

1 **RETAIL AND LIBRARY THEFT AMENDMENTS**

2 2009 GENERAL SESSION

3 STATE OF UTAH

4 **Chief Sponsor: Francis D. Gibson**

5 Senate Sponsor: David P. Hinkins

7 **LONG TITLE**

8 **General Description:**

9 This bill modifies the Criminal Code regarding the use of photographs of property in
10 prosecutions for theft.

11 **Highlighted Provisions:**

12 This bill:

13 ▶ deletes the provision of the Criminal Code that allows photographs of merchandise
14 and library materials to be used as evidence in theft prosecutions if the items
15 themselves had been introduced as evidence.

16 **Monies Appropriated in this Bill:**

17 None

18 **Other Special Clauses:**

19 None

20 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

21 **REPEALS:**

22 **76-6-605**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 1989, Chapter 22

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

25 Section 1. **Repealer.**

26 This bill repeals:

27 Section **76-6-605, Photographs of items allegedly taken or converted --**

28 **Admissibility -- Procedure.**

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