

H.R. 6504, Haiti Economic Lift Program Extension Act

As passed by the House of Representatives on January 12, 2026

By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars	2026	2026-2030	2026-2035
Direct Spending (Outlays)	0	0	0
Revenues	-26	-93	-93
Increase or Decrease (-) in the Deficit	26	93	93
Spending Subject to Appropriation (Outlays)	*	*	not estimated
Increases <i>net direct spending</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2036?	No	Statutory pay-as-you-go procedures apply?	Yes
		Mandate Effects	
Increases <i>on-budget deficits</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2036?	< \$5 billion	Contains intergovernmental mandate?	No
		Contains private-sector mandate?	No
* = between zero and \$500,000.			

H.R. 6504 would extend, through December 31, 2028, duty-free entry for certain products imported to the United States from Haiti. The authority for that treatment expired on September 30, 2025. Eligible products must meet conditions specified for the Haiti Economic Lift Program. The act would authorize refunds of duties paid between the expiration of the authority and the legislation’s enactment. The act also would indefinitely extend current rules of origin and quantity limitations for items to qualify for the duty preference.

For this estimate, CBO assumes that the legislation will be enacted in early 2026. Using data from the Census Bureau, CBO estimates that extending the duty-free treatment would reduce revenues by \$93 million over the 2026-2035 period. Of that amount, CBO estimates that \$13 million would be in refunds for the higher duties paid after the authority expired.

CBO estimates that the additional administrative costs incurred by Customs and Border Protection to implement H.R. 6504 would be less than \$500,000 over the 2026-2030 period. Any related spending would be subject to the availability of appropriated funds.

See also

[CBO’s Cost Estimates Explained](#), [CBO Describes Its Cost-Estimating Process](#), [Glossary](#)



The CBO staff contact for this estimate is Tyler Van Patten. The estimate was reviewed by John McClelland, Director of Tax Analysis.

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