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Thread - omnibus, CRs

-Continuing Resolution (CR) is a mechanism to address a budgetary “gap”
Under @senatemajldr (not) awesome leadership CRs have become the norm, which is maddening because that’s NOT what CRs are meant for
-pocket veto
-veto
-President versus Congress

> #Evergreen
> did you think I was randomly screaming (sometimes I do) but this thread, I walked you through some of the programs which would run out of Funding
> You let me know if @realDonaldTrump isn\u2018t a petulant selfish sociopath
> He does not give 1 F...https://t.co/mgLnAvrovs
>
> — File411 (@File411) December 25, 2020

Article I, Section 7 of the Constitution
-any Bill shall not be returned by the President within 10 Days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the Same shall be a Law, in like Manner as if he had signed it, unless the Congress by their Adjournment



Sorry here's the link - Article 1, Section 7 of our Constitution (sometimes referred to as the presentment clause)
One could infer "pocket veto" +/- 2 days Jan 4th, 5th, or 6th...

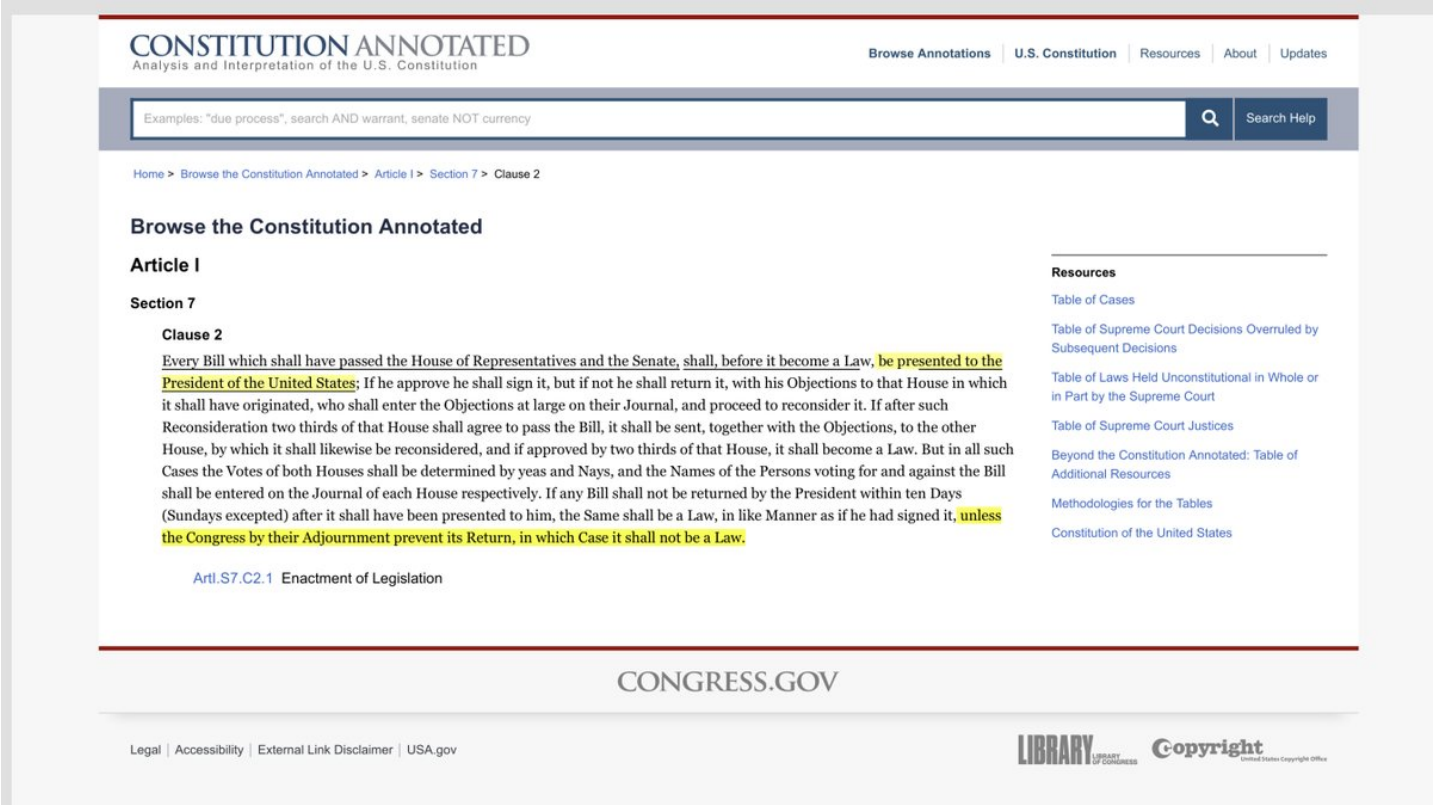
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My educated guess is Trump knows
“might” (operative word) be his “trust the plan” screwing McConnell Senate GOP & nearly ALL Americans
-though lacking a signature and formal objections
-does not become law
-Pocket vetoes are not subject to the congressional veto override process

And here‘s WHY - it is literally the last sentence:

“...unless the Congress by their Adjournment prevent its Return, in which Case it shall not be a Law”
the massive bill was flown down to FL yesterday so the 10 day clock started yesterday...
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The biggest issue I can see is (I believe both chambers) are in recess - it's possible the Senate is in a pro forma session but the House for sure is in recess -which is why that last sentence in Article I, Section 7, Clause 2 is pretty damn important https://t.co/HHalPrC4Kb

As for historical purposes - pocket vetos are not new but pocket vetos under Trump certainly take on new & insidious meaning. Because that piece of sh_t would be happy to see more Americans suffer.
Why?
Trump is a crazed sociopath & enjoys human suffering
https://t.co/2pNZM7J9L1

House Calendar December 2020 & Jan 2021
per our Constitution
-117th Congress is sworn in on Jan 3, 2021
-Jan 6, 2021 Joint Session of Congress to "certify" the electoral college ballots
IMO: Trump is a emotional Terrorist & he genuinely "gets off" on hurting people
so buckle up



Oh and one last thing - I think Rep Dingle was breaking the emergency glass. So it might be worthwhile rewatching her comments
Because now that you have an understanding of the pocket veto - I think you'll agree with my assessment
https://t.co/NRx0JrHe6H

> and @RepDebDingell anger, frustration & exasperation is completely justified
> I blame @realDonaldTrump WHO GOLFED TODAY
> I blame @senatemajldr who crawled into bed with DJT
> I blame @GOPLeader @HouseGOP @freedomcaucus @SenateGOP who have enabled Trump & his worst tendencies
> ASSHOLES pic.twitter.com/ppYNaaQIaV
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