



Fiscal Note
S.B. 77 2nd Sub. (Salmon)
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 Adoption Records Access Amendments
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General, Education, and Uniform School Funds

JR4-5-101

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/EF/USF (rev.-exp.)	\$(55,000)	\$0	\$(55,000)

State Government

UCA 36-12-13(2)(b)

Enactment of this bill could increase dedicated credits revenue to the Department of Health by \$27,400 in FY 2016 and \$54,800 beginning in FY 2017.

Revenues	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017
Dedicated Credits	\$0	\$27,400	\$54,800
Total Revenues	\$0	\$27,400	\$54,800

This bill could cost the Department of Health \$54,800 ongoing beginning January 2016 for 1 FTE to record and document birth mother disclosure requests for about 2,100 adoptions annually as well as respond to information requests from about 500 people annually. Further the bill directs the Department of Health to pay for system improvements and advertising but does not specify an amount. This bill appropriates \$55,000 annually beginning in FY 2016 from General Fund and \$26,200 from dedicated credits to the Department of Health. This bill grants non-lapsing authority for adoption records access funds in FY 2016.

Expenditures	FY 2015	FY 2016	FY 2017
General Fund	\$0	\$55,000	\$55,000
Dedicated Credits	\$0	\$26,200	\$26,200
Total Expenditures	\$0	\$81,200	\$81,200

Net All Funds	\$0	\$(53,800)	\$(26,400)
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Local Government

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

The State's twelve local health departments would see similar impacts as the State, but may or may not raise fees to cover the costs.

Individuals & Businesses

UCA 36-12-13(2)(d)

Around two hundred fifty clients in FY 2016 and five hundred clients beginning in FY 2017 could pay additional fees of \$110 to search for birth mother's information for adoptions.

Performance Note

JR4-2-404

No performance note required for this bill

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Notes on Notes

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