
H.B. 224 - Health Care Provider Abusive Work Environment Prohibition Act

Fiscal Note

2009 General Session

State of Utah

State Impact

Enactment of this bill may increase the State of Utah's liability to lawsuits. It is estimated that the state could pay up \$2,000,000 per year for legal settlements and attorney's fees. Additionally, this bill would require an appropriation from the General Fund of \$142,000 in FY 2010 and \$138,000 in FY 2011 for personal services for defense attorney costs.

	2009	2010	2011	2009	2010	2011
	<u>Approp.</u>	<u>Approp.</u>	<u>Approp.</u>	<u>Revenue</u>	<u>Revenue</u>	<u>Revenue</u>
General Fund	\$0	\$138,000	\$138,000	\$0	\$0	\$0
General Fund, One-Time	\$0	\$4,000	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0
Total	\$0	\$142,000	\$138,000	\$0	\$0	\$0

Individual, Business and/or Local Impact

Local governments and businesses may be subject to increased costs where health care providers are employed. Individuals may benefit from the enactment of statute.