

business today, it stand in adjournment until the hour of 11:55 a.m. on Wednesday, January 3, and immediately following the prayer the Journal of proceedings be deemed approved to date, no resolutions come over under the rule, the call of the calendar be dispensed with, the morning hour be deemed to have expired, and the time for the two leaders be reserved for their use during the day, and the majority leader be immediately recognized to adjourn the Senate until the second session of the 104th Congress reconvenes at noon.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. DOLE. It will be a short 5 minutes there. So I just say for the information of all Senators we do begin the second session of the 104th Congress at noon tomorrow, January 3, 1996.

I ask unanimous consent that once the Senate reconvenes, the leaders' time be reserved for their use later in the day and there be a period for the transaction of morning business until

the hour of 12:30 p.m., with statements limited to 5 minutes each.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Without objection, it is so ordered.

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#### PROGRAM

Mr. DOLE. As I have said almost on a daily basis, there will be no rollcall votes tomorrow. If somebody should demand one on something—I do not know what it would be—we would certainly give our colleagues ample time to return to the Senate. I do not anticipate any votes this week. I think we can work out anything that needs to be done, including putting people back to work, by unanimous consent on the Senate side. So we will give everybody notice if there should be a vote, but I do not see any votes this week and hopefully none next week.

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#### ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 11:55 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. DOLE. If there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now

ask unanimous consent the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 5:22 p.m., adjourned until Wednesday, January 3, 1996, at 11:55 a.m.

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#### CONFIRMATIONS

Executive nominations confirmed by the Senate January 2, 1996:

##### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

NORMAN S. JOHNSON, OF UTAH, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION FOR THE TERM EXPIRING JUNE 5, 1999.

The above nomination was approved subject to the nominee's commitment to respond to requests to appear and testify before any duly constituted committee of the Senate.

##### THE JUDICIARY

A. WALLACE TASHIMA, OF CALIFORNIA, TO BE U.S. CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT.

SIDNEY R. THOMAS, OF MONTANA, TO BE U.S. CIRCUIT JUDGE FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT.

JOHN THOMAS MARTEN, OF KANSAS, TO BE U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE DISTRICT OF KANSAS.