



Mr. Mark Begich

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** Senate

State: AK

Service: 2009–2015

Most recent Congress: 113

Biography

A Senator from Alaska. Born in Anchorage, Alaska, March 30, 1962. Graduated Steller Secondary School, 1981. Small business owner. Real estate and property management. Member, Anchorage Assembly 1988-1998, chair 1993 and 1996-1998. Alaska Student Loan Corporation 1995-2002, chair 1996-2002. Alaska Commission of Post-secondary Education 1995-2002, chair 1996-1998. University of Alaska Board of Regents 2001-2002. Mayor of Anchorage 2003-2009. Elected as a Democrat to the United States Senate in 2008, and served from January 3, 2009, to January 3, 2015. Was an unsuccessful candidate for reelection in 2014.

Legislative Activity (2009–2015)

Bills sponsored: 181

Bills cosponsored: 1258

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
113 S 2444	Howard Coble Coast Guard and Maritime Transportation Act of 2014	Became Public Law No: 113-281. Updated Dec 18, 2014
113 S 1474	A bill to amend the Violence Against Women Reauthorization Act of 2013 to repeal a special rule for the State of Alaska, and for other purposes.	Became Public Law No: 113-275. Updated Dec 18, 2014
113 S 2482	North Pacific Fisheries Convention Implementation Act	By Senator Rockefeller from Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation filed written report. Updated Dec 12, 2014
113 S 2094	Vessel Incidental Discharge Act	By Senator Rockefeller from Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation filed written report. Updated Dec 10, 2014
113 S 2991	Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Reauthorization Act of 2014	Read twice and referred to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation. Updated Dec 9, 2014

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
113 S 363	Geothermal Production Expansion Act of 2013	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 540. Updated Dec 22, 2014
113 S 2673	United States-Israel Strategic Partnership Act of 2014	Became Public Law No: 113-296. Updated Dec 19, 2014
113 S 1744	Security Clearance Accountability, Reform, and Enhancement Act	Held at the desk. Updated Dec 16, 2014
113 S 182	Anchorage Land Conveyance Act of 2014	Placed on Senate Legislative Calendar under General Orders. Calendar No. 629. Updated Dec 10, 2014
113 S 1410	Smarter Sentencing Act of 2014	Committee on the Judiciary Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights and Human Rights. Hearings Updated Dec 9, 2014