

DRIVING OFFENSES AMENDMENTS

2022 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

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LONG TITLE

Committee Note:

The Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Interim Committee recommended this bill.

Legislative Vote: 14 voting for 0 voting against 2 absent

General Description:

This bill concerns offenses relating to the operation of a motor vehicle.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

- ▶ modifies definitions;
- ▶ modifies offenses and penalties concerning the operation of a motor vehicle while under the influence of drugs or alcohol or while having any measurable amount of a controlled substance in the operator's body;
- ▶ amends negligent driving offenses subject to enhancement under certain circumstances;
- ▶ adjusts offenses subject to driver license suspension and revocation;
- ▶ modifies eligibility and requirements for a plea of guilty or no contest in certain negligent driving offense situations;
- ▶ amends offenses subject to ignition interlock system requirements;
- ▶ modifies offenses relating to alcohol restricted drivers;
- ▶ amends the automobile homicide offenses exempted from probate disqualification;
- ▶ amends offenses subject to chemical testing and related procedures; and



28 ▶ makes technical and conforming changes.

29 **Money Appropriated in this Bill:**

30 None

31 **Other Special Clauses:**

32 None

33 **Utah Code Sections Affected:**

34 AMENDS:

35 **24-4-102**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 230

36 **41-6a-501**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 79

37 **41-6a-503**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 79

38 **41-6a-505**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapters 79 and 83

39 **41-6a-509**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapters 83, 120 and last amended
40 by Coordination Clause, Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 83

41 **41-6a-513**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 70

42 **41-6a-517**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapters 83, 120 and last amended
43 by Coordination Clause, Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 83

44 **41-6a-518.2**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 177

45 **41-6a-520**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 177

46 **41-6a-529**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 177

47 **41-6a-1901**, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2005, Chapter 127

48 **53-3-220**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapters 83, 262, and 343

49 **53-3-223**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 83

50 **53-3-414**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 218

51 **53-10-403**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 213

52 **58-37-8**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 236

53 **58-37f-201**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2020, Chapter 372

54 **58-37f-704**, as enacted by Laws of Utah 2016, Chapter 99

55 **75-2-803**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2006, Chapter 270

56 **76-5-201**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2010, Chapter 13

57 **76-5-207**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2017, Chapter 283

58 **77-2a-3**, as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapters 79 and 260

59 [77-40-102](#), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapters 206 and 260
60 [77-40-105](#), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapters 206, 260 and last amended
61 by Coordination Clause, Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 261
62 [78B-9-402](#), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapters 36, 36, 46, and 46
63 [80-6-707](#), as renumbered and amended by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 261
64 [80-6-712](#), as enacted by Laws of Utah 2021, Chapter 261
65 [80-6-804](#), as last amended by Laws of Utah 2021, First Special Session, Chapter 2

66 ENACTS:

67 [76-5-102.1](#), Utah Code Annotated 1953

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

70 Section 1. Section [24-4-102](#) is amended to read:

71 **[24-4-102. Property subject to forfeiture.](#)**

72 (1) Except as provided in Subsection (2), (3), or (4), an agency may seek to forfeit:

73 (a) seized property that was used to facilitate the commission of an offense that is a
74 violation of federal or state law; and

75 (b) seized proceeds.

76 (2) If seized property is used to facilitate an offense that is a violation of Section
77 [76-10-1204](#), [76-10-1205](#), [76-10-1206](#), or [76-10-1222](#), an agency may not forfeit the property if
78 the forfeiture would constitute a prior restraint on the exercise of an affected party's rights
79 under the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States or Utah Constitution,
80 Article I, Section 15, or would otherwise unlawfully interfere with the exercise of the party's
81 rights under the First Amendment to the Constitution of the United States or Utah Constitution,
82 Article I, Section 15.

83 (3) If a motor vehicle is used in an offense that is a violation of Section [41-6a-502](#),
84 [41-6a-517](#), a local ordinance that complies with the requirements of Subsection [41-6a-510\(1\)](#),
85 Subsection [~~[58-37-8\(2\)\(g\)](#)~~] [76-5-102.1\(2\)\(b\)](#), or Section [76-5-207](#), an agency may not seek
86 forfeiture of the motor vehicle, unless:

87 (a) the operator of the vehicle has previously been convicted of an offense committed
88 after May 12, 2009, that is:

89 (i) a felony driving under the influence violation under Section [41-6a-502](#) or

90 Subsection 76-5-102.1(2)(a);

91 (ii) a felony violation under Subsection [~~58-37-8(2)(g)~~] 76-5-102.1(2)(b); or

92 (iii) [~~automobile homicide~~] negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death under
93 Section 76-5-207; or

94 (b) the operator of the vehicle was driving on a denied, suspended, revoked, or
95 disqualified license and:

96 (i) the denial, suspension, revocation, or disqualification under Subsection (3)(b)(ii)
97 was imposed because of a violation under:

98 (A) Section 41-6a-502;

99 (B) Section 41-6a-517;

100 (C) a local ordinance that complies with the requirements of Subsection 41-6a-510(1);

101 (D) Section 41-6a-520;

102 [~~(E) Subsection 58-37-8(2)(g);~~]

103 (E) Section 76-5-102.1;

104 (F) Section 76-5-207; or

105 (G) a criminal prohibition as a result of a plea bargain after having been originally
106 charged with violating one or more of the sections or ordinances described in Subsections
107 (3)(b)(i)(A) through (F); or

108 (ii) the denial, suspension, revocation, or disqualification described in Subsections
109 (3)(b)(i)(A) through (G):

110 (A) is an extension imposed under Subsection 53-3-220(2) of a denial, suspension,
111 revocation, or disqualification; and

112 (B) the original denial, suspension, revocation, or disqualification was imposed
113 because of a violation described in Subsections (3)(b)(i)(A) through (G).

114 (4) If a peace officer seizes property incident to an arrest solely for possession of a
115 controlled substance under Subsection 58-37-8(2)(a)(i) but not Subsection 53-37-8(2)(b)(i), an
116 agency may not seek to forfeit the property that was seized in accordance with the arrest.

117 Section 2. Section **41-6a-501** is amended to read:

118 **41-6a-501. Definitions.**

119 (1) As used in this part:

120 (a) "Actual physical control" is determined by a consideration of the totality of the

- 121 circumstances, but does not include a circumstance in which:
- 122 (i) the person is asleep inside the vehicle;
- 123 (ii) the person is not in the driver's seat of the vehicle;
- 124 (iii) the engine of the vehicle is not running;
- 125 (iv) the vehicle is lawfully parked; and
- 126 (v) under the facts presented, it is evident that the person did not drive the vehicle to
- 127 the location while under the influence of alcohol, a drug, or the combined influence of alcohol
- 128 and any drug.
- 129 (b) "Assessment" means an in-depth clinical interview with a licensed mental health
- 130 therapist:
- 131 (i) used to determine if a person is in need of:
- 132 (A) substance abuse treatment that is obtained at a substance abuse program;
- 133 (B) an educational series; or
- 134 (C) a combination of Subsections (1)(b)(i)(A) and (B); and
- 135 (ii) that is approved by the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health in
- 136 accordance with Section [62A-15-105](#).
- 137 (c) "Driving under the influence court" means a court that is approved as a driving
- 138 under the influence court by the Utah Judicial Council according to standards established by
- 139 the Judicial Council.
- 140 (d) "Drug" or "drugs" means:
- 141 (i) a controlled substance as defined in Section [58-37-2](#);
- 142 (ii) a drug as defined in Section [58-17b-102](#); or
- 143 (iii) ~~any~~ a substance that, when knowingly, intentionally, or recklessly taken into the
- 144 human body, can impair the ability of a person to safely operate a motor vehicle.
- 145 (e) "Educational series" means an educational series obtained at a substance abuse
- 146 program that is approved by the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health in accordance
- 147 with Section [62A-15-105](#).
- 148 (f) "Negligence" means simple negligence, the failure to exercise that degree of care
- 149 that an ordinarily reasonable and prudent person exercises under like or similar circumstances.
- 150 (g) "Novice learner driver" means an individual who:
- 151 (i) has applied for a Utah driver license;

- 152 (ii) has not previously held a driver license in this state or another state; and
- 153 (iii) has not completed the requirements for issuance of a Utah driver license.
- 154 (h) "Screening" means a preliminary appraisal of a person:
- 155 (i) used to determine if the person is in need of:
- 156 (A) an assessment; or
- 157 (B) an educational series; and
- 158 (ii) that is approved by the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health in
- 159 accordance with Section [62A-15-105](#).
- 160 (i) "Serious bodily injury" means bodily injury that creates or causes:
- 161 (i) serious permanent disfigurement;
- 162 (ii) protracted loss or impairment of the function of any bodily member or organ; or
- 163 (iii) a substantial risk of death.
- 164 (j) "Substance abuse treatment" means treatment obtained at a substance abuse
- 165 program that is approved by the Division of Substance Abuse and Mental Health in accordance
- 166 with Section [62A-15-105](#).
- 167 (k) "Substance abuse treatment program" means a state licensed substance abuse
- 168 program.
- 169 (l) (i) "Vehicle" or "motor vehicle" means a vehicle or motor vehicle as defined in
- 170 Section [41-6a-102](#); and
- 171 (ii) "Vehicle" or "motor vehicle" includes:
- 172 (A) an off-highway vehicle as defined under Section [41-22-2](#); and
- 173 (B) a motorboat as defined in Section [73-18-2](#).
- 174 (2) As used in Section [41-6a-503](#):
- 175 (a) "Conviction" means any conviction arising from a separate episode of driving for a
- 176 violation of:
- 177 (i) driving under the influence under Section [41-6a-502](#);
- 178 (ii) (A) for an offense committed before July 1, 2008, alcohol, any drug, or a
- 179 combination of both-related reckless driving under:
- 180 (I) Section [41-6a-512](#); and
- 181 (II) Section [41-6a-528](#); or
- 182 (B) for an offense committed on or after July 1, 2008, impaired driving under Section

183 41-6a-502.5;

184 (iii) driving with any measurable controlled substance that is taken illegally in the body
185 under Section 41-6a-517;

186 (iv) local ordinances similar to Section 41-6a-502, alcohol, any drug, or a combination
187 of both-related reckless driving, or impaired driving under Section 41-6a-502.5 adopted in
188 compliance with Section 41-6a-510;

189 (v) ~~[automobile homicide]~~ negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death under
190 Section 76-5-207;

191 ~~[(vi) Subsection 58-37-8(2)(g);]~~

192 (vi) negligently operating a vehicle resulting in injury under Section 76-5-102.1;

193 (vii) a violation described in Subsections (2)(a)(i) through (vi), which judgment of
194 conviction is reduced under Section 76-3-402;

195 (viii) refusal of a chemical test under Subsection 41-6a-520(7); or

196 (ix) statutes or ordinances previously in effect in this state or in effect in any other
197 state, the United States, or any district, possession, or territory of the United States which
198 would constitute a violation of Section 41-6a-502 or alcohol, any drug, or a combination of
199 both-related reckless driving if committed in this state, including punishments administered
200 under 10 U.S.C. Sec. 815.

