

ROLL CALL

Transition of Power

History of Senate seats that have switched partisan control in the next election after a Senator was elected president or vice president, since 1900:

Election	Senator	Appointee	Winner of Special Election	Seat Switched Parties
1928	Charles Curtis (R-Kan.) elected vice president	Henry Allen (R) sought election in 1930	George McGill (D)	Yes
1944	Harry Truman (D-Mo.) elected vice president*	Frank Briggs (D) sought election in 1946	James Kem (R)	Yes
1948	Alben Barkley (D-Ky.) elected vice president	Garrett Withers (D) did not seek election in 1950	Earle Clements (D)	No
1952	Richard Nixon (R-Calif.) elected vice president	Thomas Kuchel (R) sought election in 1952	Kuchel	No
1960	John F. Kennedy (D-Mass.) elected president	Benjamin Smith II (D) did not seek election in 1962	Edward Kennedy (D)	No
1960	Lyndon Johnson (D-Texas) elected vice president	William Blakley (D) sought election in 1961	John Tower (R)	Yes
1964	Hubert Humphrey (D-Minn.) elected vice president	Walter Mondale (D) sought election in 1966	Mondale	No
1976	Walter Mondale (D-Minn.) elected vice president	Wendell Anderson (D) sought election in 1978	Rudy Boschwitz (R)	Yes
1988	Dan Quayle (R-Ind.) elected vice president	Dan Coats (R) sought election in 1990	Coats	No
1992	Al Gore (D-Tenn.) elected vice president	Harlan Mathews (D) did not seek election in 1994	Fred Thompson (R)	Yes
2008	Barack Obama (D-Ill.) elected president	Roland Burris (D) is not seeking election in 2010	TBD	TBD
2008	Joseph Biden (D-Del.) elected vice president	Ted Kaufman (D) is not seeking election in 2010	TBD	TBD

** Truman had become president by the time the Senate special election was held.*