



Mr. Artur Davis

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** House

State: AL • **District:** 7

Service: 2003–2011

Most recent Congress: 111

Biography

A Representative from Alabama. Born in Montgomery, Montgomery County, Ala. , on October 9, 1967. Graduated from Jefferson Davis High School, Montgomery, Ala. , 1986. B. A. , Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. , 1990. J. D. , Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass. , 1993. Lawyer, private practice. Clerk, Judge Myron Thompson, Middle District of Alabama, 1993-1994. Assistant United States Attorney, Middle District of Alabama, 1994-1998. Unsuccessful candidate for nomination to the One Hundred Seventh Congress in 2000. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Eighth and to the three succeeding Congresses (January 3, 2003-January 3, 2011). Not a candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Twelfth Congress in 2010. Unsuccessful candidate for Governor of Alabama in 2010.

Legislative Activity (2003–2011)

Bills sponsored: 51

Bills cosponsored: 1005

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
111 HRES 1054	Commending and congratulating the University of West Alabama on the occasion of its 175th anniversary.	Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education, Lifelong Learning, and Competitiveness. Updated Feb 23, 2010
111 HRES 972	Commending University of Alabama Running Back Mark Ingram on winning the 2009 Heisman Trophy.	Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education, Lifelong Learning, and Competitiveness. Updated Feb 23, 2010
111 HR 4345	Alabama Black Belt National Heritage Area Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on National Parks, Forests and Public Lands. Updated Dec 23, 2009
111 HR 4340	Main Street Survival Act	Referred to the House Committee on Financial Services. Updated Dec 16, 2009
111 HR 3623	To amend the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 to provide funding for successful claimants following a determination on the merits of Pigford claims related to racial discrimination by the Department of Agriculture.	Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution, Civil Rights, and Civil Liberties. Updated Oct 19, 2009

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
111 HR 1064	Youth PROMISE Act	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 417. Updated Dec 22, 2010
111 HRES 1761	Congratulating Auburn University quarterback and College Park, Georgia, native Cameron Newton on winning the 2010 Heisman Trophy for being the most outstanding college football player in the United States.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Dec 15, 2010
111 HR 476	Veterans, Women, Families with Children, and Persons With Disabilities Housing Fairness Act of 2010	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 404. Updated Dec 9, 2010
111 HRES 1313	Expressing support for designation of May as "Child Advocacy Center Month" and commending the National Child Advocacy Center in Huntsville, Alabama, on their 25th anniversary in 2010.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Dec 2, 2010
111 HR 3808	Interstate Recognition of Notarizations Act of 2010	On motion to refer the bill and the accompanying veto message to the Committee on the Judiciary. Agr Updated Nov 17, 2010