

SODOMY AMENDMENTS

2007 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Scott D. McCoy

House Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill amends the portion of the Utah Criminal Code related to sodomy.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

▶ amends the sodomy provisions of the Utah Criminal Code to provide that consensual sodomy involving adults is not a crime.

Monies Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

76-5-403, as last amended by Chapter 88, Laws of Utah 1983

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **76-5-403** is amended to read:

76-5-403. Sodomy -- Forcible sodomy.

(1) A person commits sodomy when the actor engages in any sexual act with a person who is at least 14 years of age [~~or older~~], but younger than 18 years of age, involving the genitals of one person and mouth or anus of another person, regardless of the sex of either



28 participant.

29 (2) A person commits forcible sodomy when the actor commits sodomy upon another
30 without the other's consent.

31 (3) Sodomy is a class B misdemeanor. Forcible sodomy is a felony of the first degree.

Legislative Review Note
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State Impact

Enactment of this bill will not require additional appropriations.

Individual, Business and/or Local Impact

Enactment of this bill likely will not result in direct, measurable costs and/or benefits for individuals, businesses, or local governments.

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