



Fiscal Note
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 Public Library Background Check
 Requirements
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General, Income Tax, and Uniform School Funds

JR4-4-101

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/ITF/USF (rev.-exp.)	\$ (25,000)	\$ 25,000	\$ 0

State Government

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

Revenues	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Dedicated Credits Revenue	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 25,000
Total Revenues	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 25,000

Enactment of this legislation could increase Dedicated Credit revenue by \$25,000 ongoing beginning in FY 2025 to the Department of Public Safety's Bureau of Criminal Investigation to conduct background checks.

Expenditures	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
General Fund	\$ 0	\$ 25,000	\$ 25,000
General Fund, One-time	\$ 0	\$ (25,000)	\$ 0
Dedicated Credits Revenue	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 25,000
Total Expenditures	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 50,000

Enactment of this legislation could cost the Department of Public Safety - Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) \$25,000 ongoing to in dedicated credits beginning in FY 2025 for conducting background checks for certain City and County library employees. This could cost the Department of Cultural and Community Engagement, \$25,000 ongoing from the General Fund over the same time period to reimburse local libraries for background check costs.

	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Net All Funds	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ (25,000)

Local Government

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

Enactment of this legislation could cost City and County Libraries \$15 on average per employee to conduct a background check through the Department of Public Safety's Bureau of Criminal Investigation. Assuming local public libraries conduct checks on 1,667 relevant individuals statewide, this could cost about \$25,000 ongoing beginning in FY 2025 of which they could be fully reimbursed by the same amount.

Individuals & Businesses

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

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct expenditures from tax or fee changes for Utah residents and businesses.

Regulatory Impact

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

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

Performance Evaluation

JR1-4-601

This bill does not create a new program or significantly expand an existing program.

Notes on Notes

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