

SJRES 41

A joint resolution 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: Senate

Policy Area: Government Operations and Politics

Introduced: Nov 15, 2016

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

Latest Action: Read twice and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (Nov 15, 2016)

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Sponsor

Name: Sen. Boxer, Barbara [D-CA]

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

Cosponsors (3 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Nov 15, 2016
Sen. Gillibrand, Kirsten E. [D-NY]	D · NY		Nov 16, 2016
Sen. Nelson, Bill [D-FL]	D · FL		Nov 16, 2016

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	Senate	Referred To	Nov 16, 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 HJRES 103	Identical bill	Dec 5, 2016: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution and Civil Justice.

Summary (as of Nov 15, 2016)

Constitutional Amendment

The President and Vice President shall be jointly elected by the direct vote of the qualified electors of the several states and territories and the District of Columbia.

Actions Timeline

- **Nov 15, 2016:** Introduced in Senate
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