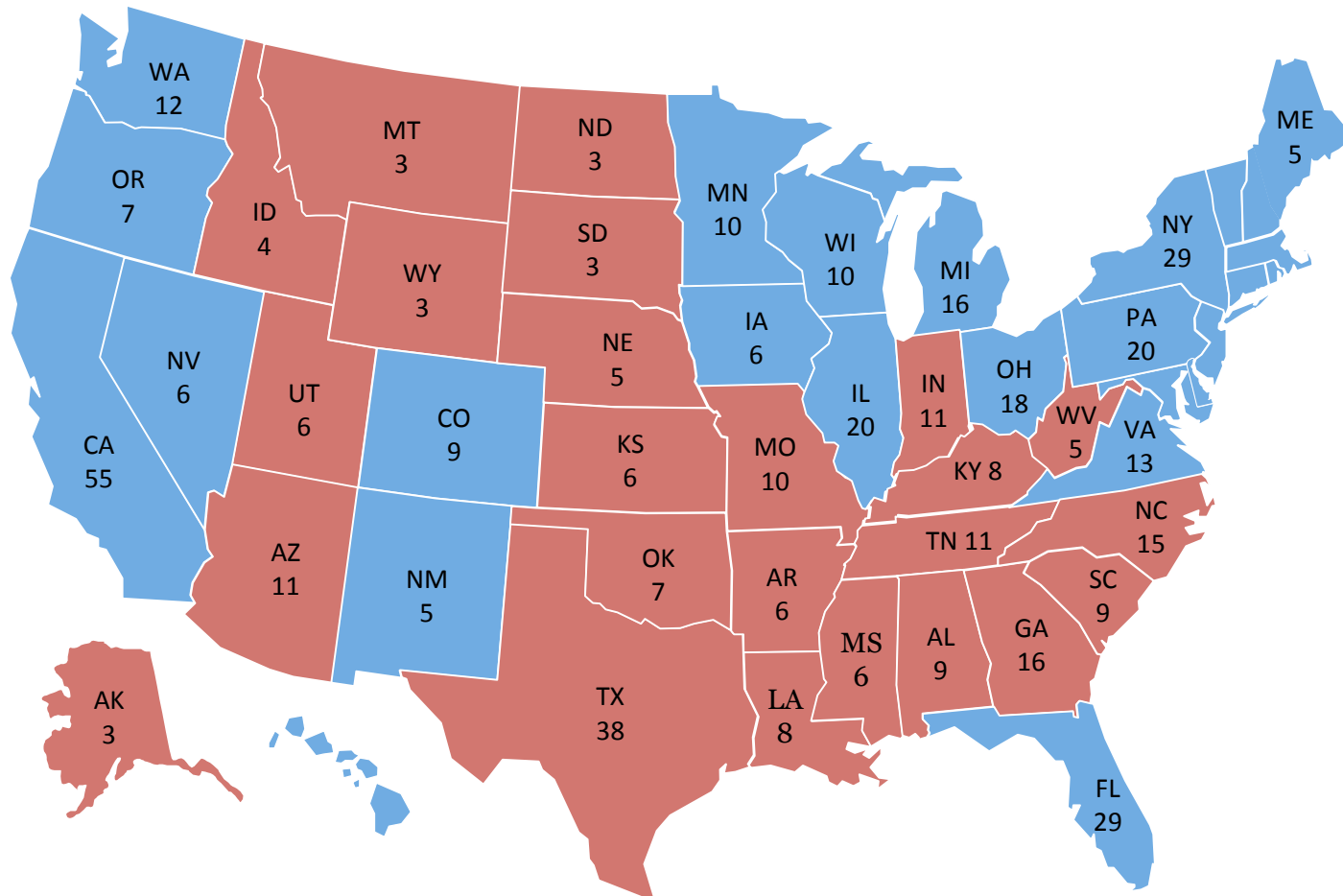


**Political Discussion, or...
What the heck happened???**



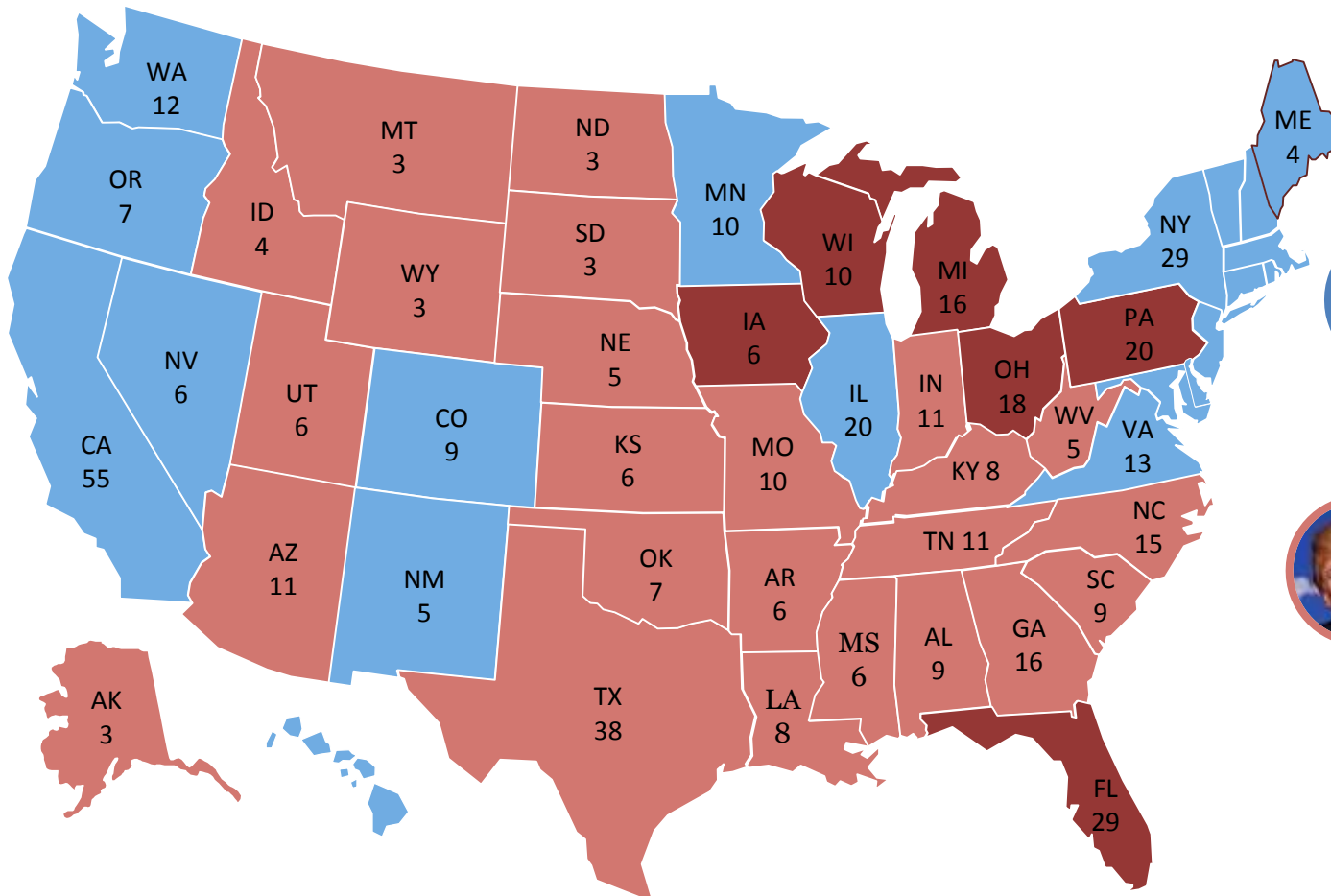
2012 Presidential Results

■ Barrack Obama ■ Mitt Romney

