

LOUISIANA

(Population 2000, 4,468,976)

SENATORS

JOHN BREAUX, Democrat, of Crowley, LA; born in Crowley, LA, on March 1, 1944; education: graduated, St. Michael's High School, Crowley, LA, 1961; B.A., political science, University of Southwestern Louisiana, Lafayette, 1964; J.D., Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, 1967; employment: law partner, Brown, McKernan, Ingram, and Breaux, 1967–68; legislative assistant to Congressman Edwin W. Edwards, 1968–69; district assistant to Congressman Edwards, 1969–72; member: Louisiana Bar Association and Acadia Parish Bar Association; board of directors, International Rice Festival Association; member: Crowley Jaycees; Crowley Chamber of Commerce; Pi Lambda Beta, prelaw fraternity; Phi Alpha Delta, law fraternity; Lambda Chi Alpha, social fraternity; Student Bar Association, L.S.U.; U.S.L. tennis team; Moot Court finalist, L.S.U., 1966; winner, American Legion Award; married: the former Lois Gail Daigle in 1964; children: John I. Jr., William Lloyd, Elizabeth Andre, and Julia Agnes; two granddaughters: Anna Kate and Campbell McKay Sheperdson; elected to the 92nd Congress by special election, 7th District of Louisiana, September 30, 1972; reelected to the seven succeeding Congresses; chairman, Subcommittee on the Conservation of Wildlife and Fisheries and the Environment, 1979–86; elected to U.S. Senate on November 4, 1986; chairman, Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee, 1989–90; member and chairman, Democratic Leadership Council (1991–93); elected Democratic chief deputy whip, 104th Congress; reelected to a 2nd term on November 3, 1992; reelected to a 3rd term on November 3, 1998; committees: chairman, Special Committee on Aging; Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Finance; subcommittees: chairman, Social Security and Family Policy; Health Care; Taxation and IRS Oversight; chairman, Science, Technology, and Space; Aviation; Communications; Oceans and Fisheries; Surface Transportation and Merchant Marine; in January 1998, he was selected by the White House and House and Senate leaders to chair the National Bipartisan Commission on the Future of Medicare. Also in 1998, he co-chaired the National Commission on Retirement Policy, which produced legislation to help reform Social Security.

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MARY L. LANDRIEU, Democrat, of New Orleans, LA; born in Alexandria, VA, on November 23, 1955; education: B.A., Louisiana State University, 1977; real estate broker, specializing in townhouse development; represented New Orleans House District 90 in Louisiana Legislature, 1979–87; State Treasurer, 1987–95; vice chair, Louisiana Council on Child Abuse; member, Business and Professional Women; majority council member, Emily's List; past national president, Women's Legislative Network; past vice president, Women Executives in State Government; delegate to every Democratic National Convention since 1980; married: E. Frank Snellings; children: Connor, and Mary Shannon; committees: Appropriations; Armed Services; Energy and Natural Resources; Small Business and Entrepreneurship; Congressional Coalition on Adoption; elected to the U.S. Senate on November 5, 1996.

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REPRESENTATIVES

FIRST DISTRICT

DAVID VITTER, Republican, of Metairie, LA; born on May 3, 1961; married: Wendy Baldwin Vitter; three children: Sophie, Lise, and Airey; education: Harvard University; Oxford University Rhodes Scholar; Tulane University School of Law; profession: lawyer (business attorney); adjunct law professor, Tulane and Loyola Universities; religion: Catholic; public service: elected to the Louisiana House of Representatives in 1991, reelected in 1995; awards: Alliance for Good Government "Legislator of the Year"; Victims and Citizens Against Crime "Outstanding Legislator" and "Lifetime Achievement Award"; elected to the 106th Congress on May 29, 1999, by special election; reelected to each succeeding Congress.

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ZIP Codes: 70001-06, 70009-11, 70033, 70053, 70055, 70056 (part), 70058 (part), 70059, 70062 (part), 70063-64 (part), 70065 (part), 70072 (part), 70115 (part), 70118 (part), 70119 (part), 70121, 70122 (part), 70123-24, 70401, 70403, 70420-22, 70426-27, 70429, 70431, 70433-34, 70436-38, 70442, 70443-46, 70448, 70450-52, 70454-61, 70463-67, 70469-70

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SECOND DISTRICT

WILLIAM J. JEFFERSON, Democrat, of New Orleans, LA; born in Lake Providence, LA, on March 14, 1947; graduated, G.W. Griffin High School, Lake Providence, LA, 1965; B.A., Political Science and English, Southern University and A&M College, Baton Rouge, LA, 1969; J.D., Harvard Law School, Cambridge, MA, 1972; LL.M., Georgetown University, 1996; admitted to the bar, New Orleans, LA, 1972; attorney, Jefferson, Bryan, Jupiter, Lewis and Blanson, New Orleans, LA; first lieutenant, U.S. Army, J.A.G. Corps, 1975; member, board of trustees, Greater St. Stephen's Baptist Church; Urban League of Greater New Orleans; Southern University Foundation Board; Louisiana State Senate, March, 1980 to January, 1991; family: married the former Andrea Green in 1970; five children: Jamila, Jalila, Jelani, Nailah, and Akilah; elected to the 102nd Congress; reelected to each succeeding Congress.

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County: New Orleans Parish (part). Population (1990), 602,689.

ZIP Codes: 70001 (part), 70003 (part), 70053-54, 70056 (part), 70058 (part), 70062 (part), 70063, 70065 (part), 70067 (part), 70072 (part), 70073, 70094 (part), 70096, 70112-14, 70115 (part), 70116-17, 70118 (part), 70119 (part), 70121 (part), 70122 (part), 70123 (part), 70125-31, 70139, 70141, 70150-4, 70156-58, 70160-61, 70163, 70165, 70170, 70172, 70174-79, 70182, 70185-87, 70189-90