

**GIVING FALSE INFORMATION TO POLICE
OFFICER**

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STATE OF UTAH

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This act modifies the Criminal Code by amending the offense of giving false information to a peace officer to include the specific offense of giving the name or identification of another person.

This act affects sections of Utah Code Annotated 1953 as follows:

AMENDS:

76-8-507, as last amended by Chapter 97, Laws of Utah 1983

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section **76-8-507** is amended to read:

76-8-507. False personal information to peace officer.

(1) A person commits a class C misdemeanor if, with intent of misleading a peace officer as to ~~his~~ the person's identity, birth date, or place of residence, ~~he~~ the person knowingly gives a false name, birth date, or address to a peace officer in the lawful discharge of ~~his~~ the peace officer's official duties.

(2) A person commits a class A misdemeanor if, with the intent of leading a peace officer to believe that the person is another actual person, he gives the name, birth date, or address of another person to a peace officer acting in the lawful discharge of the peace officer's official duties.