

WEST VIRGINIA

(Population 2000, 1,808,344)

SENATORS

ROBERT C. BYRD, Democrat, of Sophia, WV; born November 20, 1917; Baptist; married Erma Ora James; two daughters: Mrs. Mohammad (Mona Byrd) Fatemi and Mrs. Jon (Marjorie Byrd) Moore; six grandchildren: Erik, Darius and Fredrik Fatemi, and Michael (deceased), Mona and Mary Anne Moore; committees: chairman, Appropriations; Armed Services; Budget; Rules and Administration; elected as President pro tempore of the U.S. Senate on June 6, 2001; sworn in to the U.S. Senate on January 3, 1959; reelected to each succeeding Senate term.

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