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The Senate met at 2 p.m. and was called to order by the Honorable MARK KELLY, a Senator from the State of Arizona.

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The Parliamentarian will please read a communication to the Senate from the President pro tempore (Mrs. MURRAY). The Senior Assistant Parliamentarian read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE, PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE, Washington, DC, September 3, 2024. To the Senate:

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

PATTY MURRAY, President pro tempore. Mr. KELLY thereupon assumed the Chair as Acting President pro tempore.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2024, AT 12:45 P.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 12:45 p.m. on Thursday, September 5, 2024.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 2 and 37 seconds p.m., adjourned until Thursday, September 5, 2024, at 12:45 p.m.

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