

This bill requires the Department of Health and the Utah Solid and Hazardous Waste Control Board within the Department of Environmental Quality, to promulgate rules for decontamination of properties affected by illegal manufacturing of methamphetamines. It is estimated to cost \$10,000 from the General Fund in FY 2001 to establish the rules and standards required by the bill. It is estimated that 1.5 FTE will be needed at the Department of Environmental Quality to administer provisions of this bill at a cost of \$92,200 from the General Fund. Further costs of \$70,000 are expected to administer an estimated 100 loans allowed through provisions of the bill. These funds will come from the State Illegal Drug Manufacturing and Storage Site Decontamination Loan Fund created in the bill.

Local Health Departments will be responsible to inspect and assess properties for contaminations and their cleanup. Costs to local health departments are estimated at \$1,000 per site with an estimated 400 labs per year. The bill allows the local health departments to charge fees to offset these expenses.

The bill also provides that fees can be collected for training and issuance of contractor certificates. It is estimated that collections for those fees in FY 2001 will be \$4,000 and deposited as dedicated credits.

	<u>FY 01 Approp.</u>	<u>FY 02 Approp.</u>	<u>FY 01 Revenue</u>	<u>FY 02 Revenue</u>
General Fund	\$102,200	\$92,200	\$0	\$0
Dedicated Credits Revenue	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,000	\$4,000
Other	\$70,000	\$70,000	\$0	\$0
Local Revenue	\$400,000	\$400,000	\$400,000	\$400,000

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TOTAL**\$576,200****\$566,200****\$404,000****\$404,000**

Individual and Business Impact

Fiscal impact to individuals and businesses will depend on the cleanup cost at contaminated properties they own.

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