



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
COST ESTIMATE**

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S. 2571

Rim of the Valley Corridor Study Act

*As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources
on July 31, 2002*

S. 2571 would direct the Secretary of the Interior and the Secretary of Agriculture to study the suitability and feasibility of adding certain federal lands to the Santa Monica Mountains National Recreation Area in California. Based on information from the Department of the Interior, CBO estimates that the proposed study would cost about \$500,000 in 2003, assuming the availability of appropriated funds. Enacting S. 2571 would not affect direct spending or receipts; therefore, pay-as-you-go procedures would not apply.

S. 2571 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.

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