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Senate

The Senate met at 6:30 and 1 second p.m. and was called to order by the Honorable TIM SHEEHY, a Senator from the State of Montana.

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. GRASSLEY).

The bill clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,
Washington, DC, February 17, 2026.
To the Senate:

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

CHUCK GRASSLEY,
President pro tempore.

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

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2026, AT 2 P.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 2 p.m. on Thursday, February 19, 2026.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 6:30 and 29 seconds p.m., adjourned until Thursday, February 19, 2026, at 2 p.m.

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