

H.R. 7305, Energy Threat Analysis Center Act of 2026

As ordered reported by the House Committee on Energy and Commerce on March 5, 2026

By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars	2026	2026-2031	2026-2036
Direct Spending (Outlays)	0	0	0
Revenues	0	0	0
Increase or Decrease (-) in the Deficit	0	0	0
Spending Subject to Appropriation (Outlays)	0	45	50
Increases <i>net direct spending</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2037?	No	Statutory pay-as-you-go procedures apply?	No
		Mandate Effects	
Increases <i>on-budget deficits</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2037?	No	Contains intergovernmental mandate?	No
		Contains private-sector mandate?	No

H.R. 7305 would reauthorize and expand the Department of Energy’s (DOE’s) Energy Sector Operational Support for Cyber Resilience Program, which is currently authorized through 2026. The program supports efforts to protect U.S. energy infrastructure from cyber threats by strengthening collaboration between the federal government and the energy sector and enhancing DOE’s emergency response capabilities. The bill also would authorize the department to establish an Energy Threat Analysis Center to conduct activities under the program. The bill would authorize an appropriation of \$50 million for the 2027-2031 period.

The estimated budgetary effects of the legislation are shown in Table 1. The costs of the legislation fall within budget function 270 (energy).

For this estimate, CBO assumes that the authorized amount would be provided as a lump sum in 2027; that is consistent with how the program was funded under the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act.

Based on historical spending patterns for similar programs, CBO estimates that implementing H.R. 7305 would cost \$45 million over the 2026-2031 period and \$5 million after 2031, assuming appropriation of the authorized amount in 2027.

See also

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Table 1.
Estimated Budgetary Effects of H.R. 7305

	By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars						2026-2031
	2026	2027	2028	2029	2030	2031	
	Increases in Spending Subject to Appropriation						
Authorization	0	50	0	0	0	0	50
Estimated Outlays	0	1	7	15	13	9	45

The bill would authorize the appropriation of \$50 million over the 2027-2031 period but does not specify amounts for specific years. For this estimate, CBO has assumed that the full amount would be provided in 2027.

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