



November 2, 2007

Honorable Ileana Ros-Lehtinen
Ranking Member
Committee on Foreign Affairs
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Ranking Member Ros-Lehtinen:

As you requested, the Congressional Budget Office has compiled the following information on current spending for anti-tuberculosis programs and compared that funding to the authorization of appropriations for similar activities contained in H.R. 1567, as reported by the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

	By Fiscal Year, in Millions of Dollars		
	Budget Authority 2007	Authorization Levels Specified in H.R. 1567 2008	2009
International Assistance ^a	211	330	450
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ^a	<u>2</u>	<u>70</u>	<u>100</u>
Total	213	400	550

a. Budget authority amounts for 2007 were provided by the U.S. Agency for International Development, the Office of Management and Budget, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

I hope this information is helpful to you. The CBO staff contact is Michelle Patterson, who can be reached at 226-2840.

Sincerely,

for Robert A. Gussman

Peter R. Orszag

cc: Honorable Tom Lantos
Chairman