



Fiscal Note

S.B. 210

2024 General Session
 Optometrist Practice Amendments
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General, Income Tax, and Uniform School Funds

JR4-4-101

| | Ongoing | One-time | Total |
|----------------------------|---------|-----------|-----------|
| Net GF/ITF/USF (rev.-exp.) | \$200 | \$(4,800) | \$(4,600) |

State Government

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

| Revenues | FY 2024 | FY 2025 | FY 2026 |
|------------------------|------------|----------------|----------------|
| General Fund | \$0 | \$200 | \$200 |
| General Fund, One-time | \$0 | \$(4,800) | \$0 |
| Commerce Service Fund | \$0 | \$14,300 | \$9,500 |
| Total Revenues | \$0 | \$9,700 | \$9,700 |

Enactment of this legislation could increase revenue to the Commerce Service Account by \$9,700 ongoing beginning in FY 2025 due to certification fees. This combined with the expenditures below could decrease the annual transfer from the Commerce Service Account to the General Fund by \$4,600 one-time in FY 2025 and increase the annual transfer by \$200 ongoing beginning in FY 2026.

| Expenditures | FY 2024 | FY 2025 | FY 2026 |
|---------------------------|------------|-----------------|----------------|
| Commerce Service Fund | \$0 | \$14,300 | \$9,500 |
| Total Expenditures | \$0 | \$14,300 | \$9,500 |

Enactment of this legislation could cost the Department of Commerce \$4,800 one-time in FY 2025 and \$9,500 ongoing beginning in FY 2025 from the Commerce Service Account for labor expenses.

| | FY 2024 | FY 2025 | FY 2026 |
|----------------------|------------|------------------|--------------|
| Net All Funds | \$0 | \$(4,600) | \$200 |

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)(c)

Optometrists who practice certain laser procedures would be required to obtain an additional certificate for an estimated fee of \$95 and could pay an aggregate total of \$9,700 annually.

Regulatory Impact

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

Enactment of this legislation could result in a small increase in 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

Fiscal notes estimate the direct costs or revenues of enacting a bill. The Legislature uses them to balance the budget. They do not measure a bill's benefits or non-fiscal impacts like opportunity costs, wait times, or inconvenience. A fiscal note is not an appropriation. The Legislature decides appropriations separately.