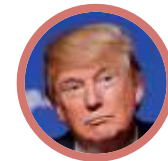


2016 Presidential Results

■ Hillary Clinton ■ Donald Trump



Hillary Clinton (D)
Running Mate: Tim Kaine



Donald Trump (R)
Running Mate: Mike Pence



$$2 + 2 - 0.1 = 306$$

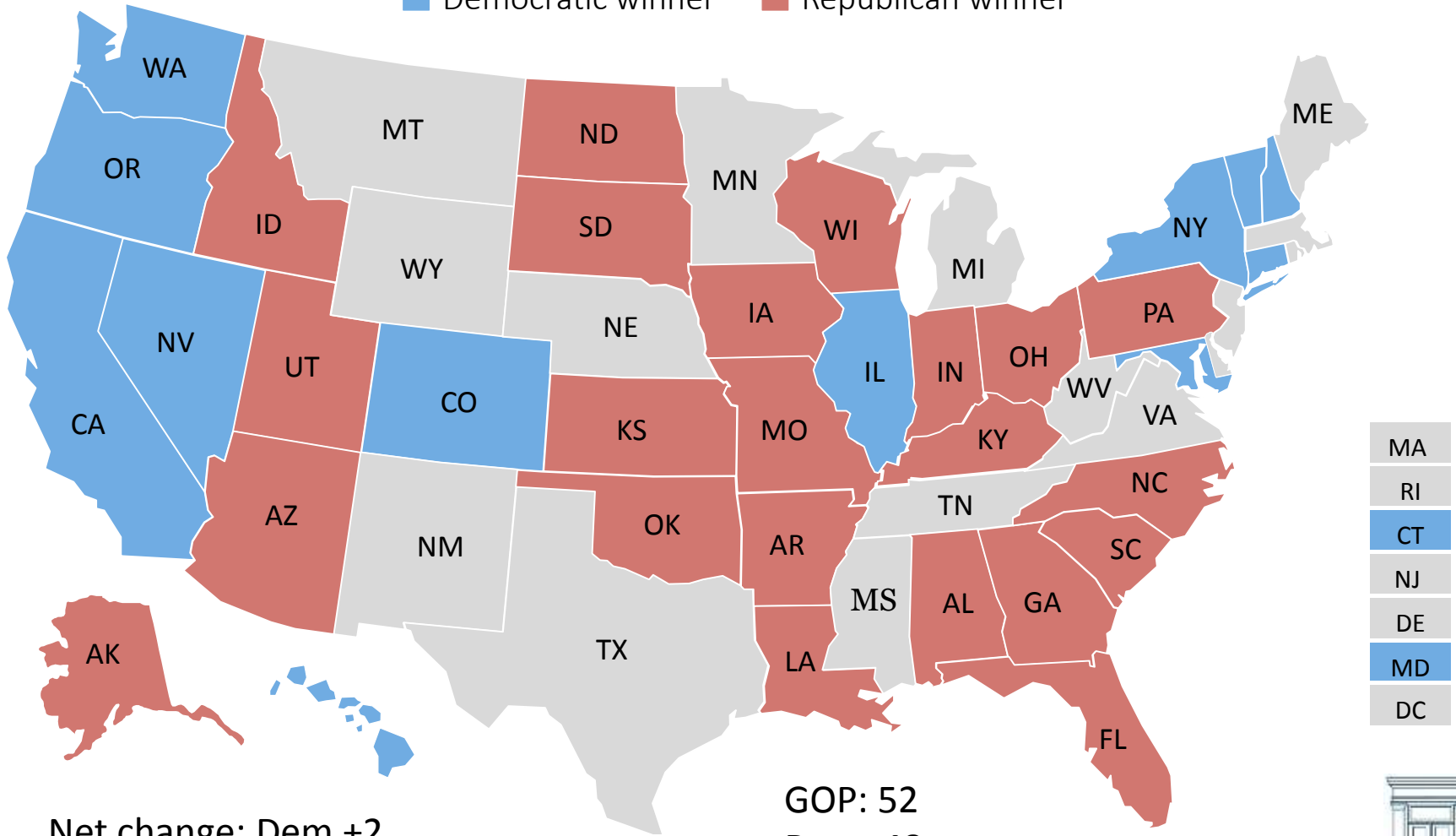
National: 3 million

Four states: 4 million



Senate Results

■ Democratic winner ■ Republican winner



