

THE STATES

AMERICAN SAMOA



LEMANU PELETI MAUGA



LIEUTENANT GOVERNORS

Ipulasi Aitofele Toese Fiti Sunia	2007 to 2013
Lemanu Peleti Mauga	2013 to present

ALABAMA



JOHN MERRILL



SECRETARIES OF STATE

J. Thomas Heflin	1903–1906	Agnes Baggett	1963–1966
Frank N. Julian	1907–1911	Mabel Amos	1967–1974
C. R. Brown	1911–1915	Agnes Baggett	1975–1979
John Purifoy	1915–1919	Don Siegelman	1979–1987
Wm. P. Cobb	1919–1921	Glen Browder	1987–1989
S. H. Blan	1923–1927	Fred Crawford	1989–1989
John Brandon	1927–1931	Perry A. Hand	1989–1991
Pete B. Jarman, Jr.	1932–1935	Billy Joe Camp	1991–1993
Howell Turner	1935–1938	Jim Bennett	1993–2003
John Brandon	1939–1942	Nancy L. Worley	2003–2007
Howell Turner	1942–1944	Beth Chapman	2007–2013
Sibyl Poole	1945–1950	Jim Bennett	2013–2015*
Agnes Baggett	1951–1954	John Merrill	2015 to present
Mary Texas Hurt	1955–1958		
Bettye Frink	1959–1962		

* Appointed to fill unexpired term

ALASKA



BYRON MALLOTT



SECRETARIES OF STATE AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNORS

Hugh Wade	1959–1966	Sean Parnell	2007–2009
Keith Miller	1966–1969	Craig E. Campbell	2009–2010
Robert W. Ward	1969–1970	Mead Treadwell	2010–2014
H. A. “Red” Boucher	1970–1974	Byron Mallott	2014 to present
Lowell Thomas, Jr.	1974–1978		
Terry Miller	1978–1982		
Stephen McAlpine	1982–1990		
Jack Coghill	1990–1994		
Fran Ulmer	1994–2002		
Loren Lemam	2002 to 2007		

Note: From Statehood through 1970, Alaska’s second highest official in the Executive branch of government was termed the “Secretary of State.” In 1970, the voters amended the Constitution and substituted the designation of “Lieutenant Governor.”

ARIZONA



MICHELE REAGAN



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Sidney P. Osborn	1912–1918	Nov. 22, 1948 became	
Mit Simms	1919–1920	Governor upon death of	
Ernest R. Hall	1921–1922	Sidney P. Osborn)	1942–1948
James H. Kerby	1923–1928	Curtis Williams (Appointed	
J. C. Callaghan		Nov. 1948 to fill unexpired	
(Died Jan. 29, 1929)	1929	term)	1948–1948
I. P. Frazier		Wesley Bolin	1949–1977
(Appointed to fill		Rose Mofford	1977–1988
unexpired term)	1929–1930	James Shumway	1988–1991
Scott White	1931–1932	Richard Mahoney	1991–1995
James H. Kerby	1933–1938	Jane Dee Hull	1995–1997
Harry M. Moore		Betsey Bayless	1997–2002
(Died Nov. 27, 1942)	1939–1942	Janice K. Brewer	2003–2009
Dan E. Garvey (Appointed to fill		Ken Bennett	2009–2015
unexpired term. Elected 1944.		Michele Reagan	2015 to present

ARKANSAS



MARK MARTIN



SECRETARIES OF STATE

J. W. Crockett	1901–1904	Winston Bryant	1977–1979
O. C. Ludwig	1905–1910	Paul Riviere	1979–1985
Earle W. Hodges	1911–1916	W. J. McCuen	1985–1994
Tom J. Terral	1917–1920	Sharon Priest	1994–2003
Ira C. Hopper	1921–1924	Charlie Daniels	2003–2011
Jim B. Higgins	1925–1930	Mark Martin	2011 to present
Ed F. McDonald	1931–1936		
C. G. “Crip” Hall*	1937–1961	*Died in office and Nancy J. Hall appointed to fill unexpired term.	
Nancy J. Hall	1961–1962	**Died in office and George O. Jernigan, Jr. appointed Nov. 1975 to fill unexpired term.	
Kelly Bryant**	1963–1975		
George O. Jernigan, Jr.	1975–1976		

CALIFORNIA



ALEX PADILLA



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Charles F. Curry	Jan. 2, 1899
Frank C. Jordan	Jan. 2, 1911
Paul Peek	March 1, 1940
Frank M. Jordan	Jan. 4, 1943
H. P. Sullivan	April 3, 1970
Edmund G. Brown, Jr.	Jan. 4, 1971–Jan. 5, 1975
March Fong Eu	Jan. 6, 1975–Feb. 17, 1994
Tony Miller*	Feb. 18, 1994–Jan. 1, 1995
Bill Jones	Jan. 2, 1995–Jan. 5, 2003
Kevin Shelley	Jan. 6, 2003–Feb. 4, 2005
Bruce McPherson	March 30, 2005–January 7, 2007
Debra Bowen	2007–2015
Alex Padilla	2015 to present

COLORADO



WAYNE WILLIAMS



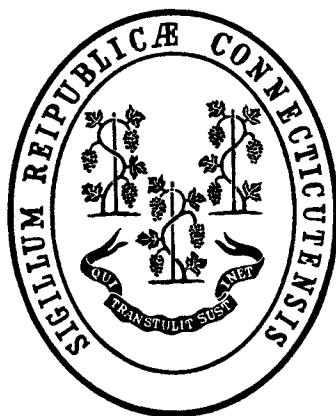
SECRETARIES OF STATE

James Cowie	1903–1907	George Baker	1955–1963
Timothy O’Conner	1907–1909	Byron A. Anderson	1963–1974
James B. Pierce	1909–1915	Mary Estill Buchanan	1974–1983
John E. Ramer	1915–1917	Natalie Meyer	1983–1995
James R. Noland	1917–1921	Victoria Buckley	1995–1999
Carl Miliken	1921–1927	Donetta Davidson	1999–Aug., 2005
Charles Armstrong	1927–1935	Gigi Dennis	Sept., 2005–2007*
James Carr	1935–1937	Mike Coffman	2007–2009
George Saunders	1937–1941	Bernie Buescher	2009–2011
Walter Morrison	1941–1949	Scott Gessler	2011–2015
George Baker	1949–1953	Wayne Williams	2015 to present
Homer Bruce	1953–1955		

CONNECTICUT



DENISE W. MERRILL



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Charles G. R. Vinal	1901–1905	Frances B. Redick	1947–1949
Theodore Bodenwein	1905–1909	Winifred McDonald	1949–1951
Matthew H. Rogers	1909–1913	Alice K. Leopold	1951–1953
Albert Phillips	1913–1915	Charles B. Keats	1953–1955
Charles D. Burnes	1915–1917	Mildred P. Allen	1955–1959
Frederick L. Perry	1917–1921	Ella T. Grasso	1959–1971
Donald J. Warner	1921–1923	Gloria Schaffer	1971–1978
Francis A. Pallotti	1923–1929	Henry S. Cohn	1978–1979
William L. Higgins	1929–1933	Barbara B. Kennelly	1979–1982
John A. Danaher	1933–1935	Maura L. Melley	1982–1983
C. John Satti	1935–1939	Julia H. Tashjian	1983–1991
Sara B. Crawford	1939–1941	Pauline R. Kezer	1991–1995
Chase G. Woodhouse	1941–1943	Miles S. Rapoport	1995–1999
Frances B. Redick	1943–1945	Susan Bysiewicz	1999–2011
Charles J. Prestia	1945–1947	Denise Merrill	2011 to present

DELAWARE



JEFFREY BULLOCK



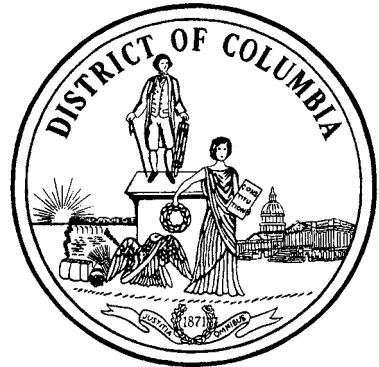
SECRETARIES OF STATE

Caleb R. Layton	1901–1905	Earle D. Willey	1941–1942
Joseph L. Cahall	1905–1909	William J. Storey	1942–1949
Daniel O. Hastings	1909–1909	Harris B. McDowell	1949–1953
William T. Smithers	1909–1911	John N. McDowell	1953–1958
Charles S. Richards	1911–1913	George J. Schultz	1958–1961
Thomas W. Miller	1913–1915	Elisha C. Dukes	1961–1969
George H. Hall	1915–1917	Eugene Bunting	1969–1971
Everett C. Johnson	1917–1921	Walton H. Simpson	1971–1972
Alden R. Benson	1921–1925	Robert H. Reed	1973–1977
William G. Taylor	1925–1925	Glenn C. Kenton	1977–1985
Fannie S. Harrington	1925–1927	Michael E. Harkins	1985–1991
Sylvester D. Townsend, Jr.	1927–1927	Michael Ratchford	1992
Charles H. Grantland	1927–1934	William T. Quillen	1993–1994
Walter Dent Smith	1934–1937	Edward J. Freel	1994–2000
Charles L. Terry, Jr.	1937–1938	Harriet N. Smith Windsor	2001 to 2009
Josiah Marvel, Jr.	1938–1941	Jeffrey Bullock	2009 to present

