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Well it may not be official yet but today's Member meeting is going to be cancelled.

The Chairs and Ranking Members met with Panetta yesterday and ended up deciding to have their staffs meet to see if the GOP can agree to the issues in the President's letter of May 20. The Administration's staff will be in these meetings. One week was given to see if something can be agreed to.

The dance goes on. Panetta was clear that the White House did not want the bill to die but the current version was not what they could accept.

I will give you more as the process unfolds.
OMER