



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
COST ESTIMATE**

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S. 3397

Secure and Responsible Drug Disposal Act of 2010

As reported by the Senate Committee on the Judiciary on July 29, 2010

S. 3397 would permit the Department of Justice (DOJ) to authorize long-term care facilities (such as nursing homes) to dispose of certain controlled substances. Based on information from DOJ, CBO estimates that implementing the bill would have no significant effect on the department's spending on drug control programs. S. 3397 would not affect direct spending or revenues; therefore, pay-as-you-go procedures would not apply.

S. 3397 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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