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA



LAUREN VAUGHAN



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Martin Schaller	1969–1978
Dwight S. Cropp	1979–1984
Clifton B. Smith	1984–1987
David Rivers	1987
Teri Y. Doke	1989–1990
Mildred W. Goodman	1991–1993
Stephanie Greene	1993–1994
Marianne Coleman Niles	1995–1996
Kathleen E. Arnold	1996–1998
Beverly D. Rivers	1999–2003
Sherryl Hobbs Newman	2003–2005
Patricia Elwood	2005–2007
Stephanie Scott	2007–Oct. 29, 2010
Naomi Shelton	Oct. 30, 2010–2011
Cynthia Brock-Smith	2011–2014
Sharon Anderson*	Nov. 1, 2014–2015
Lauren Vaughan	2015 to present

*Appointed Interim Secretary to fill vacancy

FLORIDA



KEN DETZNER



SECRETARIES OF STATE

H. Clay Crawford	1902–1929	Jesse J. McCrary, Jr.	1978–1979
W. M. Igou	1929–1930	George Firestone	1979–1987
R. A. Gray Commissioned ad interim April 12, 1930. Elected Nov. 4, 1930, and commissioned Nov. 7, 1930, for unexpired term. Re-elected and commissioned for four-year terms beginning 1933, 1937, 1941, 1945, 1949, 1953, 1957.		James C. Smith	1987–1995
Tom Adams	1961–4 years 1965–2 years 1967–4 years	Sandra B. Mortham	1995–1999
Richard (Dick) Stone	1971–1974	Katherine D. Harris	1999–2002
Dorothy W. Glisson	1974–1975	James C. Smith	2002–2003*
Bruce A. Smathers	1975–1978	Kenneth W. Detzner	2003
		Glenda Hood	2003–Nov. 2005
		Sue Cobb	2006–2007
		Kurt Browning	2007–May 2010
		Dawn Roberts	May 2010–2011
		Kurt Browning	2011–2012
		Ken Detzner	2012 to present

*In 2002, the position of Secretary of State became an appointed position.

GEORGIA



BRIAN KEMP



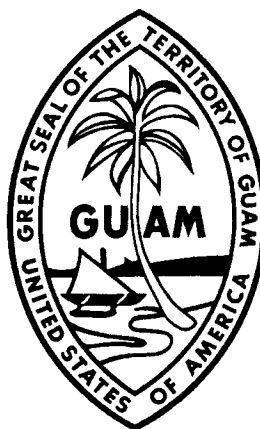
SECRETARIES OF STATE

Philip Cook	1898–1918
H. B. Strange	1918–1919
S. G. McLendon (Died March 8, 1928)	1919–1928
George H. Carswell	1928–1931
John B. Wilson (Died Feb. 22, 1946)	1931–1946
Ben W. Fortson, Jr.	1946–1979
David Poythress	1979–1983
Max Cleland	1983–1996
Lewis Massey	1996–1998
Cathy Cox	1998–2007
Karen Handel	2007–2009
Brian Kemp	2009 to present

TERRITORY OF GUAM



RAY TENORIO



LIEUTENANT GOVERNORS

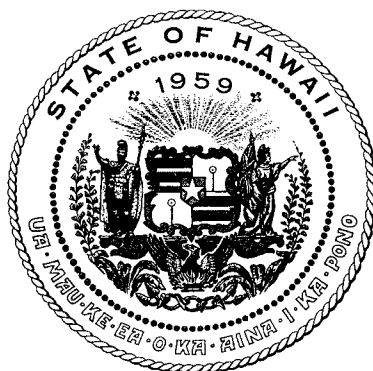
Randall S. Herman	1950–1953
William T. Corbett	1953–1956
Marcellus G. Boss	1956–1959
A. M. Edwards	1960–1961
Manuel F. L. Guerrero	1961–1963
Denver Dickerson	1963–1969
Kurt S. Moylan	1969–1974
Rudolph G. Sablan	1975–1978
Joseph F. Ada	1979–1982
Edward D. Reyes	1983–1986
Frank F. Blas	1987–1994
Madeleine Z. Bordallo	1995–2002
Kaleo S. Moylan	2003–2006
Michael W. Cruz	2007–2011
Ray Tenorio	2011 to present

From 1950 to 1969, the Secretary of Guam was appointed by the President of the United States and confirmed by the Senate. In 1970, Guam began to elect its Governor and Lt. Governor.

HAWAII



SHAN TSUTSUI



LIEUTENANT GOVERNORS

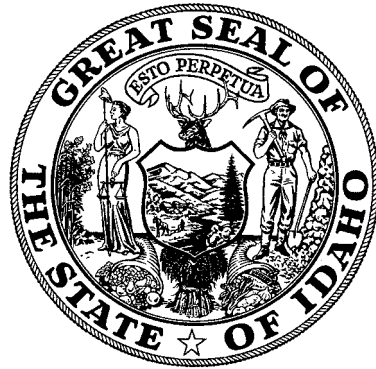
James K. Kealoha	1959–1962
Williams S. Richardson	1962–1966
(Mr. Richardson resigned to accept a position as Chief Justice of the State’s Supreme Court).	
Andrew T. F. Ing	1966–1966
(Mr. Ing completed Mr. Richardson’s term).	
Thomas P. Gill	1966–1970
George R. Ariyoshi	1970–1974
Nelson K. Doi	1974–1978
Jean King	1978–1982
John D. Waihee III	1983–1986
Benjamin J. Cayetano	1986–1994
Mazie K. Hirono	1994–2002
James R. Aiona, Jr.	2002–2010
Brian Schatz	2010–2012
Shan Tsutsui	2012 to present*

*Appointed to fill unexpired term

IDAHO



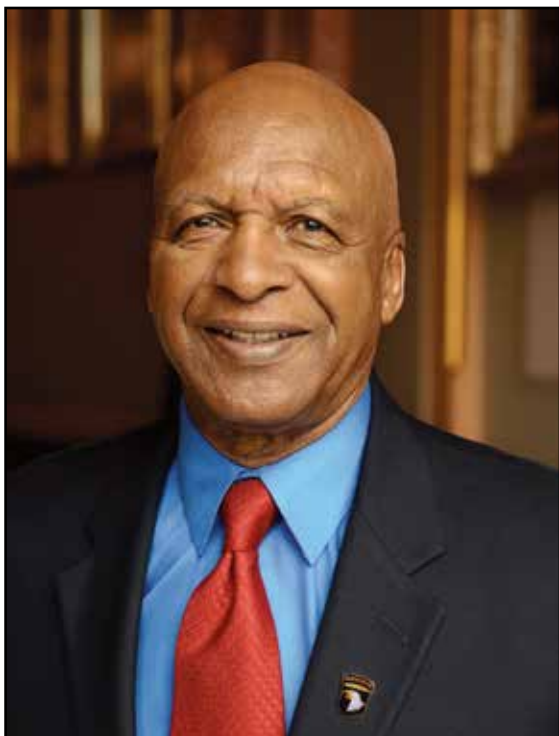
LAWRENCE DENNEY



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Will H. Gibson	1903–1905	James H. Young	
Robert Lansdon	1907–1909	(Appointed Feb. 27, 1956)	1956
Wilfred L. Gifford	1911–1913	Arnold Williams	
George R. Barker	1915	(Resigned 1966)	1959–1963
William T. Dougherty	1917	Louis E. Clapp	
Robert O. Jones	1919–1921	(Appointed 1966)	1966
F. A. Jeter	1923–1925	Edson H. Deal	
Fred E. Lukens	1927–1929 & 1931	(Died April 22, 1967)	1967
Franklin Girard	1933–1935	Pete T. Cenarrusa	
Ira H. Masters	1937	(Appointed May 1, 1967)	1967–2002
George H. Curtis	1939, 1941 & 1943	Ben Ysursa	2003–2015
Ira H. Masters	1945	Lawrence Denney	2015 to present
J. D. (Cy) Price	1947		
Ira H. Masters			
(Died Feb. 19, 1956)	1951–1955		

