

ILLINOIS

(Population, 2000 12,419,293)

SENATORS

RICHARD J. DURBIN, Democrat, of Springfield, IL; born in East St. Louis, IL, November 21, 1944; son of William and Ann Durbin; education: graduated, Assumption High School, East St. Louis; B.S., foreign service and economics, Georgetown University, Washington, DC, 1966; J.D., Georgetown University Law Center, 1969; professional: attorney, admitted to the Illinois bar in 1969; began practice in Springfield; legal counsel to Lieutenant Governor Paul Simon, 1969–72; legal counsel to Illinois Senate Judiciary Committee, 1972–82; parliamentarian, Illinois Senate, 1969–82; president, New Members Democratic Caucus, 98th Congress; associate professor of medical humanities, Southern Illinois University School of Medicine; married: the former Loretta Schaefer, 1967; children: Christine, Paul, and Jennifer; committees: Appropriations; Judiciary; Rules and Administration; Select Committee on Intelligence; appointed as Assistant Democratic Leader in 2001; elected to the 98th Congress, November 2, 1982; reelected to each succeeding Congress; elected to the U.S. Senate on November 5, 1996; reelected to each succeeding Senate term.

Office Listings

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Director.—Bill Houlihan.	
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BARACK OBAMA, Democrat, of Chicago, IL; born in Hawaii, August 4, 1961; education: B.A., Political Science, Columbia University, 1983; J.D., Harvard Law School, *magna cum laude*, 1991; professional: attorney; civil rights lawyer; University of Chicago Law School lecturer in constitutional law; public service: Illinois State Senator, 1997–2004; religion: Church of Christ; organizations: chairman, Chicago Annenberg Challenge; Cook County Bar Association; Community Law Project; Joyce Foundation; Center for Neighborhood Technology; married: Michelle; children: Malia and Sasha; committees: Environment and Public Works; Foreign Relations; Veterans' Affairs; subcommittees: African Affairs; Clean Air, Climate Change, and Nuclear Safety; East Asian and Pacific Affairs; Fisheries, Wildlife, and Water; International Economic Policy, Export and Trade Promotion; Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs; elected to the U.S. Senate on November 2, 2004.

Office Listings

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701 North Court Street, Marion, IL 62959	(618) 997-2402

REPRESENTATIVES

FIRST DISTRICT

BOBBY L. RUSH, Democrat, of Chicago, IL; born in Georgia, November 23, 1946; education: B.A., with honors, Roosevelt University, Chicago; M.A., University of Illinois, Chicago; professional: served in U.S. Army, 1963–68; Democratic Ward Committeeman, second

ward, Chicago, 1984, 1988; Democratic State Central Committeeman, First Congressional District, 1990; deputy chairman, Illinois Democratic Party, 1990; Department of Commerce and Community Affairs Illinois Enterprise Zone Award; Operation PUSH Outstanding Young Man Award; Henry Booth House Outstanding Community Service Award; South End Jaycees Outstanding Business and Professional Achievement Award; Chicago Black United Communities Distinguished Political Leadership Award; cofounder, Illinois Black Panther Party; co-chair, Congressional Biotechnology Caucus; Regional and Assistant Democratic Whip; married: Carolyn; five children; committees: Energy and Commerce; elected on November 3, 1992, to the 103rd Congress; reelected to each succeeding Congress.

Office Listings

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 3235 West 147th Street, Midlothian, IL 60445 (708) 385-9550
 Suburban Director.—Younus Suleman.

Counties: COOK COUNTY (part), CITIES AND TOWNSHIPS: Alsip, Blue Island, Chicago, Country Club Hills, Evergreen Park, Homewood, Midlothian, Oak Forest, Orland Hills, Orland Park, Palos Heights, Posen, Robbins, and Tinley Park. Population (2000), 653,647.

ZIP Codes: 60406, 60445, 60452, 60456, 60462-63, 60469, 60472, 60477-78, 60482, 60615-16, 60619-21, 60636-37, 60643, 60652-53, 60803, 60805

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SECOND DISTRICT

JESSE L. JACKSON, JR., Democrat, of Chicago, IL; born in Greenville, SC, March 11, 1965; education: B.S., business management, *magna cum laude*, North Carolina A&T State University, 1987; M.A., Chicago Theological Seminary, 1989; J.D., University of Illinois College of Law, 1993; member, Congressional Black Caucus, Congressional Progressive Caucus; elected Secretary of the Democratic National Committee's Black Caucus; national field director, National Rainbow Coalition, 1993-95; member, Rainbow/Push Action Network; married: the former Sandra Lee Stevens; committees: Appropriations; elected to the 104th Congress (special election); reelected to each succeeding Congress.

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ZIP Codes: 60406, 60409, 60411-12, 60417, 60419, 60422-23, 60425-26, 60429-30, 60438, 60443, 60445, 60449, 60452, 60461, 60466, 60471, 60473, 60475-78, 60615, 60617, 60620, 60628, 60633, 60636-37, 60643, 60649, 60827

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THIRD DISTRICT

DANIEL W. LIPINSKI, Democrat, of Chicago, IL; born in Chicago, July 15, 1966; son of former Congressman William Lipinski, 1983-2004; education: B.S., Mechanical Engineering, Northwestern University, *magna cum laude*, 1988; M.S., Engineering-Economic Systems,