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WASHINGTON, DC 20301-1300

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President of the Senate
United States Senate
Washington, DC 20510

MAY 11 2026

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