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House of Representatives

The House met at 2 p.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. ADERHOLT).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following communication from the Speaker:

WASHINGTON, DC,
January 10, 2012.

I hereby appoint the Honorable ROBERT B. ADERHOLT to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

JOHN A. BOEHNER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Reverend Anthony Craig, Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church, Hibbing, Minnesota, offered the following prayer:

Heavenly Father, You protect, provide, and establish us. We praise You for who You are, the source of eternal salvation.

We give You thanks for all the good things that You give us, Your children.

We look to You today, Lord Holy Father, to be our strength this day.

Please protect us in Your mercy, provide for the needs of our Nation, and establish us in truth which will guide our decisions.

Draw near, Almighty God, and grant that we may ardently desire, prudently examine, truthfully acknowledge, and perfectly accomplish what is pleasing to You for the praise and glory of Your name.

Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(b) of House Resolution 493, the Journal of the last day's proceedings is approved.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. The Chair will lead the House in the Pledge of Allegiance.

The SPEAKER pro tempore led the Pledge of Allegiance as follows:

I pledge allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America, and to the Republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(a) of House Resolution 493, no organizational or legislative business will be conducted on this day.

ADJOURNMENT

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 4(c) of House Resolution 493, the House stands adjourned until 11 a.m. on Friday, January 13, 2012.

Accordingly (at 2 o'clock and 2 minutes p.m.), the House adjourned until Friday, January 13, 2012, at 11 a.m.

This symbol represents the time of day during the House proceedings, e.g., 1407 is 2:07 p.m.

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