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Uniform Poll Closing Act of 2000 Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Jan 22, 2001

Current Status: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration.

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on Rules and Administration. (Jan 22, 2001)

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#### **Sponsor**

Name: Sen. Stevens, Ted [R-AK]

Party: Republican • State: AK • Chamber: Senate

#### **Cosponsors** (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Inouye, Daniel K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Jan 22, 2001
Sen. Murkowski, Frank H. [R-AK]	$R \cdot AK$		Jan 22, 2001

## **Committee Activity**

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules and Administration Committee	Senate	Referred To	Jan 22, 2001

#### **Subjects & Policy Tags**

#### **Policy Area:**

**Government Operations and Politics** 

#### **Related Bills**

No related bills are listed.

### **Summary** (as of Jan 22, 2001)

Uniform Poll Closing Act of 2000 (sic) - Amends Federal presidential elections and vacancies law to: (1) establish 9 p.m., Eastern Standard Time, as the single poll closing time for presidential general elections; (2) allow the States of Alaska and Hawaii to open polling places for such an election during the day preceding election day; and (3) provide for extended daylight saving time in the Pacific time zone in presidential election years.

## **Actions Timeline**

- Jan 22, 2001: Introduced in Senate
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