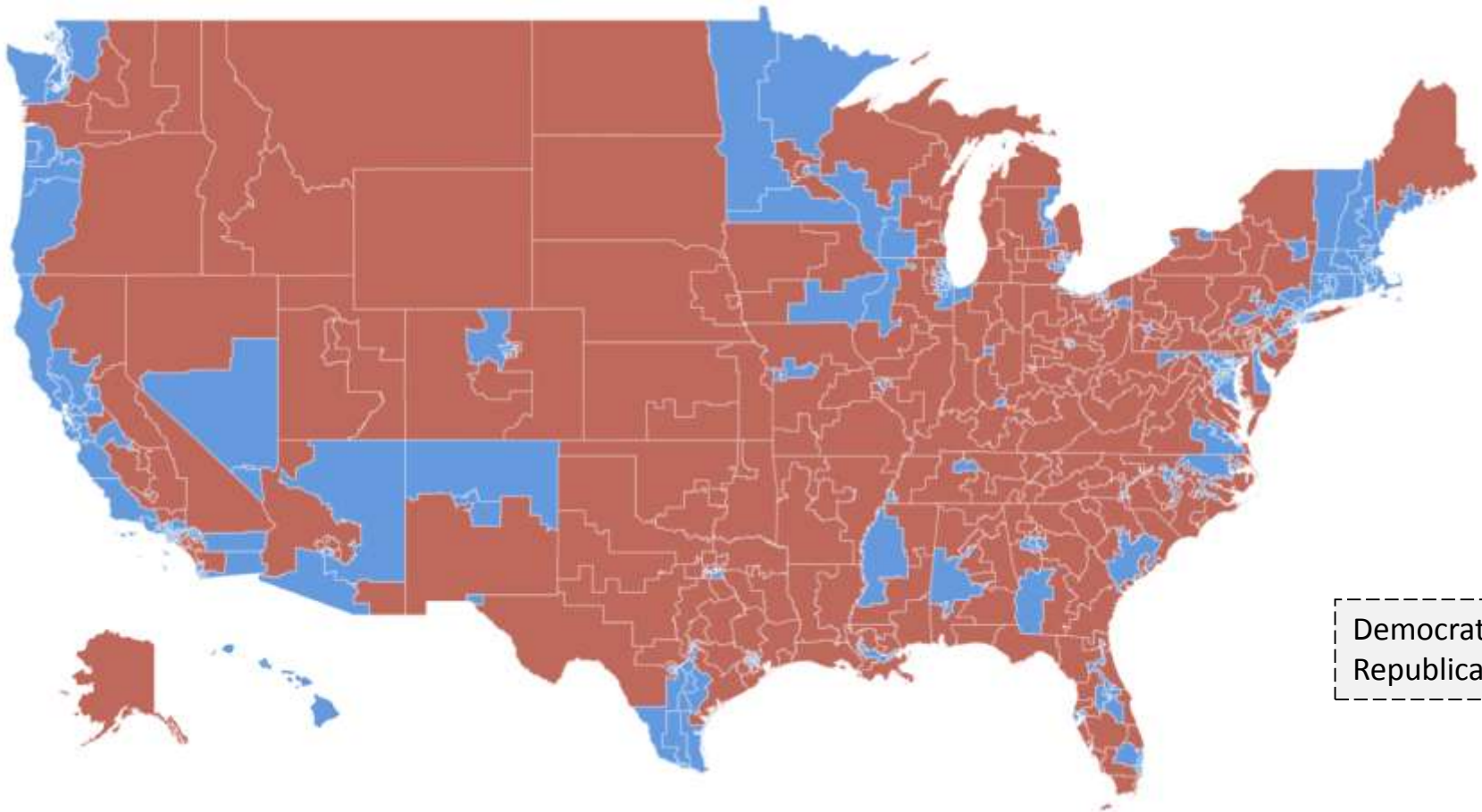
Net change: Dem +2

GOP: 52
Dem: 48



House Results

■ Democratic winner ■ Republican winner



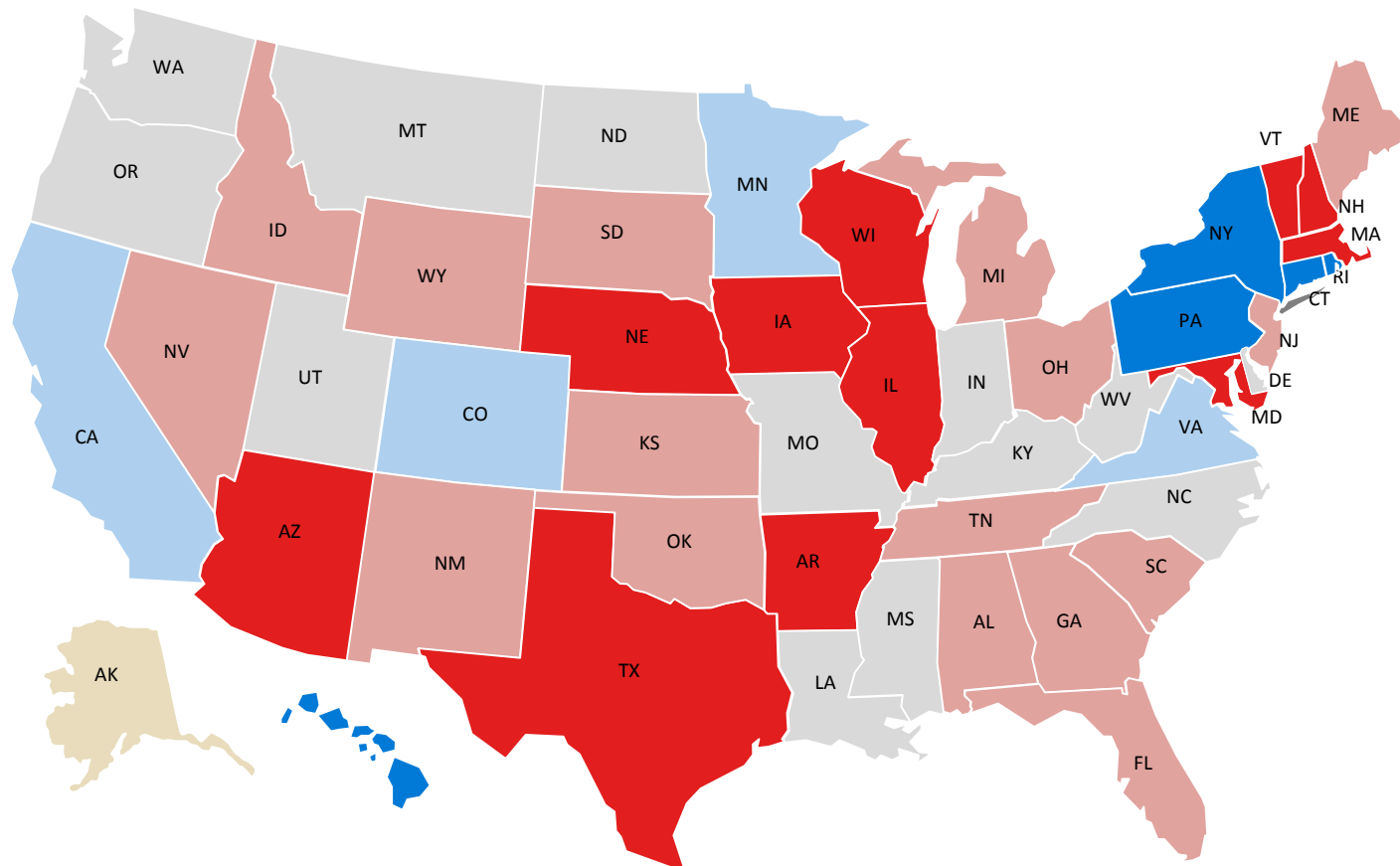
Democrats: 194
Republicans: 241

Net change: Dem +6



Gubernatorial Elections 2017-2018

Democrat Open (4) Democrat Incumbent* (5) GOP Open (16) GOP Incumbent (9) Independent Incumbent (1)
No Election (12)



