

## HJRES 103

Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to abolish the electoral college and to provide for the direct popular election of the President and Vice President of the United States.

**Congress:** 114 (2015–2017, Ended)

**Chamber:** House

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Nov 17, 2016

**Current Status:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.

**Latest Action:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice. (Dec 5, 2016)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/114th-congress/house-joint-resolution/103>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Rep. Rangel, Charles B. [D-NY-13]

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

### Cosponsors (2 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Rep. Cohen, Steve [D-TN-9]	D · TN		Nov 30, 2016
Rep. Speier, Jackie [D-CA-14]	D · CA		Dec 2, 2016

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	Dec 5, 2016

### Subjects & Policy Tags

#### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
114 HJRES 104	Related bill	Dec 22, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
114 HJRES 102	Related bill	Dec 5, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
114 SJRES 41	Identical bill	Nov 15, 2016: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

### Summary (as of Nov 17, 2016)

### Constitutional Amendment

This joint resolution proposes a constitutional amendment requiring the President and the Vice President to be jointly elected by the direct vote of the qualified electors of the several states and territories and the District of Columbia.

## **Actions Timeline**

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- **Dec 5, 2016:** Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.
- **Nov 17, 2016:** Introduced in House
- **Nov 17, 2016:** Referred to the House Committee on the Judiciary.