

[1801] DEPUTY PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE

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Congress	Name	State	Elected
95th	Hubert H. Humphrey	Minnesota	Jan. 10, 1977 (effective Jan. 5, 1977). ²
100th	George J. Mitchell	Maine	Jan. 28, 1987. ³

¹This office was established by S. Res. 17, 95-1, agreed to Jan. 10, 1977 (effective Jan. 5, 1977). The resolution provided that "[a]ny Member of the Senate who has held the Office of President of the United States or Vice President of the United States shall be a Deputy President pro tempore".

²Died Jan. 13, 1978.

³S. Res. 90, 100-1, agreed to Jan. 28, 1987, provided that in addition to Senators who hold the Office of Deputy President pro tempore under authority of S. Res. 17, 95-1, any other Member of the Senate designated by Senate resolution shall hold the office at the pleasure of the Senate during the 100th Congress. Senator Mitchell was so designated by S. Res. 91, agreed to the same date.

1802 PERMANENT ACTING PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE¹

Congress	Name	State	Elected
88th-95th	Lee Metcalf	Montana	Feb. 7, 1964. ²

¹Development of this office started in 1963 upon adoption of S. Res. 232 and S. Res. 238, making Senator Metcalf Permanent Acting President pro tempore from Dec. 9, 1963, until meeting of the second regular session of the 88th Congress. On Feb. 7, 1964, S. Res. 296 was adopted authorizing Senator Metcalf "to perform the duties of the Chair as Acting President pro tempore until otherwise ordered by the Senate."

²Died Jan. 12, 1978.

1803 PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE EMERITUS OF THE SENATE¹

Congress	Name	State	Elected
107th	Strom Thurmond	South Carolina	June 6, 2001. ²
108th	Robert C. Byrd	West Virginia	Jan. 15, 2003. ³
110th	Ted Stevens	Alaska	Jan. 4, 2007. ⁴

¹This office was first created on June 6, 2001, with S. Res. 103, designating Senator Strom Thurmond as President pro tempore emeritus.

²Designated by S. Res. 103.

³Designated by S. Res. 21.

⁴Designated by S. Res. 6.