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Offender Information Amendments

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STATE OF UTAH

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Ι	LONG TITLE
(General Description:
	This bill concerns electronic access to personal and financial information for an offender.
H	Iighlighted Provisions:
	This bill:
	 requires the Division of Technology Services to make a version of the single sign-on
С	itizen portal available for certain individuals who are or were offenders that contains:
	• if possible, an electronic copy of, or link to, the individual's digital verifiable
с	redentials and records; and
	• if available, information on certain debts the individual may have; and
	 makes technical and conforming changes.
N	Money Appropriated in this Bill:
	None
(Other Special Clauses:
	None
ι	Jtah Code Sections Affected:
A	AMENDS:
	63A-16-803, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2023, Chapters 34, 329
E	Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:
	Section 1. Section 63A-16-803 is amended to read:
	63A-16-803 . Single sign-on citizen portal Creation.
(1) The division shall, in consultation with the entities described in Subsection (4), design
	and create a single sign-on citizen portal that is:
	(a) a web portal through which an individual may access information and services
	described in Subsection (2), as agreed upon by the entities described in Subsection (4);
	and
	(b) secure, centralized, and interconnected.
(2) The division shall ensure that the single sign-on citizen portal allows an individual, at a

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32	single point of entry, to:
33	(a) access and submit an application for:
34	(i) medical and support programs including:
35	(A) a medical assistance program administered under Title 26B, Chapter 3, Health
36	Care - Administration and Assistance, including Medicaid;
37	(B) the Children's Health Insurance Program under Title 26B, Chapter 3, Part 9,
38	Utah Children's Health Insurance Program;
39	(C) the Primary Care Network as defined in Section 26B-3-211; and
40	(D) the Women, Infants, and Children program administered under 42 U.S.C. Sec.
41	1786;
42	(ii) unemployment insurance under Title 35A, Chapter 4, Employment Security Act;
43	(iii) workers' compensation under Title 34A, Chapter 2, Workers' Compensation Act;
44	(iv) employment with a state agency;
45	(v) a driver license or state identification card renewal under Title 53, Chapter 3,
46	Uniform Driver License Act;
47	(vi) a birth or death certificate under Title 26B, Chapter 8, Part 1, Vital Statistics; and
48	(vii) a hunting or fishing license under Title 23A, Chapter 4, Licenses, Permits,
49	Certificates of Registration, and Tags;
50	(b) access the individual's:
51	(i) transcripts from an institution of higher education described in Section 53B-2-101;
52	and
53	(ii) immunization records maintained by the Department of Health and Human
54	Services;
55	(c) register the individual's vehicle under Title 41, Chapter 1a, Part 2, Registration, with
56	the Motor Vehicle Division of the State Tax Commission;
57	(d) file the individual's state income taxes under Title 59, Chapter 10, Individual Income
58	Tax Act, beginning December 1, 2020;
59	(e) access information about positions available for employment with the state; and
60	(f) access any other service or information the department determines is appropriate in
61	consultation with the entities described in Subsection (4).
62	(3) The division shall develop the single sign-on citizen portal using an open platform that:
63	(a) facilitates participation in the portal by a state entity;
64	(b) allows for optional participation in the portal by a political subdivision of the state;
65	and

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66	(c) contains a link to the State Tax Commission website.
67	(4) In developing the single sign-on citizen portal, the department shall consult with:
68	(a) each state executive branch agency that administers a program, provides a service, or
69	manages applicable information described in Subsection (2);
70	(b) the Utah League of Cities and Towns;
71	(c) the Utah Association of Counties; and
72	(d) other appropriate state executive branch agencies.
73	(5) The division shall ensure that the single sign-on citizen portal is fully operational no
74	later than January 1, 2025.
75	(6)(a) As used in this Subsection (6):
76	(i) "Digital verifiable credential" means the same as that term is defined in Section
77	<u>63A-16-108.</u>
78	(ii) "Digital verifiable record" means the same as that term is defined in Section
79	<u>63A-16-108.</u>
80	(iii) <u>"Offender" means the same as that term is defined in Section 64-13-1.</u>
81	(b) No later than January 1, 2027, the division shall ensure that a version of the single
82	sign-on citizen portal is made available to an individual who:
83	(i) is a Utah resident; and
84	(ii)(A) is an offender; or
85	(B) previously was an offender resulting from a conviction that occurred on or
86	after January 1, 2027.
87	(c) The portal described in Subsection (6)(b) shall include:
88	(i) if possible, an electronic copy of, or link to, the individual's digital verifiable
89	credentials and digital verifiable records; and
90	(ii) if available:
91	(A) information on the individual's debts such as restitution, court costs, fines, tax
92	obligations, alimony, child support, other court-ordered payments, and similar
93	debts; and
94	(B) links or another method to access more information concerning the debts
95	listed in Subsection (6)(c)(ii)(A).
96	Section 2. Effective date.
97	This bill takes effect on May 7, 2025.