

1                   **SENATE RULES RESOLUTION ON COMMITTEE HEARINGS**

2   2014 GENERAL SESSION

3   STATE OF UTAH

4                                   **Chief Sponsor: John L. Valentine**

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6 **LONG TITLE**

7 **General Description:**

8               This rules resolution amends rules governing Senate standing committee review  
9 procedures.

10 **Highlighted Provisions:**

11           This resolution:

- 12           ▶ requires that legislation receive a favorable recommendation by a Senate standing
- 13 committee before passage; and
- 14           ▶ changes the list of exemptions to the standing committee review requirement.

15 **Special Clauses:**

16           None

17 **Legislative Rules Affected:**

18 AMENDS:

19           **SR3-2-102**

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21 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the state of Utah:*

22           Section 1. **SR3-2-102** is amended to read:

23           **SR3-2-102. Standing committee review required -- Exceptions.**

24           (1) The Senate may not pass a bill, joint resolution, or concurrent resolution during the  
25 annual general session [~~that has not been reviewed by~~] unless:

26           (a) a Senate standing committee[;] has reviewed the legislation; and

27           [~~(b) the Senate Rules Committee; or~~]

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- 28 ~~[(c) the Legislative Management Committee.]~~
- 29 (b) the Senate standing committee has given a favorable recommendation to the
- 30 legislation.
- 31 (2) This rule does not apply to:
- 32 (a) a resolution regarding legislative rules or legislative personnel;
- 33 (b) legislation that has been approved by an interim committee;
- 34 (c) the revisor's statute;
- 35 (d) ~~[legislation introduced or received from the House during the last three days of the~~
- 36 ~~annual general session; or] if the legislation was reviewed and approved by the Executive~~
- 37 Appropriations Committee, legislation that:
- 38 ~~[(e) if the legislation was reviewed and approved by the Executive Appropriations~~
- 39 ~~Committee, legislation that:]~~
- 40 (i) exclusively appropriates money;
- 41 (ii) amends Utah Code Title 53A, Chapter 17a, Minimum School Program Act;
- 42 (iii) amends Utah Code Title 67, Chapter 22, State Officer Compensation; or
- 43 (iv) authorizes the issuance of general obligation or revenue bonds.

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