

S 811

A bill to amend title 36, United States Code to designate the oak tree as the national tree of the United States.

Congress: 107 (2001–2003, Ended)

Chamber: Senate

Policy Area: Commemorations

Introduced: May 1, 2001

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (May 1, 2001)

Official Text: <https://www.congress.gov/bill/107th-congress/senate-bill/811>

Sponsor

Name: Sen. Nelson, Ben [D-NE]

Party: Democratic • **State:** NE • **Chamber:** Senate

Cosponsors (1 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Crapo, Mike [R-ID]	R · ID		May 1, 2001

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	May 1, 2001

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Commemorations

Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
107 HR 1936	Identical bill	May 30, 2001: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.

Summary (as of May 1, 2001)

Designates the oak tree (commonly known as the genus Quercus) as the national tree.

Actions Timeline

- May 1, 2001:** Introduced in Senate
- May 1, 2001:** Sponsor introductory remarks on measure. (CR S4119-4120)
- May 1, 2001:** Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

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