



Fiscal Note

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Higher Education Student Speech Rights
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General, Education, and Uniform School Funds

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

State Government

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

Revenues	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Total Revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0

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Expenditures	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
Total Expenditures	\$0	\$0	\$0

This bill creates two new possible causes of action against state institutions. To the extent individuals bring action in a state court, General Fund expenses for the Courts would be approximately \$500 per case. In addition, state attorney costs could be approximately \$20,000 per case. Finally, costs to state institutions and/or State Risk Managements could be \$100,000 to \$200,000 per case. However, the amount cannot be determined due to a number of unknown factors, including the number of actions, the representation and litigation required, and damages awarded.

Net All Funds	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
	\$0	\$0	\$0

Local Government

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

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct, measurable costs for local governments.

Individuals & Businesses

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

To the event that an individual brings action in a state court under the new causes of action established in this bill, the individual would pay \$250 per case.

Regulatory Impact

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

Enactment of this legislation likely will not change the regulatory burden for Utah residents or businesses.

No performance note required for this bill

Notes on Notes

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