



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
COST ESTIMATE**

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H.R. 5247
Support for the Museum of the History of Polish Jews Act of 2006

*As amended by the House Committee on International Relations
on May 25, 2006*

H.R. 5247 would authorize the Department of State to provide \$5 million in assistance to the Museum of the History of Polish Jews in Warsaw, Poland. CBO estimates that implementing H.R. 5247 would cost \$2 million in 2007 and \$5 million over the 2007-2011 period, assuming appropriation of the authorized amount. Enacting the bill would not affect direct spending or receipts.

The museum plans to open in 2009 and will depict the history of Jews in Poland, including the World War II period. Initial costs have been funded primarily by the governments of Poland and Germany, and through private donations.

H.R. 5247 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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