



Pedersen, Thor (V)

**Former Member of the Folketing,
The Liberal Party**

Former President of the Danish Parliament, former minister

Thor Pedersen, born June 14th 1945 in Gentofte, son of engineer Laurits Emil Pedersen and Erna Margrethe Pedersen, née Persson.

Member period

Member of the Folketing for The Liberal Party in North Zealand greater constituency, 13. November 2007 – 15. September 2011.

Member of the Folketing for The Liberal Party in Frederiksborg County constituency, 1. January 1985 – 13. November 2007.

Candidate for The Liberal Party in Hillerød nomination district, 1984-2011.

Candidate for The Liberal Party in Frederiksværk nomination district, 1979-1984.

Parliamentary career

Speaker of the Danish Parliament, 28. November 2007 – 15. September 2011.

Minister for Finance, 27. November 2001 – 23. November 2007.

Auditor of public accounts, 1. October 1998 – 27. November 2001.

Minister for the Interior and Minister for Economic Affairs, 19. November 1992 – 25. January 1993.

Minister of the Interior and Nordic Matters, 3. June 1988 – 18. November 1992.

Minister of the Interior, 10. September 1987 – 2. June 1988.

Minister of Housing, 12. March 1986 – 9. September 1987.

President of the Danish Parliament from November 28th 2007 to September 15th 2011. Member of the Finance Committee 1993 - 2001. Member of the Public Accounts Committee 1998 - 2001.

Education

MSc in Economics, University of Copenhagen, 1978.

Sergeant, the Royal Life Guards, 1964-1966.

Matriculated in mathematics, Frederiksborg State Upper Secondary School, 1964.

Employment

Board member in several companies, 1993-2001.

Sales manager, private company, 1968-1975.

Director, private company, 1975-1981 and 1994-2001.

Affiliations

Member of Helsingør Municipality Council 1974-1986, mayor 1978-1986.

The biography is no longer updated from September 15th 2011.
