



## Contact Your Senator in Support of S.J.Res.6

The time to act is NOW. On February 13, 2020, the U.S. House of Representatives passed H.J.Res.79, which removes the artificial timeline imposed on the Equal Rights Amendment (ERA), by a vote of 232-183. While this deadline removal is not required, supporters are pushing it as “backup” insurance to finally enshrining the ERA to the Constitution.

But like so many pieces of legislation that would advance equality for women, the bill has languished in the Senate. Action is needed on [S.J.Res.6](#): *A joint resolution removing the deadline for the ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment*, sponsored by Maryland Sen. Ben Cardin (D), and 33 bipartisan co-sponsors. This bill will need both Republican and Democratic supporters to pass so we need you to speak out now:

### Contact Your Senators:

Call the Capitol Switchboard, 202-224-3121, or find your Senator [online here](#) and say:

**I am a voter in     (Your State)     and I urge Senator \_\_\_\_\_ to cosponsor and support Senate bill S.J.RES.6: A joint resolution removing the deadline for the ratification of the Equal Rights Amendment. The ERA will guarantee full and equal protections claims based on sex, just as they are for race, religion or national origin. The ERA is a long overdue and can help combat inequality faced by girls and women and would prevent a rollback of women’s rights by legislation or court cases. We are so close to finally seeing this long overdue amendment enshrined into the constitution, and I expect my Senator to step up and get us over the finish line. Support S.J.Res.6 today!**

## Social Media

Don't forget to speak out on social media and **tag your members of Congress!**

Dear Senator [TAG SENATOR], women deserve equality NOW! The Senate must support S.J.Res6 to remove the artificial timeline for ratification for the ERA. There is simply no deadline for equality. #ERANow <https://now.org/issues/constitutional-equality/>

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