

Patrick J. Kennedy

Party: Democratic • **Chamber:** House
State: RI • **District:** 1
Service: 1995–2011
Most recent Congress: 111

Biography

A Representative from Rhode Island. Born in Brighton, Middlesex County, Mass. , July 14, 1967. Graduated Phillips Academy, Andover, Mass. B. S. , Providence College, Providence, R. I. , 1991. Delegate to the Democratic National Convention of 1988. Member of the Rhode Island state house of representatives, 1988-1994. Elected as a Democrat to the One Hundred Fourth and to the seven succeeding Congresses (January 3, 1995-January 3, 2011). Was not a candidate for reelection to the One Hundred Twelfth Congress in 2010.

Legislative Activity (1995–2011)

Bills sponsored: 121
Bills cosponsored: 2073

Most Recent Sponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
111 HRES 716	Recognizing Gail Abarbanel and the Rape Treatment Center, and for other purposes.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Nov 16, 2010
111 HR 5331	To revise the boundaries of John H. Chaffee Coastal Barrier Resources System Sachuest Point Unit RI-04P, Easton Beach Unit RI-05P, Almy Pond Unit RI-06, and Hazards Beach Unit RI-07 in Rhode Island.	Subcommittee Hearings Held. Updated Jul 27, 2010
111 HR 5392	Council on Integration of Health Care Education Act of 2010	Referred to the Subcommittee on Higher Education, Lifelong Learning, and Competitiveness. Updated Jun 29, 2010
111 HR 5466	SAMHSA Modernization Act of 2010	Referred to the House Committee on Energy and Commerce. Updated May 28, 2010
111 HR 5246	Child Welfare Workforce Study Act	Referred to the Subcommittee on Healthy Families and Communities. Updated May 27, 2010

Most Recent Cosponsored Bills

Bill	Title	Status / Last Action
111 HR 2941	To reauthorize and enhance Johanna's Law to increase public awareness and knowledge with respect to gynecologic cancers.	Became Public Law No: 111-324. Updated Dec 22, 2010
111 HRES 1461	Supporting Olympic Day on June 23, 2010, and congratulating Team USA and World Fit participants.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Dec 22, 2010
111 HR 1064	Youth PROMISE Act	Placed on the Union Calendar, Calendar No. 417. Updated Dec 22, 2010
111 HR 2480	Truth in Fur Labeling Act of 2010	Became Public Law No: 111-313. Updated Dec 18, 2010
111 HRES 1621	Recognizing the 100th anniversary of the historic founding of Catholic Charities USA.	Motion to reconsider laid on the table Agreed to without objection. Updated Dec 17, 2010

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