201 (b) A plea of guilty or no contest to a violation described in Subsections (2)(a)(i)
202 through (ix) which plea was held in abeyance under Title 77, Chapter 2a, Pleas in Abeyance,
203 prior to July 1, 2008, is the equivalent of a conviction, even if the charge has been subsequently
204 reduced or dismissed in accordance with the plea in abeyance agreement, for purposes of:

205 (i) enhancement of penalties under~~[-(A)]~~ this Chapter 6a, Part 5, Driving Under the
206 Influence and Reckless Driving; and

207 ~~[(B) automobile homicide under Section 76-5-207; and]~~

208 (ii) expungement under Title 77, Chapter 40, Utah Expungement Act.

209 (c) An admission to a violation of Section 41-6a-502 in juvenile court is the equivalent
210 of a conviction even if the charge has been subsequently dismissed in accordance with the Utah
211 Rules of Juvenile Procedure for the purposes of enhancement of penalties under:

212 (i) this part; ~~[and]~~

213 ~~[(ii) automobile homicide under Section 76-5-207.]~~

214 (ii) negligently operating a vehicle resulting in injury under Section 76-5-102.1; and
215 (iii) negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death under Section 76-5-207.

216 (3) As used in Section 41-6a-505, "controlled substance" does not include an inactive
217 metabolite of a controlled substance.

218 Section 3. Section 41-6a-503 is amended to read:

219 **41-6a-503. Penalties for driving under the influence violations.**

220 (1) A person who violates for the first or second time Section 41-6a-502 is guilty of a:

221 (a) class B misdemeanor; or

222 (b) class A misdemeanor if the person:

223 ~~[(i) has also inflicted bodily injury upon another as a proximate result of having~~
224 ~~operated the vehicle in a negligent manner;]~~

225 ~~[(ii)] (i) had a passenger under 16 years [of age] old in the vehicle at the time of the~~
226 ~~offense;~~

227 ~~[(iii)] (ii) was 21 years [of age] old or older and had a passenger under 18 years [of~~
228 ~~age] old in the vehicle at the time of the offense; or~~

229 ~~[(iv)] (iii) at the time of the violation of Section 41-6a-502, also violated Section~~
230 ~~41-6a-712 or 41-6a-714.~~

231 (2) A person who violates Section 41-6a-502 is guilty of a third degree felony if:

232 ~~[(a) the person has also inflicted serious bodily injury upon another as a proximate~~
233 ~~result of having operated the vehicle in a negligent manner;]~~

234 ~~[(b)] (a) the person has two or more prior convictions as defined in Subsection~~
235 ~~41-6a-501(2), each of which is within 10 years of:~~

236 (i) the current conviction under Section 41-6a-502; or

237 (ii) the commission of the offense upon which the current conviction is based; or

238 ~~[(c)] (b) the conviction under Section 41-6a-502 is at any time after a conviction of:~~

239 (i) ~~[automobile homicide] negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death~~
240 ~~Section 76-5-207 that is committed after July 1, 2001;~~

241 (ii) a felony violation of Section 41-6a-502, 76-5-102.1, or a statute previously in effect
242 in this state that would constitute a violation of Section 41-6a-502 or 76-5-102.1 that is
243 committed after July 1, 2001; or

244 (iii) any conviction described in Subsection (2)~~[(c)]~~(b)(i) or (ii) which judgment of

245 conviction is reduced under Section 76-3-402.

246 ~~[(3) A person is guilty of a separate offense for each victim suffering bodily injury or~~
247 ~~serious bodily injury as a result of the person's violation of Section 41-6a-502 or death as a~~
248 ~~result of the person's violation of Section 76-5-207 whether or not the injuries arise from the~~
249 ~~same episode of driving.]~~

250 [(4)] (3) A person is guilty of a separate offense under Subsection (1)(b)[(ii)](i) for
251 each passenger in the vehicle at the time of the offense that is under 16 years old.

252 Section 4. Section 41-6a-505 is amended to read:

253 **41-6a-505. Sentencing requirements for driving under the influence of alcohol,**
254 **drugs, or a combination of both violations.**

255 (1) As part of any sentence for a first conviction of Section 41-6a-502 where there is
256 admissible evidence that the individual had a blood alcohol level of .16 or higher, had a blood
257 alcohol level of .05 or higher in addition to any measurable controlled substance, or had a
258 combination of two or more controlled substances in the individual's body that were not
259 recommended in accordance with Title 26, Chapter 61a, Utah Medical Cannabis Act or
260 prescribed:

261 (a) the court shall:

262 (i) (A) impose a jail sentence of not less than five days; or

263 (B) impose a jail sentence of not less than two days in addition to home confinement of
264 not fewer than 30 consecutive days through the use of electronic monitoring that includes a
265 substance abuse testing instrument in accordance with Section 41-6a-506;

266 (ii) order the individual to participate in a screening;

267 (iii) order the individual to participate in an assessment, if it is found appropriate by a
268 screening under Subsection (1)(a)(ii);

269 (iv) order the individual to participate in an educational series if the court does not
270 order substance abuse treatment as described under Subsection (1)(b);

271 (v) impose a fine of not less than \$700;

272 (vi) order probation for the individual in accordance with Section 41-6a-507;

273 (vii) (A) order the individual to pay the administrative impound fee described in
274 Section 41-6a-1406; or

275 (B) if the administrative impound fee was paid by a party described in Subsection

276 41-6a-1406(5)(a), other than the individual sentenced, order the individual sentenced to
277 reimburse the party;

278 (viii) (A) order the individual to pay the towing and storage fees described in Section
279 72-9-603; or

280 (B) if the towing and storage fees were paid by a party described in Subsection
281 41-6a-1406(5)(a), other than the individual sentenced, order the individual sentenced to
282 reimburse the party; or

283 (ix) unless the court determines and states on the record that an ignition interlock
284 system is not necessary for the safety of the community and in the best interest of justice, order
285 the installation of an ignition interlock system as described in Section 41-6a-518; and

286 (b) the court may:

287 (i) order the individual to obtain substance abuse treatment if the substance abuse
288 treatment program determines that substance abuse treatment is appropriate;

289 (ii) order probation for the individual in accordance with Section 41-6a-507;

290 (iii) order the individual to participate in a 24/7 sobriety program as defined in Section
291 41-6a-515.5 if the individual is 21 years old or older; or

292 (iv) order a combination of Subsections (1)(b)(i) through (iii).

293 (2) (a) If an individual described in Subsection (1) is participating in a 24/7 sobriety
294 program as defined in Section 41-6a-515.5, the court may suspend the jail sentence imposed
295 under Subsection (1)(a).

296 (b) If an individual described in Subsection (1) fails to successfully complete all of the
297 requirements of the 24/7 sobriety program, the court shall impose the suspended jail sentence
298 described in Subsection (2)(a).

299 (3) As part of any sentence for any first conviction of Section 41-6a-502 not described
300 in Subsection (1):

301 (a) the court shall:

302 (i) (A) impose a jail sentence of not less than [2] two days; or

303 (B) require the individual to work in a compensatory-service work program for not less
304 than 48 hours;

305 (ii) order the individual to participate in a screening;

306 (iii) order the individual to participate in an assessment, if it is found appropriate by a

307 screening under Subsection (3)(a)(ii);

308 (iv) order the individual to participate in an educational series if the court does not
309 order substance abuse treatment as described under Subsection (3)(b);

310 (v) impose a fine of not less than \$700;

311 (vi) (A) order the individual to pay the administrative impound fee described in Section
312 41-6a-1406; or

313 (B) if the administrative impound fee was paid by a party described in Subsection
314 41-6a-1406(5)(a), other than the individual sentenced, order the individual sentenced to
315 reimburse the party; or

316 (vii) (A) order the individual to pay the towing and storage fees described in Section
317 72-9-603; or

318 (B) if the towing and storage fees were paid by a party described in Subsection
319 41-6a-1406(5)(a), other than the individual sentenced, order the individual sentenced to
320 reimburse the party; and

321 (b) the court may:

322 (i) order the individual to obtain substance abuse treatment if the substance abuse
323 treatment program determines that substance abuse treatment is appropriate;

324 (ii) order probation for the individual in accordance with Section 41-6a-507;

325 (iii) order the individual to participate in a 24/7 sobriety program as defined in Section
326 41-6a-515.5 if the individual is 21 years old or older; or

327 (iv) order a combination of Subsections (3)(b)(i) through (iii).

328 (4) (a) If an individual described in Subsection (3) is participating in a 24/7 sobriety
329 program as defined in Section 41-6a-515.5, the court may suspend the jail sentence imposed
330 under Subsection (3)(a).

331 (b) If an individual described in Subsection (4)(a) fails to successfully complete all of
332 the requirements of the 24/7 sobriety program, the court shall impose the suspended jail
333 sentence described in Subsection (4)(a).

