

## **Secretaries of Homeland Security**

### **Assistant to the President for Homeland Security (Office of Homeland Security)**

Thomas Joseph Ridge (Oct. 2001 — Jan. 24, 2003)

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Thomas Joseph Ridge	(Jan. 24, 2003 — Feb. 1, 2005)
James Loy ( <i>Acting</i> )	(Feb. 1, 2005 — Feb. 15, 2005)
Michael Chertoff	(Feb. 15, 2005 — Jan. 21, 2009)
Janet Napolitano	(Jan. 21, 2009 — Sep. 6, 2013)
Rand Beers ( <i>Acting</i> )	(Sep. 6, 2013 — Dec. 23, 2013)
Jeh C. Johnson	(Dec. 23, 2013 — Jan. 20, 2017)
John F. Kelly	(Jan. 20, 2017 — Jul. 31, 2017)
Elaine Duke ( <i>Acting</i> )	(Jul. 31, 2017 — Dec. 6, 2017)
Kirstjen M. Nielsen	(Dec. 6, 2017 —