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Senate

The Senate met at 2:36 and 11 seconds p.m. and was called to order by the Honorable ELIZABETH WARREN, a Senator from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

APPOINTMENT OF ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

The PRESIDING OFFICER. The clerk will please read a communication to the Senate from the President protempore (Mrs. Murray).

The senior assistant legislative clerk read the following letter:

 $\begin{array}{c} {\rm U.S.\ SENATE,} \\ {\rm PRESIDENT\ PRO\ TEMPORE,} \\ {\it Washington,\ DC,\ August\ 1,\ 2023.} \end{array}$ To the Senate:

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable ELIZABETH WARREN, a Senator from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to perform the duties of the Chair.

Patty Murray.

President pro tempore.

Ms. WARREN thereupon assumed the Chair as Acting President pro tempore.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 2023, AT 12 NOON

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, the Senate stands adjourned until 12 noon on Friday, August 4, 2023.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 2:36 and 49 seconds p.m., adjourned until Friday, August 4, 2023, at 12 noon.

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

