



Offices of the Tenth Congressional District of New Jersey to Remain Open to Serve and Assist Constituents

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PRESS RELEASE

Washington, DC—The Washington, DC, office and the district offices of former Representative Donald M. Payne, Jr. will continue to serve the people of the Tenth Congressional District of New Jersey under the supervision of the Clerk of the House of Representatives. Representative Payne passed away April 24, 2024.

Staff members of Representative Payne remain on the House payroll under the supervision of the Clerk of the House to receive and undertake constituent casework, to help in handling business with the departments of the executive branch of the government, to provide general status information on pending legislation and to offer other general constituent services provided by House offices. The Acting Clerk of the House is Kevin F. McCumber.

The Washington, DC, office and the New Jersey district offices are presently open on a daily basis to accommodate congressional business. Under House Rules, the Clerk manages the offices when a Member dies, resigns, or is expelled. This authority, which does not include voting representation, continues until a successor is elected to fill the vacant seat. This is the ninth vacancy to occur during the 118th Congress. Nineteen vacancies occurred in the 117th Congress.

The Washington office is located in 106 Cannon House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515, telephone (202) 225-3436. Mail addressed to the Tenth Congressional District of New Jersey will be delivered through the internal House mail distribution system.

The district offices are located at 60 Nelson Place, 14th Floor, LeRoy F. Smith, Jr. Public Safety Building, Newark, NJ 07102; 253 Martin Luther King Drive, Jersey City, NJ 07305; and 1455 Liberty Avenue, Hillside, NJ 07205. Requests for further details should be directed to the Office of the Clerk (202) 225-7000.