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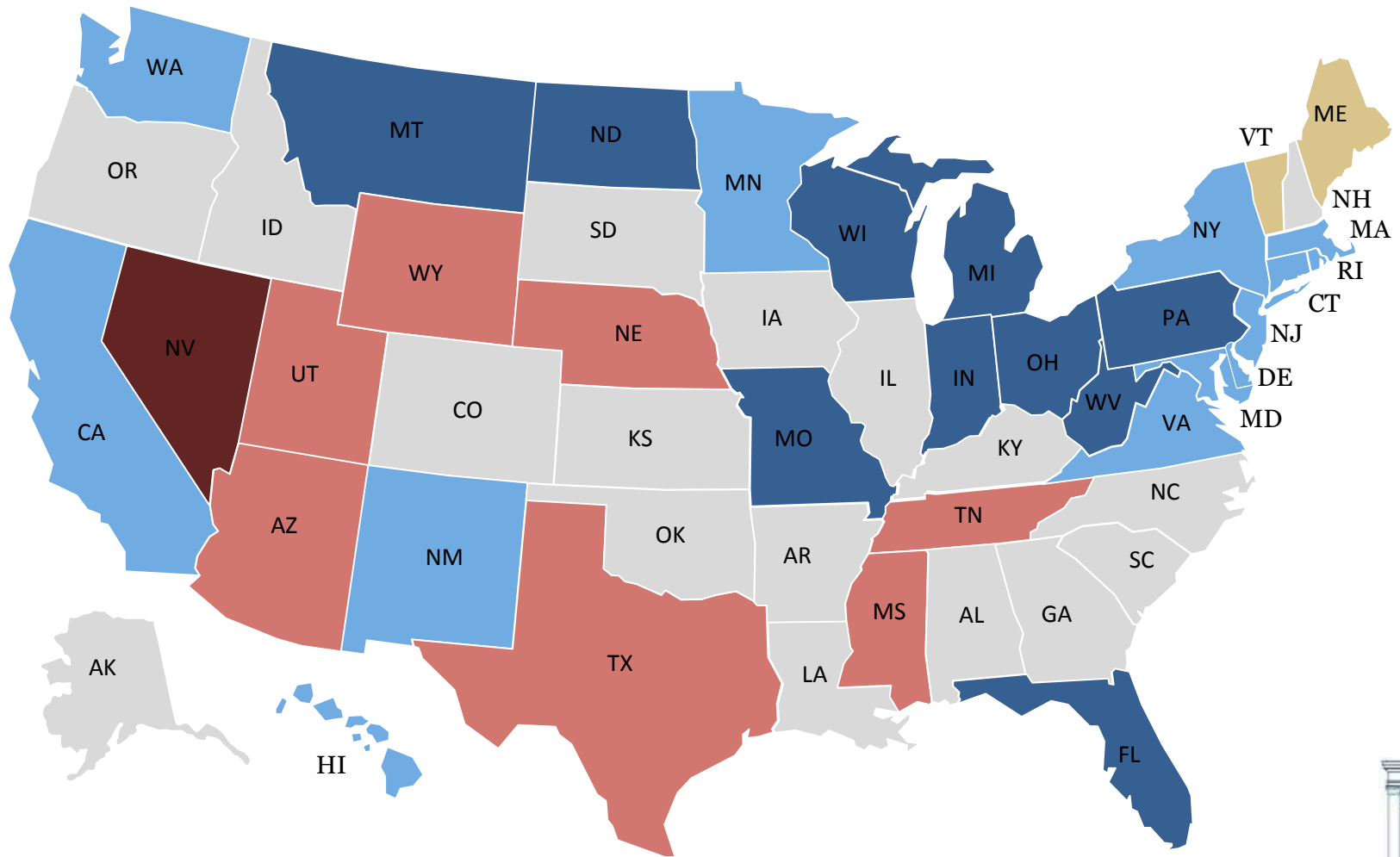
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Civil War



2018 Senate Elections

■ Democrat Incumbent ■ Independent Incumbent ■ Republican Incumbent



ASI AGENDA—Farm Bill

- Testify at House/Senate Ag hearings to prepare for the farm bill
- Update and reauthorize the Wool Marketing Loan (LDP)
- Sheep Center – re-up the \$1.5 million?
- NRSP-7
- FMD Vaccine Bank
- Wool Trust Fund Extension



ASI AGENDA—POTUS/Congress

- Personnel—WOTUS—Guest Workers—Tax Reform—Reg Relief—ACA—Infrastructure—Trade
- Bighorn language and regulatory relief from new Administration—top short term priority
- FY17 and 18 Approps
 - New position(s) and funding for USSES
 - BHS language
 - Small ruminant funding
 - Strengthen WS livestock protection