334 (5) If an individual has a prior conviction as defined in Subsection 41-6a-501(2) that is
335 within 10 years of the current conviction under Section 41-6a-502 or the commission of the
336 offense upon which the current conviction is based and where there is admissible evidence that
337 the individual had a blood alcohol level of .16 or higher, had a blood alcohol level of .05 or

338 higher in addition to any measurable controlled substance, or had a combination of two or more
339 controlled substances in the individual's body that were not recommended in accordance with
340 Title 26, Chapter 61a, Utah Medical Cannabis Act or prescribed:

341 (a) the court shall:

342 (i) (A) impose a jail sentence of not less than 20 days;

343 (B) impose a jail sentence of not less than 10 days in addition to home confinement of
344 not fewer than 60 consecutive days through the use of electronic monitoring that includes a
345 substance abuse testing instrument in accordance with Section 41-6a-506; or

346 (C) impose a jail sentence of not less than 10 days in addition to ordering the
347 individual to obtain substance abuse treatment, if the court finds that substance abuse treatment
348 is more likely to reduce recidivism and is in the interests of public safety;

349 (ii) order the individual to participate in a screening;

350 (iii) order the individual to participate in an assessment, if it is found appropriate by a
351 screening under Subsection (5)(a)(ii);

352 (iv) order the individual to participate in an educational series if the court does not
353 order substance abuse treatment as described under Subsection (5)(b);

354 (v) impose a fine of not less than \$800;

355 (vi) order probation for the individual in accordance with Section 41-6a-507;

356 (vii) order the installation of an ignition interlock system as described in Section
357 41-6a-518;

358 (viii) (A) order the individual to pay the administrative impound fee described in
359 Section 41-6a-1406; or

360 (B) if the administrative impound fee was paid by a party described in Subsection
361 41-6a-1406(5)(a), other than the individual sentenced, order the individual sentenced to
362 reimburse the party; or

363 (ix) (A) order the individual to pay the towing and storage fees described in Section
364 72-9-603; or

365 (B) if the towing and storage fees were paid by a party described in Subsection
366 41-6a-1406(5)(a), other than the individual sentenced, order the individual sentenced to
367 reimburse the party; and

368 (b) the court may:

- 369 (i) order the individual to obtain substance abuse treatment if the substance abuse
370 treatment program determines that substance abuse treatment is appropriate;
- 371 (ii) order the individual to participate in a 24/7 sobriety program as defined in Section
372 41-6a-515.5 if the individual is 21 years old or older; or
- 373 (iii) order a combination of Subsections (5)(b)(i) and (ii).
- 374 (6) (a) If an individual described in Subsection (5) is participating in a 24/7 sobriety
375 program as defined in Section 41-6a-515.5, the court may suspend the jail sentence imposed
376 under Subsection (5)(a) after the individual has served a minimum of:
- 377 (i) five days of the jail sentence for a second offense; or
378 (ii) 10 days of the jail sentence for a third or subsequent offense.
- 379 (b) If an individual described in Subsection (6)(a) fails to successfully complete all of
380 the requirements of the 24/7 sobriety program, the court shall impose the suspended jail
381 sentence described in Subsection (6)(a).
- 382 (7) If an individual has a prior conviction as defined in Subsection 41-6a-501(2) that is
383 within 10 years of the current conviction under Section 41-6a-502 or the commission of the
384 offense upon which the current conviction is based and that does not qualify under Subsection
385 (5):
- 386 (a) the court shall:
- 387 (i) (A) impose a jail sentence of not less than 10 days; or
388 (B) impose a jail sentence of not less than 5 days in addition to home confinement of
389 not fewer than 30 consecutive days through the use of electronic monitoring that includes a
390 substance abuse testing instrument in accordance with Section 41-6a-506;
- 391 (ii) order the individual to participate in a screening;
- 392 (iii) order the individual to participate in an assessment, if it is found appropriate by a
393 screening under Subsection (7)(a)(ii);
- 394 (iv) order the individual to participate in an educational series if the court does not
395 order substance abuse treatment as described under Subsection (7)(b);
- 396 (v) impose a fine of not less than \$800;
- 397 (vi) order probation for the individual in accordance with Section 41-6a-507;
- 398 (vii) (A) order the individual to pay the administrative impound fee described in
399 Section 41-6a-1406; or

400 (B) if the administrative impound fee was paid by a party described in Subsection
401 41-6a-1406(5)(a), other than the individual sentenced, order the individual sentenced to
402 reimburse the party; or

403 (viii) (A) order the individual to pay the towing and storage fees described in Section
404 72-9-603; or

405 (B) if the towing and storage fees were paid by a party described in Subsection
406 41-6a-1406(5)(a), other than the individual sentenced, order the individual sentenced to
407 reimburse the party; and

408 (b) the court may:

409 (i) order the individual to obtain substance abuse treatment if the substance abuse
410 treatment program determines that substance abuse treatment is appropriate;

411 (ii) order the individual to participate in a 24/7 sobriety program as defined in Section
412 41-6a-515.5 if the individual is 21 years old or older; or

413 (iii) order a combination of Subsections (7)(b)(i) and (ii).

414 (8) (a) If an individual described in Subsection (7) is participating in a 24/7 sobriety
415 program as defined in Section 41-6a-515.5, the court may suspend the jail sentence imposed
416 under Subsection (7)(a) after the individual has served a minimum of:

417 (i) five days of the jail sentence for a second offense; or

418 (ii) 10 days of the jail sentence for a third or subsequent offense.

419 (b) If an individual described in Subsection (8)(a) fails to successfully complete all of
420 the requirements of the 24/7 sobriety program, the court shall impose the suspended jail
421 sentence described in Subsection (8)(a).

422 (9) Under Subsection 41-6a-503(2), if the court suspends the execution of a prison
423 sentence and places the defendant on probation where there is admissible evidence that the
424 individual had a blood alcohol level of .16 or higher, had a blood alcohol level of .05 in
425 addition to any measurable controlled substance, or had a combination of two or more
426 controlled substances in the person's body that were not recommended in accordance with Title
427 26, Chapter 61a, Utah Medical Cannabis Act or prescribed, the court shall impose:

428 (a) a fine of not less than \$1,500;

429 (b) a jail sentence of not less than 120 days;

430 (c) home confinement of not fewer than 120 consecutive days through the use of

431 electronic monitoring that includes a substance abuse testing instrument in accordance with
432 Section 41-6a-506; and

433 (d) supervised probation.

434 (10) (a) For Subsection (9) or Subsection 41-6a-503(2)[~~(b)~~](a), the court:

435 (i) shall impose an order requiring the individual to obtain a screening and assessment
436 for alcohol and substance abuse, and treatment as appropriate; and

437 (ii) may impose an order requiring the individual to participate in a 24/7 sobriety
438 program as defined in Section 41-6a-515.5 if the individual is 21 years old or older.

439 (b) If an individual described in Subsection (10)(a)(ii) fails to successfully complete all
440 of the requirements of the 24/7 sobriety program, the court shall impose the suspended prison
441 sentence described in Subsection (9).

442 (11) Under Subsection 41-6a-503(2), if the court suspends the execution of a prison
443 sentence and places the defendant on probation with a sentence not described in Subsection (9),
444 the court shall impose:

445 (a) a fine of not less than \$1,500;

446 (b) a jail sentence of not less than 60 days;

447 (c) home confinement of not fewer than 60 consecutive days through the use of
448 electronic monitoring that includes a substance abuse testing instrument in accordance with
449 Section 41-6a-506; and

450 (d) supervised probation.

451 (12) (a) (i) Except as described in Subsection (12)(a)(ii), a court may not suspend the
452 requirements of this section.

453 (ii) A court may suspend requirements as described in Subsection (2), (4), (6), (8),
454 (10)(b), or (11).

455 (b) A court, with stipulation of both parties and approval from the judge, may convert a
456 jail sentence required in this section to electronic home confinement.

457 (c) A court may order a jail sentence imposed as a condition of misdemeanor probation
458 under this section to be served in multiple two-day increments at weekly intervals if the court
459 determines that separate jail increments are necessary to ensure the defendant can serve the
460 statutorily required jail term and maintain employment.

461 (13) If an individual is convicted of a violation of Section 41-6a-502 and there is

462 admissible evidence that the individual had a blood alcohol level of .16 or higher, the court
463 shall order the following, or describe on record why the order or orders are not appropriate:

464 (a) treatment as described under Subsection (1)(b), (3)(b), (5)(b), or (7)(b); and

465 (b) one or more of the following:

466 (i) the installation of an ignition interlock system as a condition of probation for the
467 individual in accordance with Section [41-6a-518](#);

468 (ii) the imposition of an ankle attached continuous transdermal alcohol monitoring
469 device or remote alcohol monitor as a condition of probation for the individual; or

470 (iii) the imposition of home confinement through the use of electronic monitoring in
471 accordance with Section [41-6a-506](#).

472 Section 5. Section **41-6a-509** is amended to read:

473 **41-6a-509. Driver license suspension or revocation for a driving under the**
474 **influence violation.**

475 (1) The Driver License Division shall, if the person is 21 years [~~of age~~] old or older at
476 the time of arrest:

477 (a) suspend for a period of 120 days the operator's license of a person convicted for the
478 first time under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#); or

479 (b) revoke for a period of two years the license of a person if:

480 (i) the person has a prior conviction as defined under Subsection [41-6a-501](#)(2); and

481 (ii) the current violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) is

482 committed within a period of 10 years from the date of the prior violation.

483 (2) The Driver License Division shall, if the person is 19 years [~~of age~~] old or older but
484 under 21 years [~~of age~~] old at the time of arrest:

485 (a) suspend the person's driver license until the person is 21 years [~~of age~~] old or for a
486 period of one year, whichever is longer, if the person is convicted for the first time of a
487 violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) of an offense that was committed
488 on or after July 1, 2011;

489 (b) deny the person's application for a license or learner's permit until the person is 21
490 years [~~of age~~] old or for a period of one year, whichever is longer, if the person:

491 (i) is convicted for the first time of a violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or
492 [76-5-207](#) of an offense committed on or after July 1, 2011; and

- 493 (ii) has not been issued an operator license;
- 494 (c) revoke the person's driver license until the person is 21 years [~~of age~~] old or for a
495 period of two years, whichever is longer, if:
- 496 (i) the person has a prior conviction as defined under Subsection [41-6a-501\(2\)](#); and
497 (ii) the current violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) is
498 committed within a period of 10 years from the date of the prior violation; or
- 499 (d) deny the person's application for a license or learner's permit until the person is 21
500 years [~~of age~~] old or for a period of two years, whichever is longer, if:
- 501 (i) the person has a prior conviction as defined under Subsection [41-6a-501\(2\)](#);
502 (ii) the current violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) is
503 committed within a period of 10 years from the date of the prior violation; and
504 (iii) the person has not been issued an operator license.
- 505 (3) The Driver License Division shall, if the person is under 19 years [~~of age~~] old at the
506 time of arrest:
- 507 (a) suspend the person's driver license until the person is 21 years [~~of age~~] old if the
508 person is convicted for the first time of a violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or
509 [76-5-207](#);
- 510 (b) deny the person's application for a license or learner's permit until the person is 21
511 years [~~of age~~] old if the person:
- 512 (i) is convicted for the first time of a violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or
513 [76-5-207](#); and
- 514 (ii) has not been issued an operator license;
- 515 (c) revoke the person's driver license until the person is 21 years [~~of age~~] old if:
- 516 (i) the person has a prior conviction as defined under Subsection [41-6a-501\(2\)](#); and
517 (ii) the current violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) is
518 committed within a period of 10 years from the date of the prior violation; or
- 519 (d) deny the person's application for a license or learner's permit until the person is 21
520 years [~~of age~~] old if:
- 521 (i) the person has a prior conviction as defined under Subsection [41-6a-501\(2\)](#);
522 (ii) the current violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) is
523 committed within a period of 10 years from the date of the prior violation; and

524 (iii) the person has not been issued an operator license.

