



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
COST ESTIMATE**

June 19, 2008

**H.R. 3480
Let Our Veterans Rest in Peace Act of 2008**

As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on the Judiciary on June 12, 2008

H.R. 3480 would require the United States Sentencing Commission to review and, if necessary, amend the federal sentencing guidelines for offenses involving the desecration, theft, or trafficking of veterans' grave markers or headstones. CBO estimates that implementing this act would have no significant effect on the federal budget. Enacting H.R. 3480 would not affect direct spending or revenues.

H.R. 3480 contains no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act and would not affect the budgets of state, local, or tribal governments.

On May 15, 2008, CBO transmitted a cost estimate for H.R. 3480 as ordered reported by the House Committee on the Judiciary on May 14, 2008. The House and Senate versions of the legislation are the same, and the estimated costs are identical.

The CBO staff contacts for this estimate are Leigh Angres and Jeff LaFave. The estimate was approved by Theresa Gullo, Deputy Assistant Director for Budget Analysis.