



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
COST ESTIMATE**

March 30, 2001

H.R. 182
Eightmile River Wild and Scenic River Study Act of 2001

As ordered reported by the House Committee on Resources on March 28, 2001

H.R. 182 would direct the Secretary of the Interior to study a segment of the Eightmile River in Connecticut for potential addition to the Wild and Scenic Rivers System. The legislation would require the Secretary to complete the study within three years of enactment. Based on information from the National Park Service, CBO estimates that carrying out the study would cost \$100,000 a year over the next three years, assuming availability of the necessary amounts. Because enacting H.R. 182 would not affect direct spending or receipts, pay-as-you-go procedures would not apply.

H.R. 182 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.

The CBO staff contact for this estimate is Megan Carroll. This estimate was approved by Peter H. Fontaine, Deputy Assistant Director for Budget Analysis.