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The Senate met at 4:30 and 02 seconds p.m. and was called to order by the Honorable ROB PORTMAN, a Senator from the State of Ohio.

## APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will please read a communication to the Senate from the President protempore (Mr. HATCH).

The bill clerk read the following let-

U.S. SENATE,
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,
Washington, DC, October 23, 2018.

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable ROB PORTMAN, a Senator from the State of Ohio, to perform the

duties of the Chair.

ORRIN G. HATCH, President pro tempore.

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

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2018, AT 5 P.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 5 p.m. on Friday, October 26, 2018.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 4:30 and 37 seconds p.m., adjourned until Friday, October 26, 2018, at 5 p.m.

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

