ORGAN DONATION AMENDMENTS

2017 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Mark A. Wheatley

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LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill amends the section regarding organ donor leave for state employees.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- requires the Department of Human Resource Management to publicize the organ donor leave provision to employees during the month of April.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

67-19-14.5, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2002, Chapter 310

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

Section 1. Section **67-19-14.5** is amended to read:

67-19-14.5. Organ donor leave.

(1) An employee who serves as a bone marrow donor shall be granted a paid leave of absence of up to seven days that are necessary for the donation and recovery from the donation.

(2) An employee who serves as a donor of a human organ shall be granted a paid leave of absence of up to 30 days that are necessary for the donation and recovery from the donation.

(3) In recognition of National Donate Life Month, 2015, created by Proclamation No.

30 9248, 80 F.R. 18511 (April 1, 2015), the department shall distribute an electronic message to
31 each employee during the month of April publicizing the leave offered under this section.