

**BAIL BONDSMEN AMENDMENTS**

2014 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

**Chief Sponsor: Edward H. Redd**

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**LONG TITLE**

**General Description:**

This bill modifies the Bail Bond Recovery Act regarding bail bond apprentices.

**Highlighted Provisions:**

This bill:

▶ authorizes a bail bond apprentice to wear clothing identifying the apprentice as a bail bond agent.

**Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

None

**Other Special Clauses:**

None

**Utah Code Sections Affected:**

AMENDS:

**53-11-112**, as enacted by Laws of Utah 1998, Chapter 257

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

Section 1. Section **53-11-112** is amended to read:

**53-11-112. Licensure -- Bail recovery apprentices -- Requirements and limitations.**

(1) In addition to the requirements in Sections **53-11-108** and **53-11-113**, an applicant for licensure as a bail recovery apprentice shall meet all of the requirements under Section



28 53-11-109, except the applicant is not subject to the experience requirement under Subsection  
29 53-11-109(1)(a).

30 (2) A bail recovery apprentice may work as a licensee only:

31 (a) as an employee or contract employee of a bail bond agency; and

32 (b) under the direct supervision of a bail enforcement agent or bail recovery agent  
33 employed also by the bail enforcement agent, unless the bail recovery apprentice is conducting  
34 activities at the direction of the employing bail enforcement agent that under this chapter do not  
35 require direct supervision.

36 (3) A bail recovery apprentice may not:

37 (a) advertise [~~his~~] the apprentice's bail recovery services;

38 (b) provide services as a licensee under this chapter directly for members of the public;

39 or

40 (c) employ or hire as independent contractors bail enforcement agents, bail recovery  
41 agents, or bail recovery apprentices.

42 (4) A bail recovery apprentice may wear an article of clothing that conspicuously  
43 displays on the chest and the back of the article of clothing lettering that clearly identifies the  
44 licensee as a bail enforcement or recovery agent.

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