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The Senate met at 10:30 a.m. and was called to order by the Honorable PAUL S. SARBANES, a Senator from the State of Maryland.

### 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. BYRD).

The assistant legislative clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,  
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,  
Washington, DC, November 4, 2002.

To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable PAUL S. SARBANES, A Senator from the State of Maryland, to perform the duties of the Chair.

ROBERT C. BYRD,  
President pro tempore.

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

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 10:30 A.M.,  
THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 2002

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands in adjournment until the hour of 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, November 7, 2002.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 10:31 a.m., adjourned until Thursday, November 7, 2002, at 10:30 a.m.

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