



**CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE
COST ESTIMATE**

May 6, 2016

**H.R. 2137
Federal Law Enforcement Self-Defense and Protection Act of 2015**

As ordered reported by the House Committee on the Judiciary on April 27, 2016

H.R. 2137 would authorize federal law enforcement officers to carry firearms during periods when they are subject to a government furlough. CBO estimates that implementing the bill would have no significant cost to the federal government. Because enacting the legislation would not affect direct spending or revenues, pay-as-you-go procedures do not apply.

CBO estimates that enacting H.R. 2137 would not increase net direct spending or on-budget deficits in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2027.

H.R. 2137 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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