

RISK MANAGEMENT SETTLEMENT AUTHORITY

AMENDMENTS

2021 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Brady Brammer

Senate Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This bill modifies provisions relating to the authority of the state's risk manager.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ modifies language relating to the claims that the state's risk manager may compromise and settle; and
- ▶ modifies the dollar amount limits relating to the authority of the risk manager to compromise and settle claims and relating to the settlement of claims requiring the approval of the attorney general and the executive director of the Department of Administrative Services or of the governor.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

AMENDS:

63G-10-503, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2015, Chapter 355

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



28 Section 1. Section **63G-10-503** is amended to read:

29 **63G-10-503. Risk manager's authority to settle a claim -- Additional approvals**
30 **required.**

31 The risk manager may compromise and settle any claim [~~against the state~~] for which the
32 risk management fund may be liable:

33 (1) on the risk manager's own authority, if the settlement amount is [~~\$50,000~~] \$100,000
34 or less;

35 (2) upon the approval of the attorney general, or the attorney general's representative,
36 and the executive director, if the settlement amount is more than [~~\$50,000~~] \$100,000 but not
37 more than [~~\$200,000~~] \$250,000;

38 (3) upon the governor's approval, if the settlement amount is more than [~~\$200,000~~]
39 \$250,000 but not more than \$500,000;

40 (4) upon the Legislative Management Committee's approval, if the settlement amount
41 is more than \$500,000 but not more than \$1,000,000; and

42 (5) upon the Legislature's approval, if the settlement amount is more than \$1,000,000.