

The Money Monitor

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Week of March 11-15, 2002

Net five-year cost of House authorizations passed by the House *this week*:

\$0.00*

Year-to-date total of net five-year costs of House-passed authorizations:

\$759,080,000.00*

*H.Res. 364 and H.Res. 365 passed the House this week. H.Res. 364 provided for the passage of H.R. 1499, which was accounted for as "House-passed" during the first session. H.Res. 365 provided for the passage of H.R. 3525 (as it already passed the House this Congress) attached to H.R. 1885 as amended by the Senate. Both H.R. 3525 and H.R. 1885 were accounted for as "House-passed" in the first session and thus are not accounted for here.

Net five-year change in House-passed mandatory spending *this week*:

\$2,500,000.00

H.R. 2146	Two Strikes and You're Out Child Protection Act	<u>\$2.5 million</u>
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THIS WEEK'S NET FIVE-YEAR CHANGE IN MANDATORY SPENDING \$2.5 million

Year-to-date net five-year change in House-passed mandatory spending:

\$3,787,500,000.00

Net one-year cost of appropriations passed by the House *this week*:

\$0.00

Year-to-date total of net one-year costs of House-passed appropriations:

\$0.00

Net five-year revenue change by House bills passed *this week*:
\$2,500,000.00

H.R. 2146	Two Strikes and You're Out Child Protection Act	<u>\$2.5 million**</u>
THIS WEEK'S NET FIVE-YEAR CHANGE IN REVENUE		\$2.5 million

Year-to-date net five-year revenue change by House-passed bills:
\$2,500,000.00

**This projected revenue change reflects estimated fines collected from criminals.

An authorization 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 net cost, bills that would result in no significant net change in mandatory spending, and private-sector costs from federal mandates are not reported here.**

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.

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