

1                   **HOUSE RULES RESOLUTION - LEGISLATIVE PER DIEM**

2                                   **AMENDMENTS**

3   2014 GENERAL SESSION

4   STATE OF UTAH

5                                   **Chief Sponsor: Melvin R. Brown**

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7                   **LONG TITLE**

8                   **General Description:**

9                   This House resolution of the Legislature modifies legislative rules for compensation  
10                  and expense reimbursement.

11                  **Highlighted Provisions:**

12                  This resolution:

13                  ▶ amends per diem and expense related language in House Rules to comply with  
14                  current compensation and expense requirements.

15                  **Special Clauses:**

16                  None

17                  **Legislative Rules Affected:**

18                  AMENDS:

19                  **HR1-3-102**

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21                  *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the state of Utah:*

22                  Section 1. **HR1-3-102** is amended to read:

23                  **HR1-3-102. Duties of the speaker.**

24                  (1) The general duties of the speaker are to:

25                  (a) call the House to order at the time scheduled for convening, and proceed with the  
26                  daily order of business;

27                  (b) announce the business before the House in the order that it is to be acted upon;

28                  (c) receive and submit in the proper manner all motions and proposals presented by  
29                  representatives;

- 30 (d) put to a vote all questions that arise in the course of proceedings, and announce the  
31 results of the vote;
- 32 (e) enforce the House Rules governing debates;
- 33 (f) enforce observance of order and decorum;
- 34 (g) inform the House on any point of order or practice;
- 35 (h) receive and announce to the House any official messages and communications;
- 36 (i) sign all acts, orders, and proceedings of the House;
- 37 (j) appoint the members of committees;
- 38 (k) assign responsibilities to, and supervise the officers and employees of, the House;
- 39 (l) assign places and determine access for news media representatives; and
- 40 (m) represent the House, declaring its will and obeying its commands.
- 41 (2) The speaker shall:
- 42 (a) sign, or authorize a designee to sign, all requisitions on the Division of Finance to  
43 pay House expenses; and
- 44 (b) give final approval of all expenditure requests as authorized by the majority and  
45 minority leaders of the House, including [~~per diem~~] compensation[~~, travel expenses,~~] and  
46 reimbursement for expenses for in-state and out-of-state travel on legislative business.