



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
COST ESTIMATE**

September 17, 2004

S. 1614

Upper White Salmon Wild and Scenic Rivers Act

*As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources
on September 15, 2004*

CBO estimates that enacting S. 1614 would have no significant impact on the federal budget. The bill would not affect direct spending or revenues. S. 1614 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.

S. 1614 would designate 20 miles of segments of the White Salmon River and Cascade Creek in Washington as wild and scenic rivers under the Wild and Scenic Rivers Act. Based on information from the Forest Service, we estimate that changing the designation of those rivers would not significantly affect the agency's costs to manage them.

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