during Wednesday's session; further, that the Senate recess from 12:30 p.m. until 2:15 p.m. for the Democratic Party luncheon.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

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PROGRAM

Mr. FRIST. Mr. President, tomorrow following morning business, the Senate will begin consideration of the bipartisan asbestos bill. Senators should come to the Senate to debate the substance of the legislation. Although no amendments are in order to the bill during tomorrow's session, Senators will be able to discuss their amendments. I encourage Senators to do so.

We should make tomorrow a full day of discussion on asbestos. There will be a number of amendments to be considered beginning Thursday morning. It is important we begin those discussions tomorrow so we can use our time efficiently on Thursday and Friday.

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ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:45 A.M.  
TOMORROW

Mr. FRIST. If there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 7:20 p.m., adjourned until Wednesday, February 8, 2006, at 9:45 a.m.