



Fiscal Note

S.B. 238

2020 General Session
Battered Person Mitigation Amendments
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General, Education, and Uniform School Funds

JR4-4-101

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/EF/USF (rev.-exp.)	\$0	\$(9,500)	\$(9,500)

State Government

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

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

To the extent that prosecutors and judges reduces the severity of charges as outlined in this bill, enactment of this bill could reduce revenue to the General Fund, the Criminal Surcharge Account and the Court Security Account by an unknown amount.

Expenditures	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
General Fund, One-time	\$0	\$9,500	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0	\$9,500	\$0

Enactment of this legislation could cost the Courts \$9,500 one-time from the General Fund in Fiscal Year 2021 for modifications to data systems. To the extent that prosecutors and judges reduces the severity of charges as outlined in this bill, the Judiciary could expend fewer resources on case management and the Department of Corrections could experience fewer prison and probation commitments both resulting in a cost savings to the General Fund by an unknown amount.

	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Net All Funds	\$0	\$(9,500)	\$0

Local Government

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

To the extent that prosecutors and judges reduces the severity of charges as outlined in this bill, local entities could see a reduction in both revenue and expenses by an unknown amount.

Individuals & Businesses

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

To the extent that prosecutors and judges reduces the severity of charges as outlined in this bill, individuals charged and convicted of a criminal offense could experience a reduction of fines and fees.

Regulatory Impact

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

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

No performance note required for this bill
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Notes on Notes

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