ILLINOIS



JESSE C. WHITE



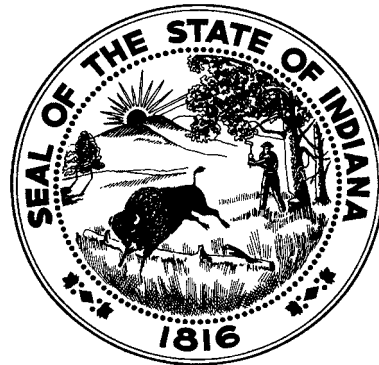
SECRETARIES OF STATE

James A. Rose (Died May 29, 1912)	Jan. 14, 1901–1912	Edward J. Barrett	Jan. 8, 1945–1949
Cornelius J. Doyle (Appointed by Governor)	June 3, 1912	Charles F. Carpentier (Died April 3, 1964)	Jan. 12, 1953–1964
Harry Woods (Died Oct. 11, 1914)	Feb. 3, 1913	William H. Chamberlain (Appointed by Governor)	Apr. 3, 1964
Lewis G. Stevenson (Appointed by Governor)	Oct. 14, 1914	Paul Powell (Died October 10, 1970)	Jan. 11, 1965–1970
Louis L. Emmerson	Jan. 8, 1917–1925	John W. Lewis (Appointed by Governor)	Oct. 13, 1970
William J. Stratton	Jan. 14, 1929	Michael J. Howlett	1973–1977
Edward J. Hughes (Died June 28, 1944)	Jan. 9, 1933–1944	Alan J. Dixon	1977–1981
Richard Yates Rowe (Appointed by Governor)	June 30, 1944	Jim Edgar	1981–1991
		George Ryan	1991–1999
		Jesse C. White	1999 to present

INDIANA



CONNIE LAWSON



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Daniel E. Storms	1903–1906	Leland L. Smith	1950–1952
Fred A. Sims	1906–1910	Crawford F. Parker	1952–1956
L. G. Ellingham	1910–1914	Frank A. Lenning	1956–1958
Homer L. Cook	1914–1916	John R. Walsh	1958–1960
Ed Jackson	1916–1917	Charles O. Hendricks	1960–1964
William A. Roach	1917–1920	John D. Bottorff	1964–1966
Ed Jackson	1920–1924	Edward Whitcomb	1966–1968
Fred Schortemeier	1924–1928	William N. Salin	1968–1970
Otto G. Fifield	1928–1930	Larry A. Conrad	1971–1978
Frank Mayr, Jr.	1930–1934	Edwin J. Simcox	1979–1986
August G. Mueller	1934–1938	Birch Evan Bayh III	1987–1989
James M. Tucker	1938–1942	Joseph H. Hogsett	1989–1994
Maurice G. Robinson	1942–1942	Sue Anne Gilroy	1995–2002
Rue J. Alexander	1942–1946	Todd Rokita	2003–2011
Thomas E. Bath, Jr.	1946–1948	Charlie White	2011–2012
Charles F. Fleming	1948–1950	Connie Lawson	2012 to present

IOWA



PAUL PATE



SECRETARIES OF STATE

William B. Martin	1901–1907
William C. Hayward	1907–1913
William S. Allen	1913–1919
W. C. Ramsey*	1919–1928
Ed. M. Smith	1928–1931
G. C. Greenwalt	1931–1933
Mrs. Alex Miller	1933–1937
Robert E. O'Brien**	1937–1939
Earl G. Miller	1939–1943
Wayne N. Ropes	1943–1947
Rollo H. Bergeson	1947–1949
Melvin D. Synhorst	1949–1965
Gary L. Cameron	1965–1966

Melvin D. Synhorst	1967–1980
Mary Jane Odell	1980–1987
Elaine Baxter	1987–1994
Paul Pate	1995–1998
Chester Culver	1999–2007
Michael Mauro	2007–2011
Matt Schultz	2011–2015
Paul Pate	2015 to present

*Appointed to fill vacancy on resignation of William S. Allen. Died Jan. 24, 1937.

**Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of Mrs. Alex Miller.

KANSAS



KRIS KOBACH



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Joel Randall Burrow	1903–1907	Frank J. Ryan	1933–1949
Charles Eugene Denton	1907–1911	Larry Ryan	1949–1951
Charles Harrison Sessions	1911–1915	Paul R. Shanahan	1951–1966
J. T. Botkin	1915–1919	Elwill M. Shanahan	
L. J. Pettijohn	1919–1922	appointed April 28, 1966	1966–1978
(resigned)		Jack Brier	1978–1987
D. O. McCray		Bill Graves	1987–1995
Appointed vice Pettijohn	Nov. 14, 1922–	Ron Thornburgh	1995–2010
	Jan., 1923	Chris Biggs	2010–2011
Frank J. Ryan	1923–1929	Kris Kobach	2011 to present
E. A. Cornell	1929–1933		

KENTUCKY



ALISON LUNDERGAN GRIMES



SECRETARIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH

V. McChesney	1903–1907	Mrs. Leila Feltner Begley	
Ben L. Bruner	1907–1911	(Served during unexpired term of Elmer Begley)	
C. F. Crecelius	1911–1915	Kenneth F. Harper	
James P. Lewis	1915–1919	(Served during unexpired term of Elmer Begley)	
Fred A. Vaughn	1919–1923	Thelma Stovall	1971–1975
Emma Guy Cromwell	1923–1927	Drexell R. Davis	1975–1979
Ella Lewis	1927–1931	Frances Jones Mills	1979–1983
Sara W. Mahan	1931–1935	Drexell R. Davis	1983–1987
Charles D. Arnett	1935–1939	Bremer Ehrler	1987–1991
George Glenn Hatcher	1939–1943	Bob Babbage	1991–1995
Charles K. O'Connell	1943–1947	John Y. Brown III	1995–2003
George Glenn Hatcher	1947–1951	Trey Grayson	2003–2011
Charles K. O'Connell	1951–1955	Elaine Walker	2011–2012*
Thelma Stovall	1955–1959	Alison Lundergan Grimes	2012 to present
Henry C. Carter	1959–1963		
Thelma Stovall	1963–1967		
Elmer Begley	1967–1971		

*Appointed to fill unexpired term

LOUISIANA



TOM SCHEDLER



SECRETARIES OF STATE

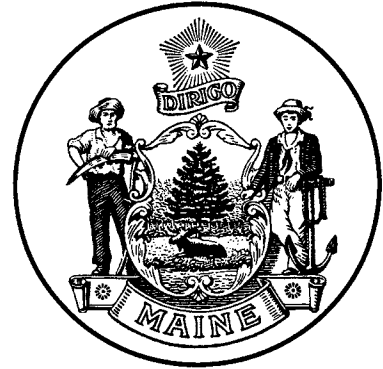
John T. Michel	1904–1912	James H. Brown	1980–1988
Edward E. Everett	1912	W. Fox McKeithen	1988–2005
Alvin E. Hebert	1912–1916	Al Ater	2005–2006 ¹
W. F. Millsaps	1915–1916	Jay Dardenne	2006–2010
James J. Bailey	1916–1932	Tom Schedler	2010 to present ²
Alice Lee Grosjean	1930–1932		
E. A. Conway	1932–1940		
James A. Gremillion	1940–1944		
Wade O. Martin, Jr.	1944–1976		
Paul J. Hardy	1976–1980		

1. Appointed by Governor
2. Office filled pursuant to LA Constitution Art. IV, §16

MAINE



MATTHEW DUNLAP



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Byron Boyd	1897–1907	Paul A. MacDonald	1961–1965
Arthur I. Brown	1907–1911	Kenneth M. Curtis	1965–1967
Cyrus W. Davis	1911–1913	Joseph T. Edgar	1967–1975
Jos. E. Alexander	1913–1915	Markham L. Gartley	1975–1978
John E. Bunker	1915–1917	Rodney S. Quinn	1979–1988
Frank W. Ball	1917–1927	G. William Diamond	1989–1996
Edgar C. Smith	1927–1933	Dan A. Gwadosky	1997–2004
Robinson C. Tobey	1933–1935	Matthew Dunlap	2005–2011
Lewis O. Barrows	1935–1937	Charles E. Summers, Jr.	2011–2013
Frederick Robie	1937–1942	Matthew Dunlap	2013 to present
Harold I. Goss	1942–1961		

