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## House of Representatives

The House was not in session today. Its next meeting will be held on Monday, September 9, 2013, at 2 p.m.

## Senate

MONDAY, AUGUST 12, 2013

The Senate met at 12 p.m., and was called to order by the Honorable BENJAMIN L. CARDIN, 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. LEAHY).

The assistant legislative clerk read the following letter:

U.S. SENATE,  
PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE,  
Washington, DC, August 12, 2013.

*To the Senate:*

Under the provisions of rule I, paragraph 3, of the Standing Rules of the Senate, I hereby appoint the Honorable BENJAMIN L. CARDIN, a Senator from the State of Maryland, to perform the duties of the Chair.

PATRICK J. LEAHY,  
*President pro tempore.*

Mr. CARDIN thereupon assumed the Chair as Acting President pro tempore.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL MONDAY,  
SEPTEMBER 9, 2013, AT 2 P.M.

The ACTING PRESIDENT pro tempore. Under the previous order, and pursuant to the provisions of S. Con. Res. 22, the Senate stands adjourned until 2 p.m. on Monday, September 9, 2013.

Thereupon, the Senate, at 12:00 and 35 seconds p.m., adjourned until Monday, September 9, 2013, at 2 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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