FORMER REPRESENTATIVE · PUERTO RICO, AT-LARGE SEAT

Jamie Benitez



Democratic

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bills introduced	became law	bills cosponsored	recorded votes cast

BIOGRAPHY

A Resident Commissioner from Puerto Rico. Born in Vieques, P.R., October 29, 1908. ... President, University System of Puerto Rico, San Juan, P.R., 1966-1971. Member, Constitutional Convention of Puerto Rico, and chairman, Committee on Bill of Rights, 1951-1952. Member, United States National Commission for UNESCO, 1948-1954. United States delegate, University Convention, Utrecht, Holland, 1948. National Convention of UNESCO, Paris, France, 1950, and Havana, Cuba, 1952. President, National Association of State Universities, 1957-1958. Delegate to Democratic National Convention, 1976. Elected as a Popular Democrat to the United States House of Representatives for a four-year term (January 3, 1973-January 3, 1977). Caucused with the Democratic Party. Unsuccessful candidate for reelection in 1976. Professor, Inter-American University of Puerto Rico, San Juan, P.R., 1980-1986. Died on May 30, 2001, in San Juan, P.R.

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