MARYLAND



JOHN C. WOBENSMITH



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Oswald Tilghman	1904–1908	Thomas B. Finan	1959–1961
N. Winslow Williams	1908–1912	Lloyd L. Simpkins	1961–1967
Robert P. Graham	1912–1916	C. Stanley Blair	1967–1969
Thomas W. Simmons	1916–1919	Blair Lee III	1969–1971
George L. Radcliffe	1919–1920	Fred L. Wineland	1971–1982
Philip B. Perlman	1920–1923	Patricia G. Holtz	1982–1983
E. Brooke Lee	1923–1925	Lorraine M. Sheehan	1983–1987
David C. Winebrenner III	1925–1935	Winfield M. Kelly, Jr.	1987–1993
Thomas L. Dawson	1935–1936	Tyras S. Athey	1993–1995
E. Ray Jones	1936–1939	John T. Willis	1995–2003
John B. Gontrum	1939	R. Karl Aumann	2003–2005
Francis Petrott	1939–1941	Mary Kane	2005–2007
Miles T. Tull	1941	Dennis Schnepfe ²	2007 to 2008
Thomas Elmo Jones	1941–1946	John P. McDonough	2008–2015
William J. McWilliams ¹	1946	John C. Wobensmith	2015 to present
Edward G. Chaney	1946–1947		
John B. Funk	1947		
Bertram Lee Boone II	1947–1949		
Vivian V. Simpson	1949–1951		
John R. Reeves	1951–1955		
Blanchard Randall	1955–1957		
Claude B. Hellmann	1957–1959		

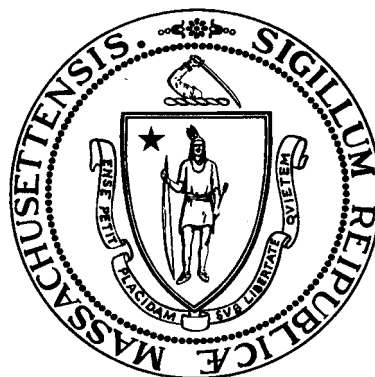
1. Appointed assistant to the Secretary of State during the absence of Thomas Elmo Jones, April 20, 1944–February 7, 1946. McWilliams actually held the title only two days, February 7–8, 1946.

2. Appointed Acting Secretary of State

MASSACHUSETTS



WILLIAM GALVIN



SECRETARIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH

William M. Olin ¹	1891–1911
Albert P. Langtry ¹	1911–1913
Frank J. Donahue	1913–1915
Albert P. Langtry	1915–1921
Frederic W. Cook	1921–1949
Edward J. Cronin ²	1949–1958
J. Henry Goguen ²	1958–1959
Joseph D. Ward ³	1959–1961
Kevin H. White ⁴	1961–1967
John F. X. Davoren ⁵	1967–1975
Paul Guzzi	1975–1978
Michael Connolly	1978–1994
William F. Galvin	1995 to present

1. Secretary Olin died April 15, 1911; Mr. Langtry chosen to fill vacancy April 26, 1911.
2. Secretary Cronin died Nov. 24, 1958. The vacancy was filled by the appointment of J. Henry Goguen, who qualified on Dec. 1, 1958, to fill unexpired term.
3. Office was filled by election by the Legislature of Joseph D. Ward on Jan. 20, 1959.
4. Elected November 8, 1966 to a four-year term. Resigned Dec. 20, 1967.
5. Office was filled by election by the Legislature of John F. X. Davoren on Dec. 20, 1967; and on November 3, 1970 Mr. Davoren was elected to a four-year term.

MICHIGAN



RUTH JOHNSON



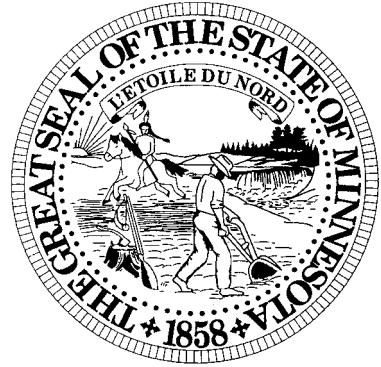
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Fred M. Warner	1901–1904	Orville E. Atwood	1935–1936
George A. Prescott	1905–1908	Leon D. Case	1937–1938
Frederick C. Martindale	1909–1914	Harry F. Kelly	1939–1942
Coleman C. Vaughan	1915–1920	Herman H. Dignan	1943–1946
Charles J. DeLand	1921–1926	Fred M. Alger, Jr.	1947–1952
John S. Haggerty	1927–1930	Owen J. Clery	1953–1954
Frank D. Fitzgerald	1931–1934	James D. Hare	1955–1970
(Resigned Nov. 15, 1934;		Richard H. Austin	1971–1994
Clarke W. Brown		Candice S. Miller	1995–2002
appointed Nov. 13, 1934)		Terri Lynn Land	2003–2011
Clarke W. Brown	1934	Ruth Johnson	2011 to present

MINNESOTA



STEVE SIMON



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Peter E. Hanson	Jan. 7, 1901
Julius A. Schmahl	Jan. 7, 1907
Mike Holm	Jan. 4, 1921
H. H. Chesterman	July 7, 1952
Mrs. Mike Holm	Sept. 16, 1952
Joseph L. Donovan	Jan. 3, 1955
Arlen I. Erdahl	Jan. 4, 1971
Joan Anderson Growe	Jan. 6, 1975
Mary Kiffmeyer	Jan. 4, 1999
Mark Ritchie	Jan. 2, 2007
Steve Simon	Jan. 5, 2015

MISSISSIPPI



C. DELBERT HOSEMANN, JR.



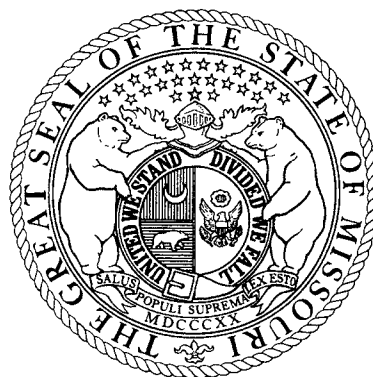
SECRETARIES OF STATE

J. W. Power	1901–1926
Walker A. Wood	1926–1948
Heber A. Ladner	1948–1980
Edwin Lloyd Pittman	1980–1984
Dick Molpus	1984–1996
Eric Clark	1996–2008
C. Delbert Hosemann, Jr.	2008 to present

MISSOURI



JAY ASHCROFT



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Sam Baker Cook	1901–1905
John Ephraim Swanger	1905–1909
Cornelius Roach	1909–1917
John Leo Sullivan	1917–1921
Charles U. Becker	1921–1933
Dwight H. Brown	1933–1944
Gregory C. Stockard ¹	1944–1945
Wilson Bell	1945–1947
Edgar C. Nelson ²	1947–1949
Walter H. Toberman	1949–1960
Robert W. Crawford ³	1960–1961
Warren E. Hearnes	1961–1965
James C. Kirkpatrick	1965–1985
Roy D. Blunt	1985–1993
Judith K. Moriarty	1993–1994

Richard Hanson	1994
Rebecca McDowell Cook	1994–2001
Matt Blunt	2001–2004
Robin Carnahan	2005–2013
Jason Kander	2013–2017
Jay Ashcroft	2017 to present

1. Appointed on May 12, 1944, by Governor Forrest C. Donnell, to fill the vacancy created by the death of Dwight H. Brown.

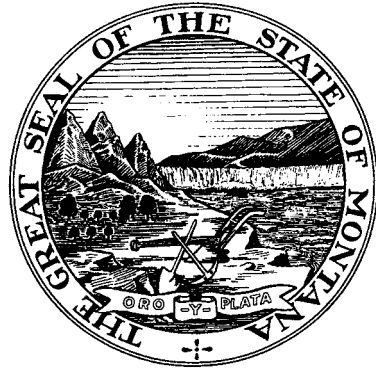
2. Appointed on May 23, 1947, by Governor Phil M. Donnelly, to fill the vacancy created by the death of Wilson Bell.

3. Appointed Feb. 15, 1960, by Governor James T. Blair, Jr., to fill the vacancy created by the death of Walter H. Toberman.

