

HJRES 72

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States regarding the right to vote.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: House

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Nov 6, 2001

Current Status: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

Latest Action: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution. (Nov 27, 2001)

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Sponsor

Name: Rep. Jackson, Jesse L., Jr. [D-IL-2]

Party: Democratic • **State:** IL • **Chamber:** House

Cosponsors

No cosponsors are listed for this bill.

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Nov 27, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Nov 6, 2001)

Constitutional Amendment - Provides that all U.S. citizens who are eighteen years of age or older shall have the right to vote in any public election held in the jurisdiction in which the citizen resides.

Requires each State to: (1) administer public elections in the State in accordance with election performance standards established by the Congress; and (2) provide any eligible voter the opportunity to register and vote on the day of any public election.

Requires each State and the District of Columbia to establish and abide by rules for appointing its respective number of Electors.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 27, 2001:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
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