525 (4) The Driver License Division shall suspend or revoke the license of a person as
526 ordered by the court under Subsection (9).

527 (5) The Driver License Division shall subtract from any suspension or revocation
528 period the number of days for which a license was previously suspended under Section
529 [53-3-223](#) or [53-3-231](#), if the previous suspension was based on the same occurrence upon
530 which the record of conviction is based.

531 (6) If a conviction recorded as impaired driving is amended to a driving under the
532 influence conviction under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) in accordance with
533 Subsection [41-6a-502.5\(3\)\(a\)\(ii\)](#), the Driver License Division:

534 (a) may not subtract from any suspension or revocation any time for which a license
535 was previously suspended or revoked under Section [53-3-223](#) or [53-3-231](#); and

536 (b) shall start the suspension or revocation time under Subsection (1) on the date of the
537 amended conviction.

538 (7) A court that reported a conviction of a violation of Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#),
539 or [76-5-207](#) for a violation that occurred on or after July 1, 2009, to the Driver License
540 Division may shorten the suspension period imposed under Subsection (2)(a) or (b) or
541 Subsection (3)(a) or (b) prior to completion of the suspension period if the person:

542 (a) completes at least six months of the license suspension;

543 (b) completes a screening;

544 (c) completes an assessment, if it is found appropriate by a screening under Subsection
545 (7)(b);

546 (d) completes substance abuse treatment if it is found appropriate by the assessment
547 under Subsection (7)(c);

548 (e) completes an educational series if substance abuse treatment is not required by an
549 assessment under Subsection (7)(c) or the court does not order substance abuse treatment;

550 (f) has not been convicted of a violation of any motor vehicle law in which the person
551 was involved as the operator of the vehicle during the suspension period imposed under
552 Subsection (2)(a) or (b) or Subsection (3)(a) or (b);

553 (g) has complied with all the terms of the person's probation or all orders of the court if
554 not ordered to probation; and

555 (h) (i) is 18 years [~~of age~~] old or older and provides a sworn statement to the court that
556 the person has not unlawfully consumed alcohol during the suspension period imposed under
557 Subsection (2)(a) or (b) or Subsection (3)(a) or (b); or

558 (ii) is under 18 years [~~of age~~] old and has the person's parent or legal guardian provide
559 an affidavit or sworn statement to the court certifying that to the parent or legal guardian's
560 knowledge the person has not unlawfully consumed alcohol during the suspension period
561 imposed under Subsection (2)(a) or (b) or Subsection (3)(a) or (b).

562 (8) If the court shortens a person's license suspension period in accordance with the
563 requirements of Subsection (7), the court shall forward the order shortening the person's
564 suspension period to the Driver License Division in a manner specified by the division prior to
565 the completion of the suspension period imposed under Subsection (2)(a) or (b) or Subsection
566 (3)(a) or (b).

567 (9) (a) (i) In addition to any other penalties provided in this section, a court may order
568 the operator's license of a person who is convicted of a violation of Section [41-6a-502](#),
569 [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) to be suspended or revoked for an additional period of 90 days, 120
570 days, 180 days, one year, or two years to remove from the highways those persons who have
571 shown they are safety hazards.

572 (ii) The additional suspension or revocation period provided in this Subsection (9) shall
573 begin the date on which the individual would be eligible to reinstate the individual's driving
574 privilege for a violation of Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#).

575 (b) If the court suspends or revokes the person's license under this Subsection (9), the
576 court shall prepare and send to the Driver License Division an order to suspend or revoke that
577 person's driving privileges for a specified period of time.

578 (10) (a) The court shall notify the Driver License Division if a person fails to complete
579 all court ordered:

580 (i) screenings;

581 (ii) assessments;

582 (iii) educational series;

583 (iv) substance abuse treatment; and

584 (v) hours of work in a compensatory-service work program.

585 (b) Subject to Subsection [53-3-218\(3\)](#), upon receiving the notification described in

586 Subsection (10)(a), the division shall suspend the person's driving privilege in accordance with
587 Subsection [53-3-221\(2\)](#).

588 (11) (a) A court that reported a conviction of a violation of Section [41-6a-502](#),
589 [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) to the Driver License Division may shorten the suspension period
590 imposed under Subsection (1) before completion of the suspension period if the person is
591 participating in or has successfully completed a 24-7 sobriety program as defined in Section
592 [41-6a-515.5](#).

593 (b) If the court shortens a person's license suspension period in accordance with the
594 requirements of this Subsection (11), the court shall forward the order shortening the person's
595 suspension period to the Driver License Division in a manner specified by the division.

596 (c) The court shall notify the Driver License Division, in a manner specified by the
597 Driver License Division, if a person fails to complete all requirements of a 24-7 sobriety
598 program.

599 (d) (i) (A) Upon receiving the notification described in Subsection (11)(c), for a first
600 offense, the division shall suspend the person's driving privilege for a period of 120 days from
601 the date of notice.

602 (B) For a suspension described under Subsection (11)(d)(i)(A), no days shall be
603 subtracted from the 120-day suspension period for which a driving privilege was previously
604 suspended under this section or Section [53-3-223](#), if the previous suspension was based on the
605 same occurrence upon which the conviction under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#)
606 is based.

607 (ii) (A) Upon receiving the notification described in Subsection (11)(c), for a second or
608 subsequent offense, the division shall revoke the person's driving privilege for a period of two
609 years from the date of notice.

610 (B) For a license revocation described in Subsection (11)(d)(ii)(A), no days shall be
611 subtracted from the two-year revocation period for which a driving privilege was previously
612 revoked under this section or Section [53-3-223](#), if the previous revocation was based on the
613 same occurrence upon which the conviction under Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#)
614 is based.

615 Section 6. Section [41-6a-513](#) is amended to read:

616 **[41-6a-513](#). Acceptance of plea of guilty to DUI -- Restrictions -- Verification of**

617 **prior violations -- Prosecutor to examine defendant's record.**

618 (1) An entry of a plea of guilty or no contest to a criminal charge under Section
619 [41-6a-502](#) is invalid unless the prosecutor agrees to the plea:

620 (a) in open court;

621 (b) in writing; or

622 (c) by another means of communication which the court finds adequate to record the
623 prosecutor's agreement.

624 (2) (a) Prior to agreeing to a plea of guilty or no contest under Subsection (1), the
625 prosecutor shall examine the criminal history or driver license record of the defendant to
626 determine if the defendant's record contains a conviction, arrest, or charge for:

627 (i) more than one prior violation within the previous 10 years of any offense that, if the
628 defendant were convicted, would qualify as a conviction as defined in Subsection
629 [41-6a-501\(2\)](#);

630 (ii) a felony violation of:

631 (A) Section [41-6a-502](#); or

632 (B) Section [76-5-102.1](#); or

633 (iii) [~~automobile homicide under~~] a violation of Section [76-5-207](#).

634 (b) If the defendant's record contains a conviction or unresolved arrest or charge for an
635 offense listed in Subsection (2)(a), a plea may only be accepted if:

636 (i) approved by:

637 (A) a district attorney;

638 (B) a deputy district attorney;

639 (C) a county attorney;

640 (D) a deputy county attorney;

641 (E) the attorney general; or

642 (F) an assistant attorney general; and

643 (ii) the attorney giving approval under Subsection (2)(b)(i) has felony jurisdiction over
644 the case.

645 Section 7. Section [41-6a-517](#) is amended to read:

646 **[41-6a-517](#). Definitions -- Driving with any measurable controlled substance in the
647 body -- Penalties -- Arrest without warrant.**

- 648 (1) As used in this section:
- 649 (a) "Controlled substance" means the same as that term is defined in Section 58-37-2.
- 650 (b) "Practitioner" means the same as that term is defined in Section 58-37-2.
- 651 (c) "Prescribe" means the same as that term is defined in Section 58-37-2.
- 652 (d) "Prescription" means the same as that term is defined in Section 58-37-2.
- 653 (2) (a) Except as provided in Subsection (2)(b), in cases not amounting to a violation of
- 654 Section 41-6a-502, 76-5-102.1, or 76-5-207, a person may not operate or be in actual physical
- 655 control of a motor vehicle within this state if the person has any measurable controlled
- 656 substance or metabolite of a controlled substance in the person's body.
- 657 (b) Subsection (2)(a) does not apply to a person that has
- 658 11-nor-9-carboxy-tetrahydrocannabinol as the only controlled substance present in the person's
- 659 body.
- 660 (3) It is an affirmative defense to prosecution under this section that the controlled
- 661 substance was:
- 662 (a) involuntarily ingested by the accused;
- 663 (b) prescribed by a practitioner for use by the accused;
- 664 (c) cannabis in a medicinal dosage form or a cannabis product in a medicinal dosage
- 665 form that the accused ingested in accordance with Title 26, Chapter 61a, Utah Medical
- 666 Cannabis Act; or
- 667 (d) otherwise legally ingested.
- 668 (4) (a) A person convicted of a violation of Subsection (2) is guilty of a class B
- 669 misdemeanor.
- 670 (b) A person who violates this section is subject to conviction and sentencing under
- 671 both this section and any applicable offense under Section 58-37-8.
- 672 (5) A peace officer may, without a warrant, arrest a person for a violation of this
- 673 section when the officer has probable cause to believe the violation has occurred, although not
- 674 in the officer's presence, and if the officer has probable cause to believe that the violation was
- 675 committed by the person.
- 676 (6) The Driver License Division shall, if the person is 21 years [~~of age~~] old or older on
- 677 the date of arrest:
- 678 (a) suspend, for a period of 120 days, the driver license of a person convicted under

679 Subsection (2) of an offense committed on or after July 1, 2009; or

680 (b) revoke, for a period of two years, the driver license of a person if:

681 (i) the person has a prior conviction as defined under Subsection 41-6a-501(2); and

682 (ii) the current violation under Subsection (2) is committed on or after July 1, 2009,

683 and within a period of 10 years after the date of the prior violation.

684 (7) The Driver License Division shall, if the person is 19 years ~~[of age]~~ old or older but
685 under 21 years ~~[of age]~~ old on the date of arrest:

686 (a) suspend, until the person is 21 years ~~[of age]~~ old or for a period of one year,

687 whichever is longer, the driver license of a person convicted under Subsection (2) of an offense

688 committed on or after July 1, 2011; or

689 (b) revoke, until the person is 21 years ~~[of age]~~ old or for a period of two years,

690 whichever is longer, the driver license of a person if:

691 (i) the person has a prior conviction as defined under Subsection 41-6a-501(2); and

692 (ii) the current violation under Subsection (2) is committed on or after July 1, 2009,

693 and within a period of 10 years after the date of the prior violation.

