

**OBSTRUCTING A WARRANT OR ORDER TO
SHOW CAUSE OF A PAROLEE OR
PROBATIONER**

2007 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Rebecca D. Lockhart

Senate Sponsor: Darin G. Peterson

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill modifies the Criminal Code regarding obstructing service of a Board of Pardons and Parole warrant or an order to show cause regarding a probation or parole violation.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ provides that a person is guilty of a third degree felony who:
 - aids a parolee to evade service of a warrant issued by the Board of Pardons and Parole for a parole violation; or
 - aids a probationer to evade service of an order to show cause regarding a violation of the probation agreement.

Monies Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

ENACTS:

76-8-306.5, Utah Code Annotated 1953



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

Section 1. Section **76-8-306.5** is enacted to read:

76-8-306.5. Obstructing service of a Board of Pardons' warrant or a probationer order to show cause.

A person is guilty of a third degree felony who:

(1) knows that the Board of Pardons and Parole has issued a warrant for a parolee or that a court has issued an order to show cause regarding a defendant's violation of the terms of probation; and

(2) (a) harbors or conceals the parolee or probationer;

(b) provides the parolee or probationer with transportation, disguise, or other means or assistance to avoid discovery; or

(c) warns the parolee or probationer of his impending discovery.

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Fiscal Note**H.B. 265 - Obstructing a Warrant or Order to Show Cause of a Parolee or
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State Impact

Enactment of this bill will not require additional appropriations.

Individual, Business and/or Local Impact

Enactment of this bill likely will not result in direct, measurable costs and/or benefits for individuals, businesses, or local governments.

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