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The Senate met at 6:30 p.m. and was called to order by the Honorable SHELDON WHITEHOUSE, a Senator from the State of Rhode Island.

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

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

The Parliamentarian read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE, PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE, Washington, DC, May 10, 2024.

To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule 1, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable SHELDON WHITEHOUSE, a Senator from the State of Rhode Island, to perform the duties of the Chair.

PATTY MURRAY, President pro tempore.

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

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL TUESDAY, MAY 14, 2024 AT 3 P.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore.

Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 3 p.m. on Tuesday, May 14, 2024.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 6:30 and 30 seconds p.m., adjourned until Tuesday, May 14, 2024, at 3 p.m.

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

