

113TH CONGRESS  
1ST SESSION

# S. CON. RES. 1

To provide for the counting on January 4, 2013, of the electoral votes  
for President and Vice President of the United States.

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 3, 2013

Mr. REID (for himself and Mr. McCONNELL) submitted the following  
concurrent resolution; which was considered and agreed to

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## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

To provide for the counting on January 4, 2013, of the  
electoral votes for President and Vice President of the  
United States.

1        *Resolved by the Senate (the House of Representatives*  
2 *concurring)*, That the two Houses of Congress shall meet  
3 in the Hall of the House of Representatives on Thursday,  
4 the 4th day of January 2013, at 1 o'clock post meridian,  
5 pursuant to the requirements of the Constitution and laws  
6 relating to the election of President and Vice President  
7 of the United States, and the President of the Senate shall  
8 be their Presiding Officer; that two tellers shall be pre-  
9 viously appointed by the President of the Senate on the  
10 part of the Senate and two by the Speaker on the part

1 of the House of Representatives, to whom shall be handed,  
2 as they are opened by the President of the Senate, all the  
3 certificates and papers purporting to be certificates of the  
4 electoral votes, which certificates and papers shall be  
5 opened, presented, and acted upon in the alphabetical  
6 order of the States, beginning with the letter “A”; and  
7 said tellers, having then read the same in the presence  
8 and hearing of the two Houses, shall make a list of the  
9 votes as they shall appear from said certificates; and the  
10 votes having been ascertained and counted in the manner  
11 and according to the rules by law provided, the result of  
12 the same shall be delivered to the President of the Senate,  
13 who shall thereupon announce the state of the vote, which  
14 announcement shall be deemed a sufficient declaration of  
15 the persons, if any, elected President and Vice President  
16 of the United States, and, together with a list of the votes,  
17 be entered on the Journals of the two Houses.

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