MONTANA



COREY STAPLETON



SECRETARIES OF STATE

George M. Hays	1901–1905	Jim Waltermire	1981–1988
A. N. Yoder	1905–1911	Verner Bertelsen	1988
T. M. Swindlehurst	1911–1913	Mike Cooney	1989–2001
C. M. Alderson	1913–1916	Bob Brown	2001–2004
C. T. Stewart	1917–1927	Brad Johnson	2005–2009
R. N. Hawkins	1927–1927	Linda McCulloch	2009–2017
William Powers	1927–1928	Corey Stapleton	2017 to present
John W. Mountjoy	1928–1928		
W. E. Harmon	1929–1932	Note: Montana's law provides that in the event of a vacancy in the office of Secretary of State the Chief Deputy shall perform all duties of the office until the vacancy is filled.	
Sam W. Mitchell	1933–1955		
S. C. Arnold	1955–1957		
Frank Murray	1957–1981		

NEBRASKA



JOHN GALE



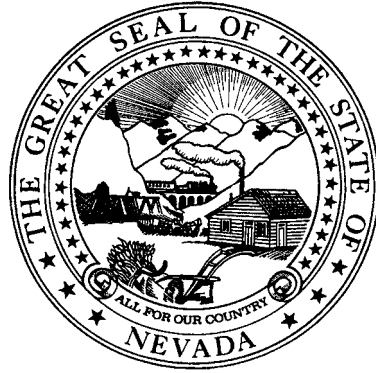
SECRETARIES OF STATE

George W. Marsh	1901–1905	Frank Marsh	1941–1951
A. Galusha	1905–1907	James S. Pittenger	1951–1953
George C. Junkin	1907–1911	(Appointed by Governor Val Peterson to fill vacancy)	
Addison Wait	1911–1915	Frank Marsh	1953–1971
Charles W. Pool	1915–1919	(Son of late Frank Marsh)	
Darius Amsberry	1919–1923	Allen J. Beermann	1971–1995
Charles W. Pool	1923–1927	Scott Moore	1995–2000
Frank Marsh	1927–1933	John Gale	2000 to present
Harry R. Swanson	1933–1941		

NEVADA



BARBARA CEGAVSKE



SECRETARIES OF STATE

W. G. Douglass	1903–1910	William Swackhamer	1973–1987*
George Brodigan	1911–1922	Frankie Sue Del Papa	1987–1991
W. G. Greathouse	1923–1937	Cheryl Lau	1991–1995
(Died March 15, 1937,		Dean Heller	1995–2007
Malcolm McEachin		Ross Miller	2007–2015
appointed to fill		Barbara Cegavske	2015 to present
unexpired term)			
Malcolm McEachin		*Appointed Jan. 11, 1973 to fill the unexpired	
(Elected 1938)	1937–1946	term	
John Koontz			
(Resigned Jan. 10, 1973)	1947–1973		

NEW HAMPSHIRE



WILLIAM GARDNER



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Edward N. Pearson	1899–1915
Edwin C. Bean	1915–1923
Enos K. Sawyer	1923–1925
Hobart Pillsbury	1925–1929
Enoch D. Fuller	1929–1957
Harry E. Jackson	1957–1960
Robert L. Stark	1960–1976
William M. Gardner	1976 to present

NEW JERSEY



KIM GUADAGNO



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Samuel D. Dickinson	1902–1912	(Acting)	
David S. Crater	1912–1915	J. Edward Crabiel	1975–1977
Thomas F. Martin	1915–1926	George W. Lee	1977
Joseph F. S. Fitzpatrick	1926–1931	(Acting)	
Thomas A. Mathis	1931–1941	Donald P. Lan	1977–1982
Joseph A. Brophy	1941–1946	Jane Burgio	1982–1990
Lloyd B. Marsh	1946–1954	Joan M. Haberle	1990–1992
Edward J. Patten	1954–1962	Daniel J. Dalton	1992–1994
Robert J. Burkhardt	1962–1970	Lonna Hooks	1994–1998
Paul J. Sherwin	1970–1972	Carol Cronheim (acting)	July 1, 1998– Jan 11, 1999
Robert M. Falcey	1972	DeForest B. Soaries, Jr.	1999–2002
(Acting)		Regena Lynn Thomas	2002–2005
John F. Evers	1972–1973	Nina Mitchell Wells	2006–2010
(Special Counsel, Acting SOS)		Kim Guadagno	2010 to present
Robert M. Falcey	1973–1974		
(Acting)			
J. Edward Crabiel	1974		
F. Joseph Carragher	1974–1975		

Note: In 2006 the New Jersey Constitution was amended to create the Office of Lieutenant Governor to be first elected in 2010.

NEW MEXICO



MAGGIE TOULOUSE OLIVER



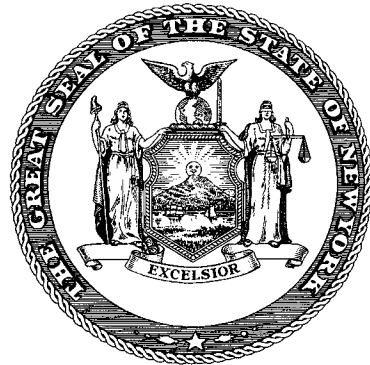
SECRETARIES OF STATE

Antonio Lucero	1912–1918	Alberta Miller	1963–1966
Manuel Martinez	1919–1922	Ernestine D. Evans	1967–1970
Soledad C. Chacon	1923–1926	Betty Fiorina	1971–1974
Jennie Fortune	1927–1928	Ernestine D. Evans	1975–1978
Mrs. E. A. Perrault	1929–1930	Shirley Hooper	1979–1982
Marguerite Baca	1931–1934	Clara Padilla Jones	1983–1986
Elizabeth Gonzales	1935–1938	Rebecca Vigil-Giron	1987–1990
Jessie M. Gonzales	1939–1942	Stephanie Gonzales	1991–1998
Cecelia T. Cleveland	1943–1946	Rebecca Vigil-Giron	1999–2007
Alicia Romero	1947–1950	Mary Herrera	2007–2011
Beatrice (Roach) Gottlieb	1951–1954	Dianna Duran	2011–2015
Natalie Smith Buck	1955–1958	Brad Winter	2015–2016
Betty Fiorina	1959–1962	Maggie Toulouse Oliver	2016 to present

NEW YORK



ROSSANA ROSADO



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Elected

John F. O'Brien	Nov. 4, 1902	Carmine G. DeSapio	Jan. 1, 1955
John S. Whelan	Nov. 6, 1906	Mrs. Caroline K. Simon	Jan. 1, 1959
Samuel S. Koenig	Nov. 3, 1908	John P. Lomenzo	Aug. 22, 1963
Edward Lazansky	Nov. 8, 1910	John J. Ghezzi	Jan. 1, 1974
Mitchell May	Nov. 5, 1912	Mario M. Cuomo	Jan. 1, 1975
Francis M. Hugo	Nov. 3, 1914	Basil Patterson	Jan. 1, 1979
John J. Lyons	Nov. 2, 1920	Gail S. Shaffer	Jan. 1, 1983
James A. Hamilton	Nov. 7, 1922	Alexander F. Treadwell	Jan. 4, 1995
Florence E. S. Knapp	Nov. 4, 1924	Frank Milano	2005–2006
		Christopher Jacobs	2006–2007
		Lorraine Cortés-Vázquez	2007–2010
		Ruth Noemí Colón	2010–2011*
		Cesar Perales	2011–2016
		Rossana Rosado	2016 to present

Appointed

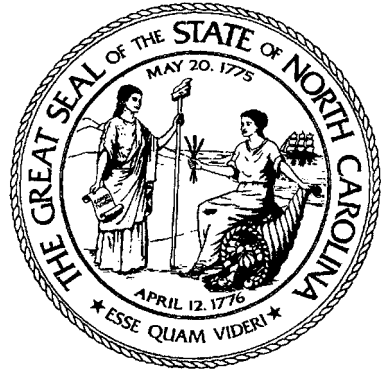
Robert Moses	Jan. 17, 1927
Edward J. Flynn	Jan. 1, 1929
Michael F. Walsh	Jan. 17, 1939
Thomas J. Curran	Jan. 1, 1943

*Acting Secretary of State

NORTH CAROLINA



ELAINE F. MARSHALL



SECRETARIES OF STATE

John Bryan Grimes	1901–1923
William N. Everett	1923–1928
James A. Hartness	1928–1933
Stacey W. Wade	1933–1936
Charles G. Powell	1936
Thaddeus A. Eure	1936–1989
Rufus L. Edmisten	1989–1996
Janice I. Faulkner	4/1996–12/1996
Elaine F. Marshall	1997 to present

NORTH DAKOTA



ALVIN A. JAEGER



SECRETARIES OF STATE

E. F. Porter	1901–1906	Herman Thorson	1941–1942
Alfred Blaisdell	1907–1910	Thomas Hall	1943–1954
P. D. Norton	1911–1912	Ben Meier	1955–1988
Thomas Hall	1913–1924	Jim Kusler	1989–1992
Robert Byrne	1924–1934	Alvin A. Jaeger	1993 to present
James D. Gronna	1935–1940		

