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The Money Monitor

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Week of June 25-June 29, 2001

Five-year cost of House authorizations passed *this week*: \$70,300,000.00

H.R. 645	(Rhino and Tiger Conservation Act)	\$50.0 million
S. 657	(Funding for the National 4-H Program Centennial Initiative)	\$5.0 million
H.R. 2133	(To establish a Brown v. Board of Education 50th anniversary	
	commission)	\$0.3 million
H.R. 691	(To extend automobile safety programs for children)	\$15.0 million
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	THIS WEEK'S TOTAL OF FIVE-YEAR COSTS	\$70.3 million

Year-to-date total of five-year costs of House authorizations: \$157,611,600,000.00

Five-year cost of House mandatory spending passed *this week*: \$5,499,000,000.00

H.R. 2213 (Crop Year 2001 Agricultural Economic Assistance Act) \$5,499.0 million

THIS WEEK'S TOTAL OF FIVE-YEAR COSTS \$5.499.0 million

Year-to-date total of five-year costs of House mandatory spending: \$26,481,300,000.00

One-year cost of House appropriations passed *this week*: \$38,596,300,000.00

H.R. 2299

(FY2001 Transportation Appropriations Act)

\$14,892.3 million

\$23,704.0 million

THIS WEEK'S TOTAL OF ONE-YEAR COSTS

\$38,596.3 million

Year-to-date total of one-year costs of House appropriations: \$63,960,200,000.00

An authorization explicitly allows funding for a certain program and / or directs a federal agency to take a certain action. Authorizations express the House's intent to spend, however, actual funding is provided through the annual appropriations process. Authorizations that would result in no net cost are not reported here.

Mandatory spending directly establishes an appropriation. No subsequent action is required for the money to be spent.

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