694 (8) The Driver License Division shall, if the person is under 19 years ~~[of age]~~ old on
695 the date of arrest:

696 (a) suspend, until the person is 21 years ~~[of age]~~ old, the driver license of a person

697 convicted under Subsection (2) of an offense committed on or after July 1, 2009; or

698 (b) revoke, until the person is 21 years ~~[of age]~~ old, the driver license of a person if:

699 (i) the person has a prior conviction as defined under Subsection 41-6a-501(2); and

700 (ii) the current violation under Subsection (2) is committed on or after July 1, 2009,

701 and within a period of 10 years after the date of the prior violation.

702 (9) The Driver License Division shall subtract from any suspension or revocation

703 period the number of days for which a license was previously suspended under Section

704 53-3-223 or 53-3-231, if the previous suspension was based on the same occurrence upon

705 which the record of conviction is based.

706 (10) The Driver License Division shall:

707 (a) deny, suspend, or revoke a person's license for the denial and suspension periods in

708 effect prior to July 1, 2009, for a conviction of a violation under Subsection (2) that was

709 committed prior to July 1, 2009; or

710 (b) deny, suspend, or revoke the operator's license of a person for the denial,
711 suspension, or revocation periods in effect from July 1, 2009, through June 30, 2011, if:

712 (i) the person was 20 years [~~of age~~] old or older but under 21 years [~~of age~~] old at the
713 time of arrest; and

714 (ii) the conviction under Subsection (2) is for an offense that was committed on or after
715 July 1, 2009, and prior to July 1, 2011.

716 (11) A court that reported a conviction of a violation of this section for a violation that
717 occurred on or after July 1, 2009, to the Driver License Division may shorten the suspension
718 period imposed under Subsection (7)(a) or (8)(a) prior to completion of the suspension period
719 if the person:

720 (a) completes at least six months of the license suspension;

721 (b) completes a screening;

722 (c) completes an assessment, if it is found appropriate by a screening under Subsection
723 (11)(b);

724 (d) completes substance abuse treatment if it is found appropriate by the assessment
725 under Subsection (11)(c);

726 (e) completes an educational series if substance abuse treatment is not required by the
727 assessment under Subsection (11)(c) or the court does not order substance abuse treatment;

728 (f) has not been convicted of a violation of any motor vehicle law in which the person
729 was involved as the operator of the vehicle during the suspension period imposed under
730 Subsection (7)(a) or (8)(a);

731 (g) has complied with all the terms of the person's probation or all orders of the court if
732 not ordered to probation; and

733 (h) (i) is 18 years [~~of age~~] old or older and provides a sworn statement to the court that
734 the person has not consumed a controlled substance not prescribed by a practitioner for use by
735 the person or unlawfully consumed alcohol during the suspension period imposed under
736 Subsection (7)(a) or (8)(a); or

737 (ii) is under 18 years [~~of age~~] old and has the person's parent or legal guardian provide
738 an affidavit or other sworn statement to the court certifying that to the parent or legal guardian's
739 knowledge the person has not consumed a controlled substance not prescribed by a practitioner
740 for use by the person or unlawfully consumed alcohol during the suspension period imposed

741 under Subsection (7)(a) or (8)(a).

742 (12) If the court shortens a person's license suspension period in accordance with the
743 requirements of Subsection (11), the court shall forward the order shortening the person's
744 license suspension period to the Driver License Division in a manner specified by the division
745 prior to the completion of the suspension period imposed under Subsection (7)(a) or (8)(a).

746 (13) (a) The court shall notify the Driver License Division if a person fails to complete
747 all court ordered screening and assessment, educational series, and substance abuse treatment.

748 (b) Subject to Subsection 53-3-218(3), upon receiving the notification, the division
749 shall suspend the person's driving privilege in accordance with Subsection 53-3-221(2).

750 (14) The court:

751 (a) shall order supervised probation in accordance with Section 41-6a-507 for a person
752 convicted under Subsection (2); and

753 (b) may order a person convicted under Subsection (2) to participate in a 24-7 sobriety
754 program as defined in Section 41-6a-515.5 if the person is 21 years ~~of age~~ old or older.

755 (15) (a) A court that reported a conviction of a violation of this section to the Driver
756 License Division may shorten the suspension period imposed under Subsection (6) before
757 completion of the suspension period if the person is participating in or has successfully
758 completed a 24-7 sobriety program as defined in Section 41-6a-515.5.

759 (b) If the court shortens a person's license suspension period in accordance with the
760 requirements of this Subsection (15), the court shall forward to the Driver License Division, in
761 a manner specified by the division, the order shortening the person's suspension period.

762 (c) The court shall notify the Driver License Division, in a manner specified by the
763 division, if a person fails to complete all requirements of a 24-7 sobriety program.

764 (d) (i) (A) Upon receiving the notification described in Subsection (15)(c), for a first
765 offense, the division shall suspend the person's driving privilege for a period of 120 days from
766 the date of notice.

767 (B) For a suspension described in Subsection (15)(d)(i)(A), no days shall be subtracted
768 from the 120-day suspension period for which a driving privilege was suspended under this
769 section or under Section 53-3-223, if the previous suspension was based on the same
770 occurrence upon which the conviction under this section is based.

771 (ii) (A) Upon receiving the notification described in Subsection (15)(c), for a second or

772 subsequent offense, the division shall revoke the person's driving privilege for a period of two
773 years from the date of notice.

774 (B) For a revocation described in Subsection (15)(d)(ii)(A), no days shall be subtracted
775 from the two-year revocation period for which a driving privilege was previously revoked
776 under this section or under Section [53-3-223](#), if the previous revocation was based on the same
777 occurrence upon which the conviction under this section is based.

778 Section 8. Section [41-6a-518.2](#) is amended to read:

779 **[41-6a-518.2. Interlock restricted driver -- Penalties for operation without ignition](#)**
780 **[interlock system.](#)**

781 (1) As used in this section:

782 (a) "Ignition interlock system" means a constant monitoring device or any similar
783 device that:

784 (i) is in working order at the time of operation or actual physical control; and

785 (ii) is certified by the Commissioner of Public Safety in accordance with Subsection
786 [41-6a-518\(8\)](#).

787 (b) (i) "Interlock restricted driver" means a person who:

788 (A) has been ordered by a court or the Board of Pardons and Parole as a condition of
789 probation or parole not to operate a motor vehicle without an ignition interlock system;

790 (B) within the last 18 months has been convicted of a violation under Section
791 [41-6a-502](#) [or], Subsection [41-6a-520\(7\)](#), or Section [76-5-102.1](#);

792 (C) (I) within the last three years has been convicted of an offense which would be a
793 conviction as defined under Section [41-6a-501](#); and

794 (II) the offense described under Subsection (1)(b)(i)(C)(I) is committed within 10 years
795 from the date that one or more prior offenses was committed if the prior offense resulted in a
796 conviction as defined in Subsection [41-6a-501\(2\)](#);

797 (D) within the last three years has been convicted of a violation of this section;

798 (E) within the last three years has had the person's driving privilege revoked through an
799 administrative action for refusal to submit to a chemical test under Section [41-6a-520](#);

800 (F) within the last three years has been convicted of a violation of Section [41-6a-502](#)
801 [or], Subsection [41-6a-520\(7\)](#), or Section [76-5-102.1](#) and was under the age of 21 at the time
802 the offense was committed;

803 (G) within the last six years has been convicted of a felony violation of Section
804 [41-6a-502](#) [or], Subsection [41-6a-520\(7\)](#), or Section [76-5-102.1](#) for an offense that occurred
805 after May 1, 2006; or

806 (H) within the last 10 years has been convicted of [~~automobile homicide~~] negligently
807 operating a vehicle resulting in death under Section [76-5-207](#) for an offense that occurred after
808 May 1, 2006.

809 (ii) "Interlock restricted driver" does not include a person:

810 (A) whose conviction described in Subsection (1)(b)(i)(C)(I) is a conviction under
811 Section [41-6a-502](#) that does not involve alcohol or a conviction under Section [41-6a-517](#) and
812 whose prior convictions described in Subsection (1)(b)(i)(C)(II) are all convictions under
813 Section [41-6a-502](#) that did not involve alcohol or convictions under Section [41-6a-517](#);

814 (B) whose conviction described in Subsection (1)(b)(i)(B) or (F) is a conviction under
815 Section [41-6a-502](#) that does not involve alcohol and the convicting court notifies the Driver
816 License Division at the time of sentencing that the conviction does not involve alcohol; or

817 (C) whose conviction described in Subsection (1)(b)(i)(B), (C), or (F) is a conviction
818 under Section [41-6a-502](#) that does not involve alcohol and the ignition interlock restriction is
819 removed as described in Subsection (7).

820 (2) The division shall post the ignition interlock restriction on a person's electronic
821 record that is available to law enforcement.

822 (3) For purposes of this section, a plea of guilty or no contest to a violation of Section
823 [41-6a-502](#) which plea was held in abeyance under Title 77, Chapter 2a, Pleas in Abeyance,
824 prior to July 1, 2008, is the equivalent of a conviction, even if the charge has been subsequently
825 reduced or dismissed in accordance with the plea in abeyance agreement.

826 (4) An interlock restricted driver who operates or is in actual physical control of a
827 vehicle in the state without an ignition interlock system is guilty of a class B misdemeanor.

828 (5) It is an affirmative defense to a charge of a violation of Subsection (4) if:

829 (a) the interlock restricted driver operated or was in actual physical control of a vehicle
830 owned by the interlock restricted driver's employer;

831 (b) the interlock restricted driver had given written notice to the employer of the
832 interlock restricted driver's interlock restricted status prior to the operation or actual physical
833 control under Subsection (5)(a);

834 (c) the interlock restricted driver had on the interlock restricted driver's person, or in
835 the vehicle, at the time of operation or physical control employer verification, as defined in
836 Subsection 41-6a-518(1); and

837 (d) the operation or actual physical control described in Subsection (5)(a) was in the
838 scope of the interlock restricted driver's employment.

839 (6) The affirmative defense described in Subsection (5) does not apply to:

840 (a) an employer-owned motor vehicle that is made available to an interlock restricted
841 driver for personal use; or

842 (b) a motor vehicle owned by a business entity that is entirely or partly owned or
843 controlled by the interlock restricted driver.

