

# Bill becomes a law - Congress enacts civil rights legislation

## Macmillan - The Civil Rights Act of 1964

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**Overview:**  
Students participate in activities in which they learn about understanding types of legislation, committees, types of legislation, and the process by which a bill becomes a law in Congress. Students will learn how bills become laws in Congress. They will also learn how the House and Senate Select Committees determine whether to report a proposed bill regarding punishment for drunk driving as described on the front.

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**North Carolina Essential Standards for Civics & Economics**

- Explain the structure of state and local governments in terms of how they are organized to maintain order, security, welfare of the public and the protection of citizens (e.g., independent, three branches, court systems, jurisdictions, judicial process, agencies, etc.)
- Explain the structure of the federal government in terms of how it is organized to maintain order, security, welfare of the public and the protection of citizens (e.g., independent, three branches, court systems, jurisdictions, judicial process, agencies, etc.)
- CE.C.G.1.2 - Evaluate the authority federal, state and local governments have over individuals and institutions (e.g., executive, legislative, and judicial branches, state and local legislatures, Parishes, West Indies corpus, Judicial Decrees, state rights, Fugitive Act, etc.)
- CE.C.G.1.3 - Explain how laws are made at the federal, state, and local levels (e.g., how laws are developed, introduced, and passed) and how they promote the public interest and/or general welfare (e.g., taxes, transportation, health care, education, labor, environment, national defense, foreign policy, national security, health care, etc.)
- CE.C.G.1.4 - Explain how the U.S. Constitution limits the power of the federal government while holding true to the goal of equal protection under the law (e.g., the Fourteenth Amendment)
- CE.C.G.1.5 - Compare lawmaking processes of federal, state and local governments (e.g., how laws are developed, introduced, and passed)
- CE.C.G.1.6 - Analyze laws and policies in terms of their intended purposes, who has authority to promulgate them and how they are enforced (e.g., laws, policies, public policy, regulatory, symbolic)
- CE.C.G.1.7 - Explain individual rights as protected by various areas of law (e.g., Bill of Rights, Constitutional amendments, state and federal law, civil law, First Amendment rights, Statute law and International law, etc.)

**Important Questions:**

- What is the structure of the US Congress?
- What is the purpose and process for introducing and supporting bills in the House of Representatives?

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## How Bills Become Laws in the US Congress

. Attorney General to file suits to enforce said act.

## Civil Rights Act

In seeking the effect compliance with its requirements imposed under this section, an agency is authorized to terminate or to refuse to grant or to continue assistance under a program to any recipient as to whom there has been an express finding pursuant to a hearing of a failure to comply with the requirements under that program, and it may also employ any other means authorized by law.

## The Civil Rights Act of 1866: History and Impact

This vote by two-thirds or more brings all debate to an end. This later edition also contains running commentary on the similarities between the passage of this act and the more important Civil Rights Act of 1964. President Johnson vetoes the bill, but Congress overrides the veto.

## A Bill Becomes A Law Congress Enacts Civil Rights Legislation Second Edition PDF Book

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## The Civil Rights Act of 1964

States must ratify the 14 th Amendment in order to be represented in Congress. Later, when faced with the 1964 Civil Rights Act, southern senators staged a fifty-seven-day filibuster to try and kill it. Step 14: Overriding the Veto Congress can attempt to override a bill and force it into law, but doing so requires a majority vote by the House and Senate.

## Civil Rights Act of 1964

Just about anyone can present testimony at these hearings, including. Various chapters of the KKK still exist in the 21st century. The Act represented the first step, albeit an incomplete one, towards civil and social equality for Black Americans during the that followed the Civil War.

### **The Civil Rights Act of 1964**

If they take no action on the bill for ten days after Congress has adjourned their second session, the bill dies. Where the agency action consists of terminating or refusing to grant or to continue financial assistance because of a finding of a failure of the recipient to comply with the agency's requirements imposed under section 602, and the agency action would not otherwise be subject to judicial review under existing law, judicial review shall nevertheless be available to any person aggrieved as provided in section 10 of the Administrative Procedure Act. Both the House and Senate must approve this report or the bill is sent back to the conference committee for further work.

### **A History of Civil Rights Legislation in America**

It eventually passed the Senate 77-19 in May 1965, and an amended version cleared the House in July on a 333-85 vote. So this is a great look at how picayune rules shape real laws, and even shows how much rules have changed between then and today the House couldn't agree to a conference committee which would compromise with a Senate bill without the Rules Committee, as opposed to majority vote today.

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