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House of Representatives

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Tuesday, September 18, 2012, at 12 noon.

Senate

Monday, September 17, 2012

The Senate met at 2 and 13 seconds p.m., and was called to order by the Honorable CHRISTOPHER COONS, a Senator from the State of Delaware.

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

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

The assistant bill clerk read as follows:

U.S. SENATE, PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE Washington, DC, September 17, 2012. To the Senate:

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

DANIEL K. INOUYE, President pro tempore. Mr. COONS thereupon assumed the chair as Acting President pro tempore.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10 A.M., WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2012

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 10 a.m. on Wednesday, September 19, 2012.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 2 and 41 seconds p.m., adjourned until Wednesday, September 19, 2012, at 10 a.m.

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

