



Fiscal Note

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School Fees Modifications
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General, Education, and Uniform School Funds

JR4-5-101

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

State Government

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

Revenues	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Total Revenues	\$0	\$0	\$0

Enactment of this legislation likely will not materially impact state revenue.

Expenditures	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Total Expenditures	\$0	\$0	\$0

Enactment of this legislation likely will not materially impact state expenditures.

Net All Funds	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
	\$0	\$0	\$0

Local Government

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

Enactment of the legislation prohibits local education agencies (LEAs) from charging certain fees as outlined in the bill. LEAs that currently charge student fees for the purposes prohibited in this legislation may see reduced fee revenue collections. Estimates from a recent audit by the State Board of Education indicate the average fee amount waived by LEAs is approximately \$125 per student compared to the average fee amount paid of \$250 per student. These amounts may include co-curricular and extra-curricular amounts. Potential revenue loss will vary by LEA depending on the current fee charged and the number of students paying the fee. Enactment of the legislation may also increase the one-time enrollment fee from \$5 to \$25. This fee is charged to non-resident students who apply to attend a school outside of their district of enrollment. If the student enrolls and attends the school, this fee is refunded. The amount of enrollment fee revenue received and refunded will vary based on the LEA.

Individuals & Businesses

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

Individuals currently paying fees to local education agencies (LEAs) for categories prohibited in this legislation may see a reduction in fees paid. This amount will vary depending on current LEA fee schedules. Estimates from a recent audit by the State Board of Education indicate the average fee amount waived by LEAs is approximately \$125 per student compared to the average fee amount paid of \$250 per student. Individual students wishing to attend a school outside of their district of residence may see an increased cost of \$20 in the enrollment fee, from \$5 to \$25. If the student enrolls in and attends the school, this one-time fee will be refunded.

Regulatory Impact

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

Enactment of this legislation could result in a medium reduction in the regulatory burden for Utah residents or businesses.

Performance Note

JR4-2-404

No performance note required for this bill

Notes on Notes

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