



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE  
COST ESTIMATE**

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**S. 245**

**A bill to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to designate the  
President William Jefferson Clinton Birthplace Home in Hope,  
Arkansas, as a National Historic Site and unit of the  
National Park System**

*As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources  
on January 31, 2007*

S. 245 would direct the National Park Service (NPS) to designate the William Jefferson Clinton Birthplace Home in Arkansas as a national historic site if the Clinton Birthplace Foundation donates the house and related property to the federal government.

Based on information provided by the NPS, CBO expects that the federal government would accept donation of the Clinton home and other property in fiscal year 2007. We estimate that the costs of preparing and operating the site as a unit of the National Park System would be about \$1 million a year, assuming the availability of appropriated funds. Enacting S. 245 would not affect direct spending or revenues.

The bill contains no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act and would have no significant impact on the budgets of state, local, or tribal governments.

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