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## Senate

The Senate met at 11:00 and 10 seconds a.m., and was called to order by the Honorable PATRICK J. LEAHY, a Senator from the State of Vermont.

### APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will read a communication to the Senate.

The legislative clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,  
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,  
Washington, DC, October 27, 2011.

To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable PATRICK J. LEAHY, a Senator from the State of Vermont, to perform the duties of the Chair.

DANIEL K. INOUE,  
President pro tempore.

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

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 3 P.M. ON  
MONDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2011

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 3 p.m. on Monday, October 31, 2011.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 11:00 and 33 seconds a.m., adjourned until Monday, October 31, 2011 at 3 p.m.

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



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