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The House met at 3:30 p.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. SARBANES).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

> WASHINGTON, DC, August 6, 2019.

I hereby appoint the Honorable JOHN P. SARBANES to act as Speaker pro tempore on

> NANCY PELOSI. Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Reverend Luke Clark, St. Dominic's Catholic Church, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

God of all consolation, healer of all wounds, and giver of every good gift, we ask that You pour forth the healing balm of Your grace, mercy, and love. Grant to those who mourn Your comfort. Grant to the fearful Your hope. Grant to the lost and confused Your clear and guiding light.

Heal the brokenhearted and the hardhearted. Let the warmth of Your love melt the wounds of hatred, bitterness, and division. Let the might of Your love reveal Your goodness, truth and beautiful present in each and all of our brothers and sisters.

Sustain us this day in our efforts so that, in all we do, You the light of glory may be made manifest.

We praise You now and forevermore. Amen

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 5(a) of House Resolution 509, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

APPOINTMENT OF MEMBERS TO COMMISSION ON SECURITY AND COOPERATION IN EUROPE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair announces the Speaker's appointment, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 3003 and the order of the House of January 3, 2019, of the following Members on the part of the House to the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe:

Mr. Cohen, Tennessee

Mr. CLEAVER, Missouri

Ms. Moore, Wisconsin

Mr. Veasey, Texas

Mr. WILSON, South Carolina

Mr. ADERHOLT, Alabama

Mr. Hudson, North Carolina

Mr. FITZPATRICK, Pennsylvania

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 5(b) of House Resolution 509, the House stands adjourned until 11 a.m. on Friday, August 9, 2019.

Thereupon (at 3 o'clock and 33 minutes p.m.), under its previous order, the House adjourned until Friday, August 9. 2019. at 11 a.m.

EXECUTIVE COMMUNICATIONS,

Under clause 2 of rule XIV, executive communications were taken from the Speaker's table and referred as follows: 1833. A letter from the Federal Liaison Of-

ficer, United States Patent and Trademark

Office, Department of Commerce, transmitting the Department's final rule - Changes to the Trademark Rules of Practice to Mandate Electronic Filing [Docket No.: PTO-T-2017-0004] (RIN: 0651-AD15) received August 2, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on the Judiciary.

1834. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's temporary final rule — Safety Zone; Cumberland River, Grand Rivers, KY [Docket No.: USCG-2019-0514] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received August 2, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1835. A letter from the Attorney-Advisor, U.S. Coast Guard, Department of Homeland Security, transmitting the Department's interim final rule — Safety Zone; Ohio River, Brookport, IL [Docket No.: USCG-2019-0486] (RIN: 1625-AA00) received August 2, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1836. A letter from the Management and Program Analyst, FAA, Department of Transportation, transmitting the Department's final rule - Revocation of Class E Airspace; Tecumseh, MI [Docket No.: FAA-2019-0273; Airspace Docket No.: 19-AGL-10] (RIN: 2120-AA66) received August 2, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); to the Committee on Transportation and Infrastructure.

1837. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Major final rule — Medicare Program; Inpatient Rehabilitation Facility (IRF) Prospective Payment System for Federal Fiscal Year 2020 and Updates to the IRF Quality Reporting Program [CMS-1710-F] (RIN: 0938-AT67) received August 2, 2019, pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A); Public Law 104-121, Sec. 251; (110 Stat. 868); jointly to the Committees on Energy and Commerce and Ways and Means.

1838. A letter from the Regulations Coordinator, Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, transmitting the Department's Major final rule — Medicare Program; Prospective Payment System and Consolidated

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