SB0113S01 compared with SB0113

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1	Traffic Code Amendments
	2025 GENERAL SESSION
	STATE OF UTAH
	Chief Sponsor: Scott D. Sandall
	House Sponsor: Scott H. Chew
2 3	LONG TITLE
4	General Description:
5	This bill addresses range livestock collisions on a highway.
6	Highlighted Provisions:
7	This bill:
8	• creates a rebuttable presumption in a highway collision between a driver and livestock.
9	Money Appropriated in this Bill:
10	None
11	None
14	AMENDS:
15	41-6a-407, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2015, Chapter 412, as last amended by Laws of Utah
	2015, Chapter 412
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- 17 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:
- Section 1. Section **41-6a-407** is amended to read:
- 19 41-6a-407. Livestock on highway -- Restrictions -- Collision, action for damages.

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- 20 (1)
 - . (a) A person who owns or is in possession or control of any livestock may not willfully or negligently permit any of the livestock to stray or remain unaccompanied on a highway, if both sides of the highway are separated from adjoining property by a fence, wall, hedge, sidewalk, curb, lawn, or building.
- 24 (b) Subsection (1)(a) does not apply to range stock drifting onto any highway moving to or from their accustomed ranges.
- 26 (2)
 - (a) A person may not drive any livestock upon, over, or across any highway during the period from half an hour after sunset to half an hour before sunrise.
- 28 (b) Subsection (2)(a) does not apply if the person has a sufficient number of herders with warning lights on continual duty to open the road to permit the passage of vehicles.
- 30 (3) A violation of Subsection (1) or (2) is an infraction.
- 31 (4) In any civil action brought for damages caused by collision with any domestic animal or livestock on a highway, there is no presumption that the collision was due to negligence on behalf of the owner or the person in possession of the domestic animal or livestock.
- 34 (5) In any civil action brought for damages caused by a collision with any range stock on a highway, {as described in Subsection (1)(b)} where range stock drift onto any highway to or from the range stock's accustomed range, there is a rebuttable presumption that the collision was due to the negligence of the driver.
- 38 Section 2. **Effective date.**

This bill takes effect on May 7, 2025.

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