



CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
COST ESTIMATE

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S. 1641

Women's Rights National Historic Trail Act of 1998

*As reported by the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources on
September 25, 1998*

S. 1641 would direct the National Park Service (NPS) to conduct a study of alternatives for commemorating and interpreting the history of women's rights in the United States. The study would address the possibility of establishing a new NPS unit and other alternatives, including related cost estimates.

Based on information obtained from the NPS, CBO estimates that implementing S. 1641 would cost the federal government about \$250,000 over the next two years, assuming the availability of appropriated funds. The bill would not affect direct spending or receipts; therefore, pay-as-you-go procedures would not apply. S. 1641 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.

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