



CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE COST ESTIMATE

June 9, 2009

H.R. 2646 **Government Accountability Office Improvement Act of 2009**

*As ordered reported by the House Committee on Oversight and Government Reform
on June 4, 2009*

H.R. 2646 would provide additional authorities to the Government Accountability Office (GAO), including the authority to obtain certain records and administer oaths to witnesses. CBO estimates that implementing the legislation would have no significant effect on the federal budget. The additional authorities provided by the bill would facilitate GAO's audit procedures and other activities.

H.R. 2646 contains no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act and would impose no costs on state, local, or tribal governments.

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