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(Legislative day of Tuesday, August 2, 2011)

The Senate met at 12 and 8 seconds p.m., and was called to order by the Honorable JACK REED, a Senator from the State of Rhode Island.

## APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

PRESIDING OFFICER. clerk will please read a communication to the Senate from the President pro tempore (Mr. Inouye).

The legislative clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE. PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE, Washington, DC, August 12, 2011. To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable JACK REED, a Senator from the State of Rhode Island, to perform the duties of the Chair.

DANIEL K. INOUYE, President pro tempore.

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

RECESS UNTIL TUESDAY, AUGUST 16, 2011, AT 11 A.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands in recess until Tuesday, August 16, 2011, at 11 a.m.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 12 and 32 seconds p.m., adjourned until Tuesday, August 16, 2011, at 11 a.m.

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

