

## Hon. Miguel A. Romero

Chairman of the Government Commission, Senate of Puerto Rico

Miguel A. Romero is a lawyer, who currently serves his first term as a Senator, previously serving as former Secretary of Labor (2009-2012) and Chief of Staff of the Governor of PR (2012).

He graduated from Interamerican University of PR School of Law summa cum laude. Romero obtained the highest score in his Bar Exam, being one of a handful to ever achieve a 100% grade in the test. After

being admitted to the PR Bar, he practiced law as a trial attorney in civil and labor matters. In 2008, Romero was nominated as Secretary of Labor. During his term he assumed and successfully discharged his official duties and responsibilities showing high leadership skills, character and commitment. Romero successfully mediated disputes and many negotiations with Labor Unions.

While in office, Romero was active in several PR Government boards, including the State Insurance Fund Corporation and the Fiscal and Economic Stabilization Board. Because of his high record of success in dealing with complex public administration matters and his proven leadership, the Governor also appointed him as chair of the PR Retirement Systems Reform Commission. Later, on 2012 Romero became the Chief of Staff of the Government of Puerto Rico.

In 2016, Romero was elected Senator for the District of San Juan and is the Chairman of Senate's Government Committee and Electoral Reform Committee.