844 (7) (a) An individual with an ignition interlock restriction may petition the division for
845 removal of the restriction if the individual's offense did not involve alcohol.

846 (b) If the division is able to establish that an individual's offense did not involve
847 alcohol, the division may remove the ignition interlock restriction.

848 Section 9. Section 41-6a-520 is amended to read:

849 **41-6a-520. Implied consent to chemical tests for alcohol or drug -- Number of**
850 **tests -- Refusal -- Warning, report.**

851 (1) (a) A person operating a motor vehicle in this state is considered to have given the
852 person's consent to a chemical test or tests of the person's breath, blood, urine, or oral fluids for
853 the purpose of determining whether the person was operating or in actual physical control of a
854 motor vehicle while:

855 (i) having a blood or breath alcohol content statutorily prohibited under Section
856 41-6a-502, 41-6a-530, or 53-3-231;

857 (ii) under the influence of alcohol, any drug, or combination of alcohol and any drug
858 under Section 41-6a-502; or

859 (iii) having any measurable controlled substance or metabolite of a controlled
860 substance in the person's body in violation of Section 41-6a-517.

861 (b) A test or tests authorized under this Subsection (1) must be administered at the
862 direction of a peace officer having grounds to believe that person to have been operating or in
863 actual physical control of a motor vehicle while in violation of any provision under Subsections
864 (1)(a)(i) through (iii).

865 (c) (i) The peace officer determines which of the tests are administered and how many
866 of them are administered.

867 (ii) If a peace officer requests more than one test, refusal by a person to take one or
868 more requested tests, even though the person does submit to any other requested test or tests, is
869 a refusal under this section.

870 (d) (i) A person who has been requested under this section to submit to a chemical test
871 or tests of the person's breath, blood, or urine, or oral fluids may not select the test or tests to be
872 administered.

873 (ii) The failure or inability of a peace officer to arrange for any specific chemical test is
874 not a defense to taking a test requested by a peace officer, and it is not a defense in any
875 criminal, civil, or administrative proceeding resulting from a person's refusal to submit to the
876 requested test or tests.

877 (2) (a) A peace officer requesting a test or tests shall warn a person that refusal to
878 submit to the test or tests may result in criminal prosecution, revocation of the person's license
879 to operate a motor vehicle, a five or 10 year prohibition of driving with any measurable or
880 detectable amount of alcohol in the person's body depending on the person's prior driving
881 history, and a three-year prohibition of driving without an ignition interlock device if the
882 person:

883 (i) has been placed under arrest;

884 (ii) has then been requested by a peace officer to submit to any one or more of the
885 chemical tests under Subsection (1); and

886 (iii) refuses to submit to any chemical test requested.

887 (b) (i) Following the warning under Subsection (2)(a), if the person does not
888 immediately request that the chemical test or tests as offered by a peace officer be
889 administered, a peace officer shall, on behalf of the Driver License Division and within 24
890 hours of the arrest, give notice of the Driver License Division's intention to revoke the person's
891 privilege or license to operate a motor vehicle.

892 (ii) When a peace officer gives the notice on behalf of the Driver License Division, the
893 peace officer shall supply to the operator, in a manner specified by the Driver License Division,
894 basic information regarding how to obtain a hearing before the Driver License Division.

895 (c) As a matter of procedure, the peace officer shall submit a signed report, within 10

896 calendar days after the day on which notice is provided under Subsection (2)(b), that:

897 (i) the peace officer had grounds to believe the arrested person was in violation of any
898 provision under Subsections (1)(a)(i) through (iii); and

899 (ii) the person had refused to submit to a chemical test or tests under Subsection (1).

900 (3) Upon the request of the person who was tested, the results of the test or tests shall
901 be made available to the person.

902 (4) (a) The person to be tested may, at the person's own expense, have a physician or a
903 physician assistant of the person's own choice administer a chemical test in addition to the test
904 or tests administered at the direction of a peace officer.

905 (b) The failure or inability to obtain the additional test does not affect admissibility of
906 the results of the test or tests taken at the direction of a peace officer, or preclude or delay the
907 test or tests to be taken at the direction of a peace officer.

908 (c) The additional test shall be subsequent to the test or tests administered at the
909 direction of a peace officer.

910 (5) For the purpose of determining whether to submit to a chemical test or tests, the
911 person to be tested does not have the right to consult an attorney or have an attorney, physician,
912 or other person present as a condition for the taking of any test.

913 (6) Notwithstanding the provisions in this section, a blood test taken under this section
914 is subject to Section [77-23-213](#).

915 (7) A person is guilty of refusing a chemical test if a peace officer has issued the
916 warning required in Subsection (2)(a) and the person refuses to submit to a test of the person's
917 blood under Subsection (1) after a court has issued a warrant to draw and test the blood.

918 (8) A person who violates Subsection (7) is guilty of:

919 (a) a third degree felony if:

920 (i) the person has two or more prior convictions as defined in Subsection [41-6a-501\(2\)](#),
921 each of which is within 10 years of:

922 (A) the current conviction; or

923 (B) the commission of the offense upon which the current conviction is based; or

924 (ii) the conviction is at any time after a conviction of:

925 (A) [~~automobile homicide~~] negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death under
926 Section [76-5-207](#);

- 927 (B) a felony violation of this section or Section [41-6a-502](#) or [76-5-102.1](#); or
- 928 (C) any conviction described in Subsection (8)(a)(ii) which judgment of conviction is
929 reduced under Section [76-3-402](#); or
- 930 (b) a class B misdemeanor if none of the circumstances in Subsection (8)(a) applies.
- 931 (9) As part of any sentence for a conviction of violating this section, the court shall
932 impose the same sentencing as outlined for driving under the influence violations in Section
933 [41-6a-505](#), based on whether this is a first, second, or subsequent conviction as defined by
934 Subsection [41-6a-501](#)(2), with the following modifications:
- 935 (a) any jail sentence shall be 24 consecutive hours more than would be required under
936 Section [41-6a-505](#);
- 937 (b) any fine imposed shall be \$100 more than would be required under Section
938 [41-6a-505](#); and
- 939 (c) the court shall order one or more of the following:
- 940 (i) the installation of an ignition interlock system as a condition of probation for the
941 individual in accordance with Section [41-6a-518](#);
- 942 (ii) the imposition of an ankle attached continuous transdermal alcohol monitoring
943 device as a condition of probation for the individual; or
- 944 (iii) the imposition of home confinement through the use of electronic monitoring in
945 accordance with Section [41-6a-506](#).
- 946 (10) (a) The offense of refusal to submit to a chemical test under this section does not
947 merge with any violation of Section [32B-4-409](#), [41-6a-502](#), [41-6a-517](#), or [41-6a-530](#).
- 948 (b) [A] In accordance with Subsection [77-2a-3](#)(8), a guilty or no contest plea to an
949 offense of refusal to submit to a chemical test under this section may not be held in abeyance.
- 950 Section 10. Section **41-6a-529** is amended to read:
- 951 **41-6a-529. Definitions -- Alcohol restricted drivers.**
- 952 (1) As used in this section and Section [41-6a-530](#), "alcohol restricted driver" means a
953 person who:
- 954 (a) within the last two years:
- 955 (i) has been convicted of:
- 956 (A) a misdemeanor violation of Section [41-6a-502](#) or [76-5-102.1](#);
- 957 (B) alcohol, any drug, or a combination of both-related reckless driving under Section

958 41-6a-512;

959 (C) impaired driving under Section 41-6a-502.5;

960 (D) local ordinances similar to Section 41-6a-502 or 76-5-102.1, alcohol, any drug, or
961 a combination of both-related reckless driving, or impaired driving adopted in compliance with
962 Section 41-6a-510;

963 (E) a violation described in Subsections (1)(a)(i)(A) through (D), which judgment of
964 conviction is reduced under Section 76-3-402; or

965 (F) statutes or ordinances previously in effect in this state or in effect in any other state,
966 the United States, or any district, possession, or territory of the United States which would
967 constitute a violation of Section 41-6a-502 or 76-5-102.1, alcohol, any drug, or a combination
968 of both-related reckless driving, or impaired driving if committed in this state, including
969 punishments administered under 10 U.S.C. Sec. 815; or

970 (ii) has had the person's driving privilege suspended under Section 53-3-223 for an
971 alcohol-related offense based on an arrest which occurred on or after July 1, 2005;

972 (b) within the last three years has been convicted of a violation of this section or
973 Section 41-6a-518.2;

974 (c) within the last five years:

975 (i) has had the person's driving privilege revoked through an administrative action for
976 refusal to submit to a chemical test under Section 41-6a-520, which refusal occurred on or after
977 July 1, 2005;

978 (ii) has been convicted of a misdemeanor conviction for refusal to submit to a chemical
979 test under Subsection 41-6a-520(7); or

980 (iii) has been convicted of a class A misdemeanor violation of Section 41-6a-502 or
981 76-5-102.1 committed on or after July 1, 2008;

982 (d) within the last 10 years:

983 (i) has been convicted of an offense described in Subsection (1)(a)(i) which offense
984 was committed within 10 years of the commission of a prior offense described in Subsection
985 (1)(a)(i) for which the person was convicted;

986 (ii) has been convicted of a felony violation of refusal to submit to a chemical test
987 under Subsection 41-6a-520(7); or

988 (iii) has had the person's driving privilege revoked for refusal to submit to a chemical

989 test and the refusal is within 10 years after:

990 (A) a prior refusal to submit to a chemical test under Section 41-6a-520; or

991 (B) a prior conviction for an offense described in Subsection (1)(a)(i) which is not
992 based on the same arrest as the refusal;

993 (e) at any time has been convicted of:

994 (i) [~~automobile homicide~~] negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death under
995 Section 76-5-207 for an offense that occurred on or after July 1, 2005; or

996 (ii) a felony violation of Section 41-6a-502 or 76-5-102.1 for an offense that occurred
997 on or after July 1, 2005;

998 (f) at the time of operation of a vehicle is under 21 years [~~of age~~] old; or

999 (g) is a novice learner driver.

1000 (2) For purposes of this section and Section 41-6a-530, a plea of guilty or no contest to
1001 a violation described in Subsection (1)(a)(i) which plea was held in abeyance under Title 77,
1002 Chapter 2a, Pleas in Abeyance, prior to July 1, 2008, is the equivalent of a conviction, even if
1003 the charge has been subsequently reduced or dismissed in accordance with the plea in abeyance
1004 agreement.

