

## S 621

### PROVE Act

**Congress:** 116 (2019–2021, Ended)

**Chamber:** Senate

**Policy Area:** Government Operations and Politics

**Introduced:** Feb 28, 2019

**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. (Feb 28, 2019)

**Official Text:** <https://www.congress.gov/bill/116th-congress/senate-bill/621>

### Sponsor

**Name:** Sen. Duckworth, Tammy [D-IL]

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

### Cosponsors (17 total)

Cosponsor	Party / State	Role	Date Joined
Sen. Bennet, Michael F. [D-CO]	D · CO		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Blumenthal, Richard [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Brown, Sherrod [D-OH]	D · OH		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Cardin, Benjamin L. [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Feinstein, Dianne [D-CA]	D · CA		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Harris, Kamala D. [D-CA]	D · CA		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Hirono, Mazie K. [D-HI]	D · HI		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Jones, Doug [D-AL]	D · AL		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Klobuchar, Amy [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Merkley, Jeff [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Murphy, Christopher [D-CT]	D · CT		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Smith, Tina [D-MN]	D · MN		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Van Hollen, Chris [D-MD]	D · MD		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Whitehouse, Sheldon [D-RI]	D · RI		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Wyden, Ron [D-OR]	D · OR		Feb 28, 2019
Sen. Booker, Cory A. [D-NJ]	D · NJ		Mar 12, 2019
Sen. Markey, Edward J. [D-MA]	D · MA		Oct 17, 2019

### Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Rules and Administration Committee	Senate	Referred To	Feb 28, 2019

## Subjects & Policy Tags

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### Policy Area:

Government Operations and Politics

### Related Bills

Bill	Relationship	Last Action
116 HR 1	Related bill	<b>Mar 14, 2019:</b> Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 39.
116 HR 1442	Identical bill	<b>Feb 28, 2019:</b> Referred to the House Committee on House Administration.

### Summary (as of Feb 28, 2019)

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#### Pre-Registration of Voters Everywhere Act or the PROVE Act

This bill requires each state to implement a preregistration process under which individuals age 16 or older may apply to register to vote in federal elections. States must ensure that eligible preregistered individuals are registered to vote in elections held on or after the date the individual turns age 18.

The Election Assistance Commission must make grants to states to increase the involvement of individuals under age 18 in public election activities.

### Actions Timeline

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- **Feb 28, 2019:** Introduced in Senate
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