

**Department of Homeland Security Legislation**

As passed by the House of Representatives on April 1, 2019

Millions of Dollars	2019	2019-2024	2019-2029
Direct Spending (Outlays)	0	0	0
Revenues	0	0	0
Deficit Effect	0	0	0
Spending Subject to Appropriation (Outlays)	0	*	n.e.
Pay-as-you-go procedures apply?	No	<b>Mandate Effects</b>	
Increases on-budget deficits in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2030?	No	Contains intergovernmental mandate?	No
		Contains private-sector mandate?	No
n.e. = not estimated; * = between zero and \$500,000; the table above applies to each act described below.			

On April 1, the House of Representatives passed the following pieces of legislation:

- H.R. 1589, the CBRN Intelligence and Information Sharing Act of 2019, which would direct the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) to gather and analyze intelligence on terrorist threats involving chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear (CBRN) materials and to share that information with federal, state, and local authorities. DHS is currently carrying out activities similar to those required by H.R. 1589, so CBO estimates that implementing the act would not significantly affect spending by the department.
- H.R. 1593, the CLASS Act of 2019, which would establish within DHS a council to coordinate departmental policies and activities to enhance the security of schools. Based on the cost of similar councils, we estimate that implementing H.R. 1593 would have no significant costs.

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