OHIO



JON HUSTED

SECRETARIES OF STATE

Lewis C. Laylin	1901–1907	George M. Neffner	April, 1940
Carmi Thompson	1907–1911		Jan., 1941
Charles H. Graves	1911–1915	John E. Sweeney	1941–1943
C. Q. Hildebrant	1915–1917	Edward J. Hummel	1943–1949
William D. Fulton	1917–1919	Charles F. Sweeney	1949–1951
Harvey C. Smith	1919–1923	Ted W. Brown	1951–1979
Thad H. Brown	1923–1927	Anthony J. Celebrezze, Jr.	1979–1983
Clarence J. Brown	1927–1933	Sherrod Brown	1983–1991
George S. Myers	1933–Dec., 1936	Bob Taft	1991–1999
William J. Kennedy	Dec., 1936	J. Kenneth Blackwell	1999–2007
	Jan., 1939	Jennifer Brunner	2007 to 2011
Earl Griffith	1939–April, 1940	Jon Husted	2011 to present

OKLAHOMA



DAVE LOPEZ

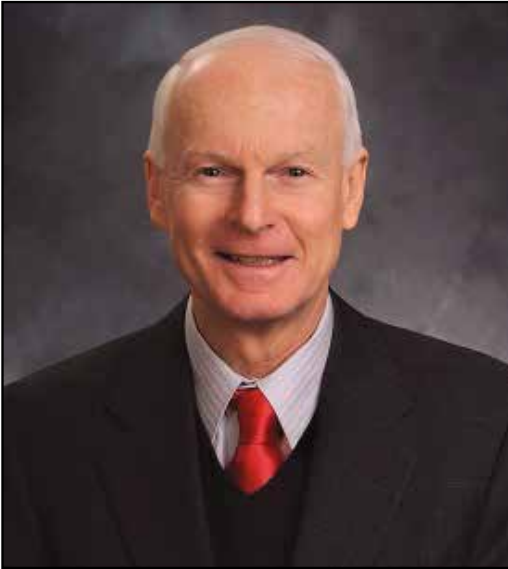


SECRETARIES OF STATE

Bill Crose	1907-1911	Jeannette B. Edmondson	1979-1987
B. F. Harrison	1911-1915	Hannah D. Atkins	1987-1991
S. L. Lyon	1915-1919	John H. Kennedy, Jr.	1991-1995
Joe Morris	1919-1923	Tom J. Cole	1995-1999
R. A. Sneed	1923-1927	Mike Hunter	1999-2002
Graves Leeper	1927-1931	Kay Dudley	2002-2003
R. A. Sneed	1931-1935	M. Susan Savage	2003-2011
Frank C. Carter	1935-1939	Glenn Coffee	2011-2013
C. C. Childers	1939-1943	Michelle Day	Feb. 2013- March 2013*
Frank C. Carter	1943-1947	Larry Parman	2013-2015
Wilburn Cartwright	1947-1951	Chris Benge	2013-2016
John D. Conner	1951-1955	Mike Hunter	2016-2017
Andy Anderson	1955-1959	Dave Lopez	2017 to present
John D. Conner	1959-1963		
James M. Bullard	1963-1967		
John Marvin Rogers	1967-1975		
Jerome W. Byrd (Appointed July 1, 1975 to fill unexpired term of John Rogers)	July 1, 1975-1979		

*Acting Secretary of State

OREGON



DENNIS RICHARDSON

SECRETARIES OF STATE

Frank I. Dunbar	1899–1907	Howell Appling, Jr.	1959–1965
Frank W. Benson (died in office)	1907–1911	Tom L. McCall	1965–1967
Ben W. Olcott	1911–1920	Clay Myers	1967–1977
Sam A. Kozer	1920–1928	Norma Paulus	1977–1985
Hal E. Hoss	1928–1934	Barbara Roberts	1985–1991
P. J. Stadelman	1934–1935	Phil Keisling	1991–1999
Earl Snell	1935–1943	Bill Bradbury	1999–2009
Robert S. Farrell, Jr.	1943–1947	Kate Brown	2009–2015
Earl T. Newbry	1947–1957	Jeanne Atkins	2015–2017*
Mark Hatfield	1957–1959	Dennis Richardson	2017 to present

*Appointed to fill unexpired term

More Secretaries of State from Oregon became governor than in any other state.

PENNSYLVANIA



PEDRO A. CORTÉS

SECRETARIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH

Frank M. Fuller (deceased July 10, 1905)	1903	George I. Bloom	1963
Robert McAfee	1905	W. Stuart Helm	1965
Cyrus E. Woods (resigned July 20, 1921)	1915	Craig Truax	1967
Bernard J. Myers (resigned Jan. 16, 1923)	1921	Joseph J. Kelley, Jr.	1968
Clyde L. King (resigned Oct. 16, 1926)	1923	C. DeLores Tucker	Jan. 25, 1971
E. H. Conarroe	1926	James D. Golden	Sept. 21, 1977
Charles Johnson (resigned May 5, 1929)	1927	Barton A. Fields	Oct. 25, 1977
Robert R. Lewis (resigned June 3, 1929)	1927	Ethel D. Allen	Feb. 13, 1979
Robert R. Lewis (resigned May 23, 1930)	1929	William R. Davis	Nov. 27, 1979
James Walker	1930	Richard E. Anderson	Sept. 27, 1985
Richard J. Beamish	1931	Robert A. Gleason, Jr.	Nov. 25, 1985
John J. Owen	1934	James J. Haggerty	Jan. 20, 1987
David L. Lawrence	1935	Christopher A. Lewis	Sept. 11, 1989
Miss S. M. R. O'Hara	1939	Robert N. Grant	Aug. 10, 1991
C. M. Morrison (resigned Oct. 26, 1949)	1943	Brenda K. Mitchell	Nov. 7, 1991
Gene D. Smith (acting)	1949	Robert N. Grant	April 18, 1994
Gene D. Smith	1950	Yvette Kane	Jan. 17, 1995
James A. Finnegan	1955	Kim Pizzingrilli	March 23, 1999
(resigned Dec. 15, 1955)		C. Michael Weaver	June 25, 2002
Henry E. Harner (resigned Dec. 28, 1956)	1956	Pedro A. Cortés	May 13, 2003
James A. Finnegan (deceased March 26, 1958)	1956	Basil L. Merenda	June 12, 2010
John S. Rice (resigned March 31, 1961)	1958	Carol Aichele	January 18, 2011
E. James Trimarchi, Jr.	1961	Pedro A. Cortés	June 2, 2015

PUERTO RICO



LUIS RIVERA MARÍN



SECRETARIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH

Charles Hartzell	1901–1904
Regis Henry Post	1904–1907
William F. Willoughby	1907–1909
George Cabot Ward	1909–1910
Morton Drew Carrell	1910–1914
Martin Travieso, Jr.	1914–1917
R. Siaca Pacheco	1917–1922
Eduardo J. Saldana	1922–1933
Carlos Gallardo	1933–1941
Everett D. Brown	1941–1944
Haydee San Miguel	1944–1949
Roberto Sanchez Vilella	1949–1964
Carlos J. Lastra	1965–1966
Guillermo Irizarry	1966–1969
Fernando Chardon	1969–1973
Victor M. Pons, Jr.	1973–1974
Juan A. Albors	1975–1977
Reinaldo Paniagua–Diez	1977–1978
Pedro R. Vázquez	1979–1981
Carlos S. Quirós	1981–1985
Héctor Luis Acevedo	1985–1988

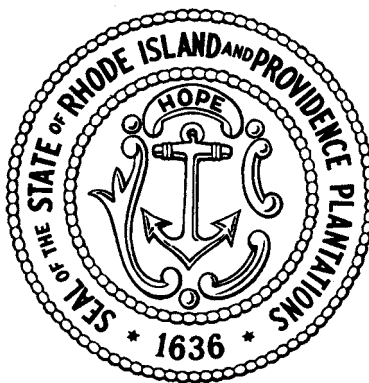
Alfonso López-Chaar	
Sila María Calderón-Serra	1988–1989
Antonio J. Colorado	1989–1992
Salvador M. Padilla-Escabí	1992–1993
Baltasar Corrada-del Río	1993–1995
Norma E. Burgos-Andújar	1995–1999
Ángel Morey	1999–2000
Ferdinand Mercado-Ramos	2001–2003
José Miguel Izquierdo- Encarnación	2004–2005
Fernando Bona Bonilla	2005–2009
Kenneth McClintock	2009–2013
David Bernier	2013–2015
Víctor Suárez Meléndez	2015–2017
Luis Rivera Marín	2017 to present

Note: The Department of State of the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico was created by the Constitution of the Commonwealth on July 25, 1952. Prior to this date its functions were performed by the Secretary of Puerto Rico (1900–1917) and later the Executive Secretary (1917–1952).

