

JROTC INSTRUCTOR AMENDMENTS

2016 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Margaret Dayton

House Sponsor: Keith Grover

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill enacts language related to an instructor for the Junior Reserve Officer's Training Corps.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ exempts a Junior Reserve Officer's Training Corps instructor from holding an educator license; and
- ▶ requires a Junior Reserve Officer's Training Corps instructor to submit to a background check.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

ENACTS:

53A-6-114, Utah Code Annotated 1953

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

Section 1. Section **53A-6-114** is enacted to read:

53A-6-114. JROTC instructors.



- 28 (1) As used in this section:
29 (a) "Junior Reserve Officer's Training Corps instructor" or "JROTC instructor" means
30 an individual who:
31 (i) provides instruction authorized by 10 U.S.C. Sec. 2031; and
32 (ii) is qualified to provide instruction in accordance with 10 U.S.C. Sec. 2033.
33 (b) "Junior Reserve Officer's Training Corps program" or "JROTC program" means a
34 program established in a school district or charter school as described in 10 U.S.C. Sec. 2031.
35 (2) A school district, a charter school, or the board may not require that a JROTC
36 instructor hold a license as described in this part to teach a course that is part of a JROTC
37 program.
38 (3) A JROTC instructor shall submit to a background check under Section
39 [53A-15-1503](#) as a condition for employment in a school district or charter school.
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Legislative Review Note
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