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The House met at 1:30 p.m. and was called to order by the Speaker pro tempore (Mr. BROWN of Maryland).

DESIGNATION OF THE SPEAKER PRO TEMPORE

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

WASHINGTON, DC,
November 22, 2019.

I hereby appoint the Honorable ANTHONY G. BROWN to act as Speaker pro tempore on this day.

NANCY PELOSI,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

PRAYER

Reverend Dr. Dan C. Cummins, Capitol Worship, Washington, D.C., offered the following prayer:

Father of all mercy and grace, enable us by Your holy spirit to fulfill Your joy in us.

When opposing opinions prevail, let us pray, "Not my will, but Thy will be done," being assured that nothing is hidden from Your eyes.

And when we are divided over policy, let us be broken in spirit before You and each other, seeking the wisdom of God when agreeable solutions elude us.

Let nothing be done through strife or vanity, choosing, rather, to put on the mind of our savior, who made of himself no reputation but took on the form of a servant, accepting our sins as his own, becoming obedient unto the death of the cross.

And when unfounded accusations are made against us, let us pray, "Father, forgive them," considering Your own condemnation by sinful men.

And restore to us, we pray, the joy of our salvation.

In Jesus' name we pray.
Amen.

THE JOURNAL

The SPEAKER pro tempore. Pursuant to section 2(a) of House Resolution 713, 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 clause 4 of rule I, the following enrolled bills were signed by the Speaker on Thursday, November 21, 2019:

H.R. 3055, making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2020, and for other purposes;

H.R. 3889, to amend the Office of National Drug Control Policy Reauthorization Act of 1998 to make technical corrections;

H.R. 4258, to authorize the Marshal of the Supreme Court and the Supreme Court Police to protect the Justices, employees, and official guests of the Supreme Court outside of the Supreme Court grounds, and for other purposes;

S. 862, to extend the sunset for collateral requirements for Small Business Administration disaster loans.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted to:

Mr. EVANS (at the request of Mr. HOYER) for November 21, 2019.

ENROLLED BILLS SIGNED

Cheryl L. Johnson, Clerk of the House, reported and found truly enrolled bills of the House of the following titles, which were thereupon signed by the Speaker on Thursday, November 21, 2019:

H.R. 3055. An act making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2020, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3889. An act to amend the Office of National Drug Control Policy Reauthorization Act of 1998 to make technical corrections.

H.R. 4258. An act to authorize the Marshal of the Supreme Court and the Supreme Court Police to protect the Justices, employees, and official guests of the Supreme Court outside of the Supreme Court grounds, and for other purposes.

SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The Speaker on Thursday, November 21, 2019, announced her signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 862.—An act to extend the sunset for collateral requirements for Small Business Administration disaster loans.

BILLS PRESENTED TO THE PRESIDENT

Cheryl L. Johnson, Clerk of the House, reported that on November 21, 2019, she presented to the President of the United States, for his approval, the following bills:

H.R. 3055. Making further continuing appropriations for fiscal year 2020, and for other purposes.

H.R. 4258. To authorize the Marshal of the Supreme Court and the Supreme Court Police to protect the Justices, employees, and official guests of the Supreme Court outside of the Supreme Court grounds, and for other purposes.

H.R. 3889. To amend the Office of National Drug Control Policy Reauthorization Act of 1998 to make technical corrections.

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