1005 Section 11. Section 41-6a-1901 is amended to read:

1006 **41-6a-1901. Applicability -- Law enforcement officer duties -- Documents and**
1007 **records -- Notice to Department of State.**

1008 (1) As used in this section, "diplomat" means an individual who:

1009 (a) has a driver license issued by the United States Department of State; or

1010 (b) claims immunities or privileges under 22 U.S.C. Sections 254a through 258a with
1011 respect to:

1012 (i) a moving traffic violation under this title or a moving traffic violation of an
1013 ordinance of a local authority; or

1014 (ii) operating a motor vehicle while committing any of the following offenses:

1015 (A) [~~automobile homicide~~] negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death under
1016 Section 76-5-207;

1017 (B) manslaughter under Section 76-5-205;

1018 (C) negligent homicide under Section 76-5-206;

1019 (D) aggravated assault under Section 76-5-103; or

1020 (E) reckless endangerment under Section 76-5-112.

1021 (2) A law enforcement officer who stops a motor vehicle and has probable cause to

1022 believe that the driver is a diplomat that has committed a violation described under Subsection

1023 (1)(b)(i) or (ii) shall:

1024 (a) as soon as practicable, contact the United States Department of State in order to

1025 verify the driver's status and immunity, if any;

1026 (b) record all relevant information from any driver license or identification card,

1027 including a driver license or identification card issued by the United States Department of

1028 State; and

1029 (c) within five working days after the date the officer stops the driver, forward all of

1030 the following to the Department of Public Safety:

1031 (i) if the driver is involved in a vehicle accident, the vehicle accident report;

1032 (ii) if a citation or other charging document was issued to the driver, a copy of the

1033 citation or other charging document; and

1034 (iii) if a citation or other charging document was not issued to the driver, a written

1035 report of the incident.

1036 (3) The Department of Public Safety shall:

1037 (a) file each vehicle accident report, citation or other charging document, and incident

1038 report that the Department of Public Safety receives under this section;

1039 (b) keep convenient records or make suitable notations showing each:

1040 (i) conviction;

1041 (ii) finding of responsibility; and

1042 (iii) vehicle accident; and

1043 (c) within five working days after receipt, send a copy of each document and record

1044 described in Subsection (3) to the Bureau of Diplomatic Security, Office of Foreign Missions,

1045 of the United States Department of State.

1046 (4) This section does not prohibit or limit the application of any law to a criminal or

1047 motor vehicle violation committed by a diplomat.

1048 Section 12. Section 53-3-220 is amended to read:

1049 **53-3-220. Offenses requiring mandatory revocation, denial, suspension, or**

1050 **disqualification of license -- Offense requiring an extension of period -- Hearing --**

1051 **Limited driving privileges.**

1052 (1) (a) The division shall immediately revoke or, when this chapter, Title 41, Chapter
1053 6a, Traffic Code, or Section 76-5-303, specifically provides for denial, suspension, or
1054 disqualification, the division shall deny, suspend, or disqualify the license of a person upon
1055 receiving a record of the person's conviction for:

1056 (i) manslaughter or negligent homicide resulting from driving a motor vehicle, [~~or~~
1057 ~~automobile homicide under Section 76-5-207 or 76-5-207.5~~] negligently operating a vehicle
1058 resulting in death under Section 76-5-207, or automobile homicide involving using a handheld
1059 wireless communication device while driving under Section 76-5-207.5;

1060 (ii) driving or being in actual physical control of a motor vehicle while under the
1061 influence of alcohol, any drug, or combination of them to a degree that renders the person
1062 incapable of safely driving a motor vehicle as prohibited in Section 41-6a-502 or as prohibited
1063 in an ordinance that complies with the requirements of Subsection 41-6a-510(1);

1064 (iii) driving or being in actual physical control of a motor vehicle while having a blood
1065 or breath alcohol content as prohibited in Section 41-6a-502 or as prohibited in an ordinance
1066 that complies with the requirements of Subsection 41-6a-510(1);

1067 (iv) perjury or the making of a false affidavit to the division under this chapter, Title
1068 41, Motor Vehicles, or any other law of this state requiring the registration of motor vehicles or
1069 regulating driving on highways;

1070 (v) any felony under the motor vehicle laws of this state;

1071 (vi) any other felony in which a motor vehicle is used to facilitate the offense;

1072 (vii) failure to stop and render aid as required under the laws of this state if a motor
1073 vehicle accident results in the death or personal injury of another;

1074 (viii) two charges of reckless driving, impaired driving, or any combination of reckless
1075 driving and impaired driving committed within a period of 12 months; but if upon a first
1076 conviction of reckless driving or impaired driving the judge or justice recommends suspension
1077 of the convicted person's license, the division may after a hearing suspend the license for a
1078 period of three months;

1079 (ix) failure to bring a motor vehicle to a stop at the command of a law enforcement
1080 officer as required in Section 41-6a-210;

1081 (x) any offense specified in Part 4, Uniform Commercial Driver License Act, that

1082 requires disqualification;

1083 (xi) a felony violation of Section 76-10-508 or 76-10-508.1 involving discharging or
1084 allowing the discharge of a firearm from a vehicle;

1085 (xii) using, allowing the use of, or causing to be used any explosive, chemical, or
1086 incendiary device from a vehicle in violation of Subsection 76-10-306(4)(b);

1087 (xiii) operating or being in actual physical control of a motor vehicle while having any
1088 measurable controlled substance or metabolite of a controlled substance in the person's body in
1089 violation of Section 41-6a-517;

1090 (xiv) operating or being in actual physical control of a motor vehicle while having any
1091 measurable or detectable amount of alcohol in the person's body in violation of Section
1092 41-6a-530;

1093 (xv) engaging in a motor vehicle speed contest or exhibition of speed on a highway in
1094 violation of Section 41-6a-606;

1095 (xvi) operating or being in actual physical control of a motor vehicle in this state
1096 without an ignition interlock system in violation of Section 41-6a-518.2; or

1097 (xvii) refusal of a chemical test under Subsection 41-6a-520(7).

1098 (b) The division shall immediately revoke the license of a person upon receiving a
1099 record of an adjudication under Section 80-6-701 for:

1100 (i) a felony violation of Section 76-10-508 or 76-10-508.1 involving discharging or
1101 allowing the discharge of a firearm from a vehicle; or

1102 (ii) using, allowing the use of, or causing to be used any explosive, chemical, or
1103 incendiary device from a vehicle in violation of Subsection 76-10-306(4)(b).

1104 (c) Except when action is taken under Section 53-3-219 for the same offense, upon
1105 receiving a record of conviction, the division shall immediately suspend for six months the
1106 license of the convicted person if the person was convicted of one of the following offenses
1107 while the person was an operator of a motor vehicle, and the court finds that a driver license
1108 suspension is likely to reduce recidivism and is in the interest of public safety:

1109 (i) any violation of:

1110 (A) Title 58, Chapter 37, Utah Controlled Substances Act;

1111 (B) Title 58, Chapter 37a, Utah Drug Paraphernalia Act;

1112 (C) Title 58, Chapter 37b, Imitation Controlled Substances Act;

- 1113 (D) Title 58, Chapter 37c, Utah Controlled Substance Precursor Act; or
1114 (E) Title 58, Chapter 37d, Clandestine Drug Lab Act; or
1115 (ii) any criminal offense that prohibits:
1116 (A) possession, distribution, manufacture, cultivation, sale, or transfer of any substance
1117 that is prohibited under the acts described in Subsection (1)(c)(i); or
1118 (B) the attempt or conspiracy to possess, distribute, manufacture, cultivate, sell, or
1119 transfer any substance that is prohibited under the acts described in Subsection (1)(c)(i).
1120 (iii) Notwithstanding the provisions in this Subsection (1)(c), the division shall
1121 reinstate a person's driving privilege before completion of the suspension period imposed under
1122 this Subsection (1)(c) if the reporting court notifies the Driver License Division, in a manner
1123 specified by the division, that the defendant is participating in or has successfully completed a
1124 drug court program as defined in Section [78A-5-201](#).
1125 (iv) If a person's driving privilege is reinstated under Subsection (1)(c)(iii), the person
1126 is required to pay the license reinstatement fees under Subsection [53-3-105\(26\)](#).
1127 (v) The court shall notify the division, in a manner specified by the division, if a person
1128 fails to complete all requirements of the drug court program.
1129 (vi) Upon receiving the notification described in Subsection (1)(c)(v), the division shall
1130 suspend the person's driving privilege for a period of six months from the date of the notice,
1131 and no days shall be subtracted from the six-month suspension period for which a driving
1132 privilege was previously suspended under this Subsection (1)(c).
1133 (d) (i) The division shall immediately suspend a person's driver license for conviction
1134 of the offense of theft of motor vehicle fuel under Section [76-6-404.7](#) if the division receives:
1135 (A) an order from the sentencing court requiring that the person's driver license be
1136 suspended; and
1137 (B) a record of the conviction.
1138 (ii) An order of suspension under this section is at the discretion of the sentencing
1139 court, and may not be for more than 90 days for each offense.
1140 (e) (i) The division shall immediately suspend for one year the license of a person upon
1141 receiving a record of:
1142 (A) conviction for the first time for a violation under Section [32B-4-411](#); or
1143 (B) an adjudication under Section [80-6-701](#) for a violation under Section [32B-4-411](#).

1144 (ii) The division shall immediately suspend for a period of two years the license of a
1145 person upon receiving a record of:

1146 (A) (I) conviction for a second or subsequent violation under Section 32B-4-411; and

1147 (II) the violation described in Subsection (1)(e)(ii)(A)(I) is within 10 years of a prior
1148 conviction for a violation under Section 32B-4-411; or

1149 (B) (I) a second or subsequent adjudication under Section 80-6-701 for a violation
1150 under Section 32B-4-411; and

1151 (II) the adjudication described in Subsection (1)(e)(ii)(B)(I) is within 10 years of a prior
1152 adjudication under Section 80-6-701 for a violation under Section 32B-4-411.

1153 (iii) Upon receipt of a record under Subsection (1)(e)(i) or (ii), the division shall:

1154 (A) for a conviction or adjudication described in Subsection (1)(e)(i):

1155 (I) impose a suspension for one year beginning on the date of conviction; or

1156 (II) if the person is under the age of eligibility for a driver license, impose a suspension
1157 that begins on the date of conviction and continues for one year beginning on the date of
1158 eligibility for a driver license; or

1159 (B) for a conviction or adjudication described in Subsection (1)(e)(ii):

1160 (I) impose a suspension for a period of two years; or

1161 (II) if the person is under the age of eligibility for a driver license, impose a suspension
1162 that begins on the date of conviction and continues for two years beginning on the date of
1163 eligibility for a driver license.

