



Mr. G. K. Butterfield

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** House

State: NC • **District:** 1

Service: 2004–2022

Most recent Congress: 117

Biography

A Representative from North Carolina. Born in Wilson, Wilson County, N. C. , April 27, 1947. Graduated from Charles H. Darden High School, Wilson, N. C. , 1965. B. A. , North Carolina Central University, Durham, N. C. , 1971. J. D. , North Carolina Central University School of Law, 1974. United States Army, 1968-1970. Lawyer, private practice. North Carolina resident superior court judge, 1989-2001. North Carolina special superior court judge, 2002-2004. Justice of the North Carolina state supreme court, 2001-2002. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Eighth Congress, by special election, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of United States Representative Frank Ballance, and reelected to the nine succeeding Congresses until his resignation on December 30, 2022 (July 20, 2004-December 30, 2022). Was not a candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Eighteenth Congress in 2022.

Legislative Activity (2004–2022)

Bills sponsored: 118

Bills cosponsored: 3062

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
117 HR 9536	Haliwa-Saponi Indian Tribe of North Carolina Recognition Act	Referred to the House Committee on Natural Resources. Updated Dec 14, 2022
117 HR 2758	Lumbee Recognition Act	Read the second time. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 522. Updated Oct 11, 2022
117 HR 7506	New Era of Preventing End-Stage Kidney Disease Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. Updated Apr 15, 2022
117 HR 1218	Data Mapping to Save Moms' Lives Act	Received in the Senate. Read twice. Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Cale Updated Apr 6, 2022
117 HR 6972	Give Kids a Chance Act of 2022	Referred to the Subcommittee on Health. Updated Mar 9, 2022

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
117 HR 1917	Hazard Eligibility and Local Projects Act	Became Public Law No: 117-332. Updated Jan 5, 2023
117 HR 1154	Great Dismal Swamp National Heritage Area Act	Became Public Law No: 117-331. Updated Jan 5, 2023
117 HRES 1382	Condemning the atrocities that occurred in Atlanta, Georgia, in 1906, in which White supremacist mobs brutalized, terrorized, and killed dozens of Black Americans, and reaffirming the commitment of the House of Representatives to combating hatred, injustice, and White supremacy.	Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 1531, H. Res. 1382 is considered passed House. (text: CR H1007 Updated Dec 23, 2022
117 HRES 366	Promoting awareness of motorcyclist profiling and encouraging collaboration and communication with the motorcycle community and law enforcement officials to prevent instances of profiling.	Pursuant to the provisions of H. Res. 1531, H. Res. 366 is considered passed House. (text: CR H10074 Updated Dec 23, 2022
117 HR 9648	Bus Rapid Transit Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Highways and Transit. Updated Dec 22, 2022