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107th Congress, 2nd Session

Year-End Wrap-Up

The bills passed by the House during the 2nd session of the 107th Congress contained the following approximate net costs*:

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations**: \$415.110 billion \$507.377 billion

Mandatory Spending**: \$ 7.012 billion \$ 235.966 billion

Appropriations: \$ 434.145 billion

Revenues***: -\$ 735.0 million -\$ 23.944 billion

Below are the costs of *major*[#] bills (excluding appropriations) <u>as they first passed the House</u>:

(in the order that they first passed the House)

S. 1762 To amend the Higher Education Act of 1965 to establish fixed interest rates for student and parent borrowers, to extend current law with respect to special allowances for lenders

First-year costs Five-year costs

Mandatory Spending: \$ 0 \$ 3.785 billion

Status: Became Public Law 107-139

H.R. 3762 Pension Security Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$ 7.0 million \$ 28.0 million

Mandatory Spending: \$ 33.0 million \$ 117.0 million

Revenues: \$ 994.0 million -\$ 7.808 billion

Status: Never considered on the Senate floor

H.R. 3839 Keeping Children and Families Safe Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$312.0 million \$1.986 billion

Status: Never considered on the Senate floor

H.R. 3231 Barbara Jordan Immigration Reform and Accountability Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$ 198.0 million \$ 1.216 billion

Status: Never considered on the Senate floor

H.R. 3801 Education Sciences Reform Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$ 701.0 million \$ 3.651 billion

Status: Became Public Law 107-279

H.R. 2871 Export-Import Bank Reauthorization Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$ 902.0 million \$ 3.826 billion

Mandatory Spending: \$ 9.0 million \$ 128.0 million

Status: A related bill, S. 1372, became Public Law 107-189

H.R. 4560 Auction Reform Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Mandatory Spending: \$ 2.8 billion \$ 1.4 billion

Status: Became Public Law 107-195

H.J.Res. 87 Yucca Mountain Repository Site Approval Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$527.0 million \$6.027 billion

Status: Became Public Law 107-200

H.R. 4546 National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2003

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$395.570 billion \$395.570 billion

Mandatory Spending: \$ 509.0 million \$ 5.763 billion

Status: Became Public Law 107-314

H.R. 3694 Highway Funding Restoration Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$4.4 billion \$4.4 billion

Status: Never considered on the Senate floor

H.R. 4069 Social Security Benefit Enhancements for Women Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Mandatory Spending: \$ 63.0 million \$ 1.037 billion

Revenues \$ 30.0 million \$ 1.3 billion

Status: Never considered on the Senate floor

H.R. 4737 Personal Responsibility, Work, and Family Promotion Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: no estimate available \$ 13.5 billion

Mandatory Spending: no estimate available \$ 116.2 billion

Revenues no estimate available \$ 1.1 billion

Status: Never considered on the Senate floor

H.R. 3994 Afghanistan Freedom Support Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$ 355.0 million \$ 1.455 billion

Status: A related bill, S. 2712 (which contained \$1.8 billion more in authorizations over five years), became Public Law 107-327

H.R. 3129 Customs Border Security Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$115.19 million \$6.743 billion

Mandatory Spending: \$ 0.5 million \$ 2.5 million

Revenues: -\$ 4.0 million -\$ 20.0 million

Status: A bill (H.R. 3009) containing the provisions of H.R. 3129 became Public Law 107-210

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H.R. 3717 Federal Deposit Insurance Reform Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Mandatory Spending: -\$ 1.5 billion -\$ 1.8 billion

Status: Never considered on the Senate floor

H.R. 4664 National Science Foundation Authorization Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$5.515 billion \$37.511 billion

Status: Became Public Law 107-368

H.R. 2143 Permanent Death Tax Repeal Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Revenues: -\$ 1.2 billion -\$ 9.2 billion

Status: Never considered on the Senate floor

H.R. 4954 Medicare Modernization and Prescription Drug Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Mandatory Spending: \$4.5 billion \$108.1 billion

Status: Never considered on the Senate floor

H.R. 4635 Arming Pilots Against Terrorism Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$392.5 million \$1.963 billion

Status: A bill (H.R. 5005) incorporating the provisions of H.R. 4635 became Public Law 107-296

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H.R. 4946 Improving Access to Long-Term Care Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Mandatory Spending: \$ 5.0 million \$ 33.0 million

Revenues: -\$ 106.0 million -\$ 1.499 billion

Status: Never considered on Senate floor

H.R. 5005 Homeland Security Act of 2002

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: no estimate available \$ 4.5 billion

Mandatory Spending: \$ 1.0 million \$ 5.0 million

Status: Became Public Law 107-296

H.R. 4757 Our Lady of Peace Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: no estimate available \$ 1.125 billion

Status: Never considered on Senate floor

S. 1210 To reauthorize the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-

Determination Act of 1996

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$ 668.0 million \$ 3.474 billion

Status: Became Public Law 107-292

S. 990 Pittman-Robertson Wildlife Conservation and Restoration Programs

Improvement Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$652.0 million \$3.216 billion

Status: Passed both houses but was never sent to the White House

H.R. 5738 To amend the Public Health Service Act with respect to special diabetes programs for Type I diabetes and Indians

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: no estimate available \$ 1.2 billion

Status: Became Public Law 107-360

H.R. 5499 HOPE VI Program Reauthorization Act

First-year costs Five-year costs

Authorizations: \$600.0 million \$1.2 billion

Status: Never considered on Senate floor

Mandatory spending directly establishes an appropriation. No subsequent action is required for the money to be spent.

All numbers in "The Money Monitor" are positive unless otherwise indicated.

The costs of conference reports are not recorded here. "The Money Monitor" only accounts for the costs of bills as they <u>first</u> pass the House (with the exception of bills that contain major cost-related changes upon subsequent House passage). The costs of bills *signed into law* are reported in a separate RSC document.

^{*}An authorization (otherwise known as "discretionary spending") explicitly allows funding for a certain program and / or directs a federal agency to take a certain action. Authorizations express the House's *intent* to spend, however, actual funding is provided through the annual appropriations process. Authorizations with no <u>net</u> cost, bills that would result in no significant <u>net</u> change in mandatory spending or federal revenue, and private-sector costs from federal mandates are not reported here.

**The year-end figures for authorizations and mandatory spending do not include the costs of H.R. 3450 (Health Care Safety Net Improvement Act), which passed the House on October 1, 2002. The Congressional Budget Office was unable to complete a cost estimate for this legislation. Though CBO completed a cost estimate for a related bill (S. 1533), H.R. 3450 was significantly different from the Senate legislation.

***The year-end figures for revenue do not include the revenue effects of H.R. 5728 (Tax Administration Reform Act), which passed the House on November 15, 2002. The Joint Committee on Taxation was unable to complete a cost estimate for this legislation.

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[#] A "major" bill is defined here as a bill for which the authorization, mandatory spending, **or** revenue score is at least \$1.0 billion (either positive or negative) over five years.