

CONNECTICUT

(Population 2010, 3,574,097)

SENATORS

RICHARD BLUMENTHAL, Democrat, of Greenwich, CT; born in Brooklyn, NY, February 13, 1946; son of Martin and Jane Rosenstock Blumenthal; education: graduated, Riverdale Country School, Riverdale, NY, 1963; B.A., government, Harvard College, Cambridge, MA, 1967; J.D., Yale Law School, New Haven, CT, 1973; admitted to Connecticut Bar, 1976; admitted to District of Columbia Bar, 1977; appointed United States Attorney for the District of Connecticut, 1977–81; Connecticut State House of Representatives, 1984–87; Connecticut State Senate, 1987–90; elected Attorney General for the State of Connecticut, 1990, reelected in 1994, 1998, 2002, and 2006; military: served in the United States Marine Corps Reserves, 1970–76, honorably discharged as Sergeant; married: Cynthia M. Blumenthal; four children: Matthew, Michael, David, and Claire; committees: ranking member, Veterans' Affairs; Armed Services; Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Judiciary; Special Committee on Aging; elected to the U.S. Senate on November 2, 2010.

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FIRST DISTRICT

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