RHODE ISLAND



NELLIE GORBEA



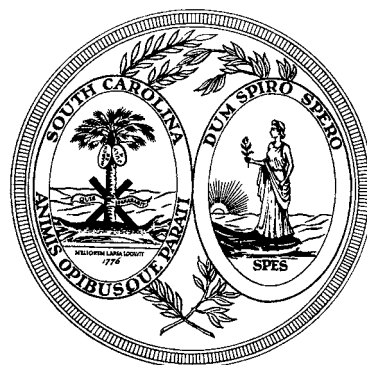
SECRETARIES OF STATE

Charles P. Bennett (Died in office Aug. 25, 1909)	1894–1909	August P. LaFrance	1959–1973
J. Fred Parker (Resigned)	1909–1924	Robert F. Burns	1973–1983
Ernest L. Sprague (Elected by Grand Committee Jan. 16, 1924)	1924–1933	Susan L. Farmer	1983–1987
Louis W. Cappelli	1933–1939	Kathleen S. Connell	1987–1993
J. Hector Paquin	1939–1941	Barbara M. Leonard	1993–1995
Armand H. Cote	1941–1957	James R. Langevin	1995–2001
John A. Notte, Jr.	1957–1959	Edward S. Inman III	2001–2003
		Matthew A. Brown	2003–2007
		A. Ralph Mollis	2007–2015
		Nellie Gorbea	2015 to present

SOUTH CAROLINA



MARK HAMMOND



SECRETARIES OF STATE

J. T. Gantt	1902–1906
R. M. McCown	1906–1916
W. Banks Dove	1916–1923
W. P. Blackwell	1924–1949
P. T. Bradham	1949–1950
Oscar. Frank Thornton	1950–1978
John T. Campbell	1979–1990
James Melvin Miles	1991–2002
Mark Hammond	2003–present

SOUTH DAKOTA



SHANTEL KREBS

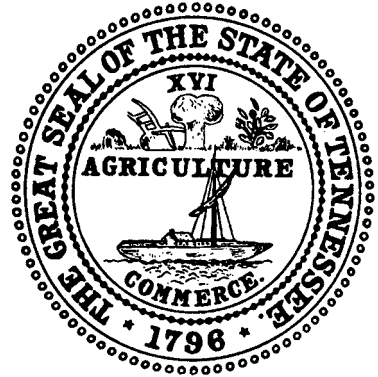
SECRETARIES OF STATE

O. C. Berg	1901–1905	Miss Annamae Riiff	1947–1951
David D. Wipf	1905–1909	Miss Geraldine Ostroot	1951–1957
Samuel C. Polley	1909–1913	Mrs. Clara Halls	1957–1959
Frank Glasner	1913–1915	Selma Sandness	1959–1961
Frank M. Rood	1915–1919	Mrs. Essie Wiedenman	1961–1965
C. A. Burkhart	1919–1922	Alma Larson	1965–1973
C. E. Coyne	1922–1927	Lorna B. Herseth	1973–1979
Gladys Pyle	1927–1931	Alice Kundert	1979–1987
Elizabeth Coyne	1931–1933	Joyce Hazeltine	1987–2003
Myrtle Morrison	1933–1937	Chris Nelson	2003–2011
Goldie Wells	1937–1939	Jason Gant	2011–2015
Olive A. Ringsrud	1939–1943	Shantel Krebs	2015 to present
Mrs. L. M. Larson	1943–1947		

TENNESSEE



TRE HARGETT



SECRETARIES OF STATE

John W. Morton	1901–1909	James H. Cummings	1949–1953
Hallum W. Goodloe	1909–1913	G. Edward Friar	1953–1957
R. R. Sneed	1913–1917	Joe C. Carr	1957–1977
Ike B. Stevens	1917–1921	Gentry Crowell	1977–1990
Ernest N. Haston	1921–1937	Milton Rice	1990–1991
A.B. Broadbent	1937–1941	Bryant Millsaps	1991–1993
Joe C. Carr	1941–1944	Riley C. Darnell	1993–2009
Mrs. Joe C. Carr	1944–1945	Tre Hargett	2009 to present
Joe C. Carr	1945–1949		

TEXAS



ROLANDO PABLOS

SECRETARIES OF STATE

J. R. Curl	1903–1905	Edward Clark	1937–1939	George W. Strake, Jr.	1979–1981
O. K. Shannon	1905–1907	Tom L. Beauchamp	1939	David A. Dean	1981–1983
L. T. Dashiel	1907–1908	M. O. Flowers	1939–1941	John Fainter	1983–1984
W. R. Davie	1908–1909	William J. Lawson	1941–1943	Myra A. McDaniel	1984–1987
W. B. Townsend	1909–1911	Sidney Latham	1943–1945	Jack Rains	1987–1989
C. C. McDonald	1911–1912	Claude Isabell	1945–1947	George Bayoud, Jr.	1989–1991
J. T. Bowman	1912–1913	Paul H. Brown	1947–1949	John Hannah, Jr.	1991–1994
John L. Wortham	1913	Ben Ramsey	1949–1950	Ronald Kirk	1994–1995
F. C. Weinert	1913–1914	John Ben Shepperd	1950–1952	Antonio O.	
D. A. Gregg	1914–1915	Jack Ross	1952–1953	Garza, Jr.	1995–1997
John G. McKay	1915–1916	Howard A. Carney	1953–1954	Alberto R. Gonzales	1997–1999
C. J. Barlett	1916–1917	C. E. Fulgham	1954–1955	Elton Bomer	1999–2000
George F. Howard	1917–1920	Al Muldrow	1955	Henry Cuellar	2001
C. D. Mims	1920–1921	Tom Reavley	1955–1957	Gwyn Shea	2002–2003
S. L. Staples	1921–1924	Zollie Steakley	1957–1962	Geoffrey S. Connor	2003–2004
J. D. Strickland	1924–1925	P. Frank Lake	1962–1963	Roger Williams	2005–2007
Henry Hutchings	1925	Crawford C.		Phil Wilson	2007–2008
Mrs. Emma G.		Martin	1963–1966	Esperanza “Hope”	
Meharg	1925–1927	John L. Hill	1966–1968	Andrade	2008–2012
Mrs. Jane Y.		Roy Barrera	1968–1969	John Steen, Jr.	2012–2014
McCallum	1927–1933	Martin Dies, Jr.	1969–1971	Nandita Berry	2014–2015
W. W. Heath	1933–1935	Robert D. Bullock	1971–1973	Carlos Cascos	2015–2017
Gerald C. Mann	1935	V. Larry Teaver, Jr.	1973	Rolando Pablos	2017 to present
R. B. Stanford	1935–1936	Mark W. White, Jr.	1973–1977		
B. P. Matocha	1936–1937	Steven C. Oaks	1977–1979		

UTAH



SPENCER COX

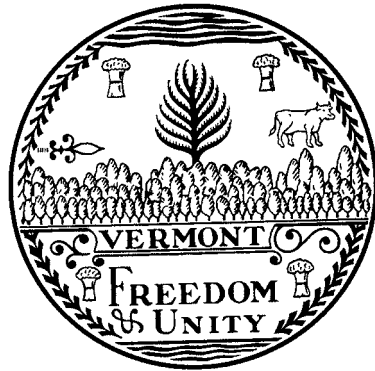


SECRETARIES OF STATE

J. T. Hammond	1896–1905	Clyde L. Miller*	1965–1977
C. S. Tingey	1905–1913	David Smith Monson	1977–1984
David Mattson	1913–1917	Val Oveson	1985–1993
Harden Bennion	1917–1921	Olene S. Walker	1993–2003
H. E. Crockett	1921–1929	Gayle F. McKeachnie	2003–2004
M. H. Welling	1929–1937	Gary Herbert	2005–2009
E. E. Monson	1937–1947	Gregory Bell	2009–2013
Heber Bennion, Jr.	1947–1953	Spencer Cox	2013 to present
Lamont F. Toronto	1953–1965		

* 1975–Utah’s first Lieutenant Governor by legislative action.

