



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE  
COST ESTIMATE**

September 18, 2006

**S. 3551**

**Tylersville Fish Hatchery Conveyance Act**

*As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Environment and Public Works  
on September 13, 2006*

S. 3551 would direct the Secretary of the Interior to convey without reimbursement the Tylersville National Fish Hatchery to Pennsylvania. The transfer to the Pennsylvania Fish and Boat Commission would comprise all property interests, including about 40 acres of land, several buildings, and hatchery facilities.

Based on information provided by the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, CBO estimates that implementing S. 3551 would have no effect on the federal budget. The fish hatchery is already being operated by the state at its own expense; that would continue under the bill.

S. 3551 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. Enacting this legislation would benefit Pennsylvania.

On July 26, 2006, CBO transmitted a cost estimate for H.R. 4957, the Tylersville Fish Hatchery Conveyance Act, as ordered reported by the House Committee on Resources on July 19, 2006. The two versions of the legislation are very similar, and the CBO cost estimates are identical.

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