

CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE COST ESTIMATE

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S. 2465 Albuquerque Indian School Land Transfer Act

As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Indian Affairs on July 30, 2014

S. 2465 would authorize the Secretary of the Interior to place four parcels consisting of about 11 acres of federal land in Albuquerque, New Mexico, into trust for the benefit of 19 Indian Pueblos in New Mexico. Under the bill, those Pueblos would be authorized to use the land for educational, health, cultural, business, or economic purposes. The bill would prohibit gaming activities on the affected properties.

CBO estimates that implementing the legislation would have no significant effect on the federal budget. Enacting S. 2465 would not affect direct spending or revenues; therefore, pay-as-you-go procedures do not apply.

S. 2465 contains no intergovernmental or private-sector mandates as defined in the Unfunded Mandates Reform Act.

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