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House of Representatives

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Thursday, December 26, 2013, at 12 noon.

Senate

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 2013

The Senate met at 12 and 1 second p.m. and was called to order by the Honorable CARL LEVIN, a Senator from the State of Michigan.

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

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

The bill clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,
Washington, DC, December 24, 2013.
To the Senate:

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

PATRICK J. LEAHY,

President pro tempore.

Mr. LEVIN thereupon assumed the chair as Acting President pro tempore.

CONDITIONAL ADJOURNMENT UNTIL FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27, 2013

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 12 noon, on Friday, December 27, 2013, unless it receives a message that the House has adopted S. Con. Res. 30, in which case the Senate stands adjourned until 11:45 a.m., on Friday, January 3, 2014.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 12 and 46 seconds p.m., conditionally adjourned until Friday, December 27, 2013, at 12 noon.

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

