

MINNESOTA

(Population 2000, 4,919,479)

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MARK DAYTON, Democrat, of Minneapolis, MN; born in Minneapolis, January 26, 1947; education: B.A., Yale University, 1969; professional: worked as a teacher in the New York, NY, public school system, 1969–71; also worked as a counselor and administrator for a Boston, MA, social services agency, 1971–75; religion: Presbyterian; public service: legislative assistant to Senator Walter Mondale, 1975–76; assistant to Minnesota Governor Rudy Perpich, 1977–78; Minnesota Commissioner of Energy and Economic Development, 1983–86; Minnesota State Auditor, 1991–95; committees: Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry; Armed Services; Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs; Rules and Administration; Joint Committee on Printing; elected to the U.S. Senate on November 7, 2000.

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FIRST DISTRICT

GIL GUTKNECHT, Republican, of Rochester, MN; born in Cedar Falls, IA, March 20, 1951; education: graduated, Cedar Falls High School; B.A., University of Northern Iowa; professional: real estate broker and auctioneer; served as State Representative, 1982–94, floor leader, House Republican Caucus; married: Mary Catherine Gutknecht, 1972; children: Margie, Paul, and Emily; committees: Agriculture; Government Reform; Science; subcommittees: chair, Department Operations, Oversight, Dairy, Nutrition and Forestry; elected to the 104th Congress; reelected to each succeeding Congress.