

MISSISSIPPI

(Population 2010, 2,967,297)

SENATORS

ROGER F. WICKER, Republican, of Tupelo, MS; born in Pontotoc, MS, July 5, 1951; education: graduated, Pontotoc High School, Pontotoc, MS; B.A., University of Mississippi, Oxford, MS, 1973; J.D., University of Mississippi, 1975; president, Associated Student Body, 1972–73; *Mississippi Law Journal*, 1973–75; Air Force ROTC; professional: U.S. Air Force, 1976–80; U.S. Air Force Reserve, 1980–2004 (retired with rank of Lieutenant Colonel); U.S. House of Representatives Rules Committee staff for Representative Trent Lott, 1980–82; private law practice, 1982–94; Lee County Public Defender, 1984–87; Tupelo City Judge Pro Tempore, 1986–87; Mississippi State Senate, 1988–94, chairman: Elections Committee, 1992, Public Health and Welfare Committee, 1993–94; member: Lions Club, University of Mississippi Hall of Fame, Sigma Nu Fraternity Hall of Fame, Omicron Delta Kappa, Phi Delta Phi; religion: Southern Baptist, deacon, adult choir of First Baptist Church, Tupelo, MS; married: Gayle Long Wicker; children: Margaret (Manning) McPhillips, Caroline (Kirk) Sims, and McDaniel (Kellee) Wicker; grandchildren: Caroline McPhillips, Henry McPhillips, Maury Beth McPhillips, Virginia McPhillips, Evelyn Sims, Joseph Sims, and Philippa Wicker; ranking member of the U.S. Helsinki Commission and a vice president of the OSCE's Parliamentary Assembly; committees: ranking member, Commerce, Science, and Transportation; Armed Services; Environment and Public Works; Rules and Administration; Joint Committee on Printing; elected to the 104th Congress, November 8, 1994; president, Republican freshman class, 1995; reelected to each succeeding Congress; appointed by the Governor, December 31, 2007, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Senator Trent Lott; elected to the U.S. Senate on November 4, 2008; reelected to each succeeding Senate term.

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CINDY HYDE-SMITH, Republican, of Brookhaven, MS; born in Brookhaven, May 10, 1959; education: Copiah-Lincoln Community College, Wesson, MS; B.A., University of Southern Mississippi, Hattiesburg, MS, 1981; professional: cattle farmer; Mississippi State Senator, 2000–12; first woman elected as Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce, State of Mississippi, 2012–18; awards: Agriculture Legislator of the Year Award from the Mississippi Association of Conservation Districts; Ambassador Award from the Mississippi Farm Bureau Federation; Achievement Award from the Delta Council; Outstanding Service to Small Farmers Award from Alcorn State University; religion: Baptist; family: husband, Michael; daughter, Anna-Michael; committees: Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry; Appropriations; Energy and Natural Resources; Rules and Administration; appointed to the U.S. Senate to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of U.S. Senator Thad Cochran; took the oath of office on April 9, 2018, to serve until a special election on November 6, 2018; elected in a runoff election on November 27, 2018, for the remainder of the term ending January 3, 2021; first woman elected to represent Mississippi in Congress.

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