VERMONT



JAMES C. CONDOS

SECRETARIES OF STATE

Fred'k G. Fleetwood	1902–1908	Helen E. Burbank	1947–1949
Guy W. Bailey		Howard E. Armstrong	1949–1965
(Resigned 9/1/17—		Harry H. Cooley	1965–1969
Frederick G. Fleetwood		Richard C. Thomas	1969–1977
appointed same date)	1908–1917	James A. Guest	1977–1981
Fred'k G. Fleetwood	1917–1919	James Douglas	1981–1993
Harry A. Black		Donald Hooper	1993–1995
(Deceased April 9, 1923)	1919–1923	Jim Milne	1996–1999
Aaron H. Grout		Deborah L. Markowitz	1999 to 2011
(Appointed 4/21/23.		James C. Condos	2011 to present
Resigned & Rawson C.			
Myrick appointed 5/2/27)	1923–1927		
Rawson C. Myrick	1927–1947		
(Resigned 9/1/47 & Helen E.			
Burbank appointed 10/15/47)			

VIRGIN ISLANDS



OSBERT POTTER



SECRETARIES AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNORS

R. V. L. Stratton	1917–1919	Roy Williston Bornn	1958–1961
Charles C. Timmons	1919–1921	Cyril Emanuel King	1961–1969
John Jerome Gaffney	1921–1923	David Earle Maas	1969–1971
William Southgate Zane	1923–1925	David Earle Maas	1971–1973
Cecil Sherman Baker	1925–1926	Anthniel C. Ottley	1973–1975
Ellsworth Harper Van Patten	1926–1930	Juan Luis	1975–1987
William Gollmore Neill	1930–1931	Derek Hodge	1987–1995
Lawrence William Cramer	1931–1935	Kenneth Mapp	1995–1999
Boyd Janney Brown	1931–1934	Gerald L. James II	1999–2003
Morris Fidanque De Castro	1934–1935	Vargrave Richards	2003–2007
Robert Herrick	1935–1938	Gregory Francis	2007–2015
Robert Morss Lovett	1939–1950	Osbert Potter	2015 to present
Morris Fidanque De Castro	1945–1950		
Daniel Webster Ambrose, Jr.	1950–1954		
Charles Kenneth Claunch	1954–1957		
Vacant	Dec., 1957		
John David Merwin	1957–1958		

Office of Government Secretary abolished on establishment of Lieutenant Governorship on August 23, 1968, popularly known as “Virgin Islands Elective Governor Act.”

VIRGINIA



KELLY THOMASSON

SECRETARIES OF THE COMMONWEALTH

David Q. Eggleston	1901–1910	Marilyn Lussen, acting	1981–1982
B. O. Jones	1910–1926	Laurie Naismith	1982–1985
Martin A. Hutchinson	1927–1929	H. Benson Dendy III	1985–1986
Peter H. Saunders	1930–1937	Sandra D. Bowen	1986–1990
Raymond L. Jackson	1938–1941	Pamela M. Womack	1990–1993
Ralph E. Wilkins	1942–1944	Scott Bates	1993
Thelma Y. Gordon	1948–1952	Penelope Anderson, acting	1993–1994
(Acting)	1945–1946	Betsy Davis Beamer	1994–1998
Jesse W. Dillon		Anne P. Petera	1998–2002
(Resigned)	1946–1948	Anita A. Rimler	2002–2005
M. W. Armistead III		Daniel LeBlanc	2006*
(Resigned)	1948	Katherine Hanley	2006–2010
Thelma Y. Gordon	1948–1952	Janet Vestal Kelly	2010–2014
Martha Bell Conway	1952–1970	Levar Stoney	2014–2016
Cynthia Newman	1970–1974	Kelly Thomasson	2016 to present
Patricia Perkinson	1974–1978		
Stanford E. Parris	1978		
Frederick T. Gray, Jr.	1978–1981		

*Appointed to serve as Acting Secretary of the Commonwealth, but not confirmed by the legislature.

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KIM WYMAN



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Sam H. Nichols (Died 1909)	1901–1909
I. M. Howell (Died 1920)	1909–1920
J. Grant Hinkle	1920–1933
E. N. Hutchinson (Died 1938)	1933–1938
Belle Reeves (Died 1948)	1938–1948
Earl Coe	1948–1957
Victor A. Meyers	1957–1965
A. Ludlow Kramer	1965–1975
Bruce K. Chapman	1975–1981
Ralph Munro	1981–2001
Sam Reed	2001–2013
Kim Wyman	2013 to present

WEST VIRGINIA



MAC WARNER



SECRETARIES OF STATE

Charles Wesley Swisher ¹	1904
Stuart F. Reed	1908–1916
Houston G. Young	1916–1924
George W. Sharp	1924–1932
William Smith O'Brien	1932–1948
D. Pitt O'Brien ²	1948–1956
Helen F. Holt ³ (Appointed Dec. 1, 1957)	
Joe F. Burdett ⁴	1958–1965
Robert D. Bailey ⁵ (Appointed May 17, 1965)	
Robert D. Bailey ⁶	1966
John D. Rockefeller IV	1968
Edgar F. Heiskell	1972
James R. McCartney ⁷ (Appointed. March 19, 1975)	
A. James Manchin (Elected Nov. 2, 1976)–1985	
Ken Hechler	1985–2000
Joe Manchin	2000–2004
Betty Ireland	2005–2009
Natalie Tennant	2009–2017
Mac Warner	2017 to present

NOTE: Elective office from 1863 to 1872, appointive office from 1872 to 1904, and elective office since that date.

1. Appointed by the Governor to fill a one-day vacancy. Resigned March 3, 1905, the day before being inaugurated Governor.

2. Appointed to fill vacancy caused by death of William Smith O'Brien, Aug. 10, 1948.

3. Appointed Dec. 1, 1957, to fill vacancy created by death of D. Pitt O'Brien, Nov. 29, 1957.

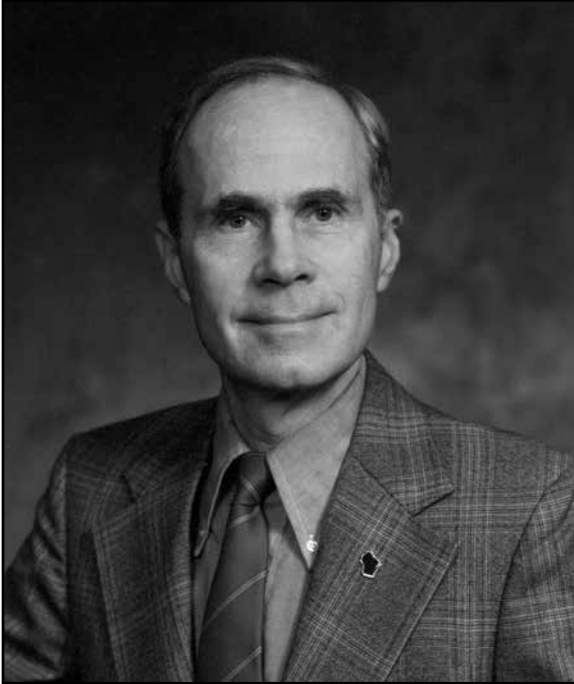
4. Elected for unexpired term ending Jan. 15, 1961.

5. Appointed May 17, 1965, to fill vacancy caused by death of Joe F. Burdett.

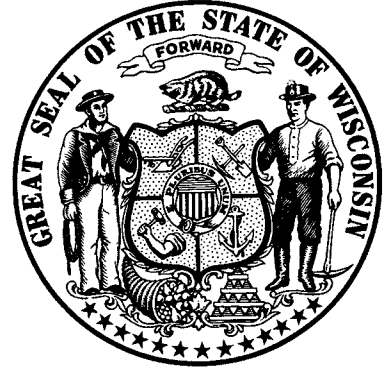
6. Elected for unexpired term ending Jan. 1969.

7. Appointed March 19, 1975.

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DOUGLAS LAFOLLETTE



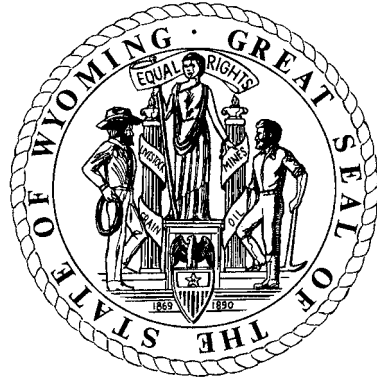
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Walter Houser	1903-1907	Fred R. Zimmerman	1939-1954
James A. Frear	1907-1913	Louis Allis	1954-1955
John S. Donald	1913-1917	Mrs. Glen M. Wise	1955-1957
Merlin Hull	1917-1921	Robert C. Zimmerman	1957-1974
Elmer S. Hall	1921-1923	Douglas LaFollette	1974-1979
Fred R. Zimmerman	1923-1927	Vel Phillips	1979-1982
Theodore Damman	1927-1939	Douglas LaFollette	1982-present

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SECRETARIES OF STATE

Fenimore Chatterton	1899–1907	C. J. “Doc” Rogers	1951–1955
William Schnitger	1907–1911	Everett T. Copenhaver	1955–1959
Frank L. Houx	1911–1919	Jack R. Gage	1959–1963
W. E. Chaplin	1919–1923	Thyra Thomson	1963–1987
Frank E. Lucas	1923–1927	Kathy Karpan	1987–1995
Alonso M. Clark	1927–1935	Diana J. Ohman	1995–1999
Lester C. Hunt	1935–1943	Joseph B. Meyer	1999–2007
Mart T. Christensen	1943–1944	Max Maxfield	2007–2015
William “Scotty” Jack	1944–1947	Ed Murray	2015 to present
A. G. Crane	1947–1951		