

CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE COST ESTIMATE

December 10, 2009

S. 1067 Lord's Resistance Army Disarmament and Northern Uganda Recovery Act of 2009

As ordered reported by the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations on November 17, 2009

S. 1067 would require the President to develop a strategy to support the disarmament of the Lord's Resistance Army—a sectarian guerrilla group in central Africa. It also would authorize the appropriation of \$10 million a year over the 2011-2013 period to support reconciliation between the government of Uganda and the Lord's Resistance Army. In addition, the bill would authorize the appropriation of \$10 million in 2011 to provide humanitarian assistance to areas outside Uganda that have been affected by the Lord's Resistance Army.

Assuming appropriation of the authorized amounts, CBO estimates that implementing S. 1067 would cost \$28 million over the 2010-2014 period, as shown in the following table. Enacting the bill would not affect direct spending or receipts.

	By Fiscal Year, in Millions of Dollars					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2010- 2014
Authorization Level Estimated Outlays	0	20 7	10 9	10 8	0 4	40 28

S. 1067 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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