1164 (iv) Upon receipt of the first order suspending a person's driving privileges under
1165 Section 32B-4-411, the division shall reduce the suspension period under Subsection (1)(e)(i) if
1166 ordered by the court in accordance with Subsection 32B-4-411(3)(a).

1167 (v) Upon receipt of the second or subsequent order suspending a person's driving
1168 privileges under Section 32B-4-411, the division shall reduce the suspension period under
1169 Subsection (1)(e)(ii) if ordered by the court in accordance with Subsection 32B-4-411(3)(b).

1170 (2) The division shall extend the period of the first denial, suspension, revocation, or
1171 disqualification for an additional like period, to a maximum of one year for each subsequent
1172 occurrence, upon receiving:

1173 (a) a record of the conviction of any person on a charge of driving a motor vehicle
1174 while the person's license is denied, suspended, revoked, or disqualified;

1175 (b) a record of a conviction of the person for any violation of the motor vehicle law in
1176 which the person was involved as a driver;

1177 (c) a report of an arrest of the person for any violation of the motor vehicle law in
1178 which the person was involved as a driver; or

1179 (d) a report of an accident in which the person was involved as a driver.

1180 (3) When the division receives a report under Subsection (2)(c) or (d) that a person is
1181 driving while the person's license is denied, suspended, disqualified, or revoked, the person is
1182 entitled to a hearing regarding the extension of the time of denial, suspension, disqualification,
1183 or revocation originally imposed under Section [53-3-221](#).

1184 (4) (a) The division may extend to a person the limited privilege of driving a motor
1185 vehicle to and from the person's place of employment or within other specified limits on
1186 recommendation of the judge in any case where a person is convicted of any of the offenses
1187 referred to in Subsections (1) and (2) except:

1188 [~~(i) automobile homicide under Subsection (1)(a)(i);~~]

1189 [~~(ii)~~] (i) those offenses referred to in Subsections (1)(a)(i), (ii), (iii), (xi), (xii), (xiii),
1190 (1)(b), and (1)(c); and

1191 [~~(iii)~~] (ii) those offenses referred to in Subsection (2) when the original denial,
1192 suspension, revocation, or disqualification was imposed because of a violation of Section
1193 [41-6a-502](#), [41-6a-517](#), a local ordinance [~~which~~] that complies with the requirements of
1194 Subsection [41-6a-510](#)(1), Section [41-6a-520](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [~~Section~~] [76-5-207](#), or a criminal
1195 prohibition that the person was charged with violating as a result of a plea bargain after having
1196 been originally charged with violating one or more of these sections or ordinances, unless:

1197 (A) the person has had the period of the first denial, suspension, revocation, or
1198 disqualification extended for a period of at least three years;

1199 (B) the division receives written verification from the person's primary care physician
1200 that:

1201 (I) to the physician's knowledge the person has not used any narcotic drug or other
1202 controlled substance except as prescribed by a licensed medical practitioner within the last
1203 three years; and

1204 (II) the physician is not aware of any physical, emotional, or mental impairment that
1205 would affect the person's ability to operate a motor vehicle safely; and

1206 (C) for a period of one year prior to the date of the request for a limited driving
1207 privilege:

1208 (I) the person has not been convicted of a violation of any motor vehicle law in which
1209 the person was involved as the operator of the vehicle;

1210 (II) the division has not received a report of an arrest for a violation of any motor
1211 vehicle law in which the person was involved as the operator of the vehicle; and

1212 (III) the division has not received a report of an accident in which the person was
1213 involved as an operator of a vehicle.

1214 (b) (i) Except as provided in Subsection (4)(b)(ii), the discretionary privilege
1215 authorized in this Subsection (4):

1216 (A) is limited to when undue hardship would result from a failure to grant the
1217 privilege; and

1218 (B) may be granted only once to any person during any single period of denial,
1219 suspension, revocation, or disqualification, or extension of that denial, suspension, revocation,
1220 or disqualification.

1221 (ii) The discretionary privilege authorized in Subsection (4)(a)~~(iii)~~(ii):

1222 (A) is limited to when the limited privilege is necessary for the person to commute to
1223 school or work; and

1224 (B) may be granted only once to any person during any single period of denial,
1225 suspension, revocation, or disqualification, or extension of that denial, suspension, revocation,
1226 or disqualification.

1227 (c) A limited CDL may not be granted to a person disqualified under Part 4, Uniform
1228 Commercial Driver License Act, or whose license has been revoked, suspended, cancelled, or
1229 denied under this chapter.

1230 Section 13. Section **53-3-223** is amended to read:

1231 **53-3-223. Chemical test for driving under the influence -- Temporary license --**
1232 **Hearing and decision -- Suspension and fee -- Judicial review.**

1233 (1) (a) If a peace officer has reasonable grounds to believe that a person may be
1234 violating or has violated Section **41-6a-502**, ~~[prohibiting the operation of a vehicle with a~~
1235 ~~certain blood or breath alcohol concentration and driving under the influence of any drug,~~
1236 ~~alcohol, or combination of a drug and alcohol or while having any measurable controlled~~

1237 ~~substance or metabolite of a controlled substance in the person's body in violation of Section]~~
1238 [41-6a-517](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#), the peace officer may, in connection with arresting the
1239 person, request that the person submit to a chemical test or tests to be administered in
1240 compliance with the standards under Section [41-6a-520](#).

1241 (b) In this section, a reference to Section [41-6a-502](#) includes any similar local
1242 ordinance adopted in compliance with Subsection [41-6a-510](#)(1).

1243 (2) The peace officer shall advise a person prior to the person's submission to a
1244 chemical test that a test result indicating a violation of Section [41-6a-502](#) [or], [41-6a-517](#),
1245 [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#) shall, and the existence of a blood alcohol content sufficient to render
1246 the person incapable of safely driving a motor vehicle may, result in suspension or revocation
1247 of the person's license to drive a motor vehicle.

1248 (3) If the person submits to a chemical test and the test results indicate a blood or
1249 breath alcohol content in violation of Section [41-6a-502](#) [or], [41-6a-517](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or
1250 [76-5-207](#), or if a peace officer makes a determination, based on reasonable grounds, that the
1251 person is otherwise in violation of Section [41-6a-502](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#), a peace officer
1252 shall, on behalf of the division and within 24 hours of arrest, give notice of the division's
1253 intention to suspend the person's license to drive a motor vehicle.

1254 (4) When a peace officer gives notice on behalf of the division, the peace officer shall
1255 supply to the driver, in a manner specified by the division, basic information regarding how to
1256 obtain a prompt hearing before the division.

1257 (5) As a matter of procedure, a peace officer shall send to the division within 10
1258 calendar days after the day on which notice is provided:

1259 (a) a copy of the citation issued for the offense;

1260 (b) a signed report in a manner specified by the division indicating the chemical test
1261 results, if any; and

1262 (c) any other basis for the peace officer's determination that the person has violated
1263 Section [41-6a-502](#) [or], [41-6a-517](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#).

1264 (6) (a) Upon request in a manner specified by the division, the division shall grant to
1265 the person an opportunity to be heard within 29 days after the date of arrest. The request to be
1266 heard shall be made within 10 calendar days of the day on which notice is provided under
1267 Subsection (5).

1268 (b) (i) Except as provided in Subsection (6)(b)(ii), a hearing, if held, shall be before the
1269 division in:

1270 (A) the county in which the arrest occurred; or

1271 (B) a county that is adjacent to the county in which the arrest occurred.

1272 (ii) The division may hold a hearing in some other county if the division and the person
1273 both agree.

1274 (c) The hearing shall be documented and shall cover the issues of:

1275 (i) whether a peace officer had reasonable grounds to believe the person was driving a
1276 motor vehicle in violation of Section [41-6a-502](#) [or], [41-6a-517](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#);

1277 (ii) whether the person refused to submit to the test; and

1278 (iii) the test results, if any.

1279 (d) (i) In connection with a hearing the division or its authorized agent:

1280 (A) may administer oaths and may issue subpoenas for the attendance of witnesses and
1281 the production of relevant books and papers; or

1282 (B) may issue subpoenas for the attendance of necessary peace officers.

1283 (ii) The division shall pay witness fees and mileage from the Transportation Fund in
1284 accordance with the rates established in Section [78B-1-119](#).

1285 (e) The division may designate one or more employees to conduct the hearing.

1286 (f) Any decision made after a hearing before any designated employee is as valid as if
1287 made by the division.

1288 (7) (a) If, after a hearing, the division determines that a peace officer had reasonable
1289 grounds to believe that the person was driving a motor vehicle in violation of Section
1290 [41-6a-502](#) [or], [41-6a-517](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#), if the person failed to appear before the
1291 division as required in the notice, or if a hearing is not requested under this section, the division
1292 shall:

1293 (i) if the person is 21 years [~~of age~~] old or older at the time of arrest, suspend the
1294 person's license or permit to operate a motor vehicle for a period of:

1295 (A) 120 days beginning on the 45th day after the date of arrest for a first suspension; or

1296 (B) two years beginning on the 45th day after the date of arrest for a second or
1297 subsequent suspension for an offense that occurred within the previous 10 years; or

1298 (ii) if the person is under 21 years [~~of age~~] old at the time of arrest:

1299 (A) suspend the person's license or permit to operate a motor vehicle:

1300 (I) for a period of six months, beginning on the 45th day after the date of arrest for a
1301 first suspension; or

1302 (II) until the person is 21 years [~~of age~~] old or for a period of two years, whichever is
1303 longer, beginning on the 45th day after the date of arrest for a second or subsequent suspension
1304 for an offense that occurred within the previous 10 years; or

1305 (B) deny the person's application for a license or learner's permit:

1306 (I) for a period of six months beginning on the 45th day after the date of the arrest for a
1307 first suspension, if the person has not been issued an operator license; or

1308 (II) until the person is 21 years [~~of age~~] old or for a period of two years, whichever is
1309 longer, beginning on the 45th day after the date of arrest for a second or subsequent suspension
1310 for an offense that occurred within the previous 10 years.

1311 (b) (i) Notwithstanding the provisions in Subsection (7)(a)(i)(A), the division shall
1312 reinstate a person's license prior to completion of the 120 day suspension period imposed under
1313 Subsection (7)(a)(i)(A):

1314 (A) immediately upon receiving written verification of the person's dismissal of a
1315 charge for a violation of Section [41-6a-502](#) [~~or~~], [41-6a-517](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#), if the
1316 written verification is received prior to completion of the suspension period; or

1317 (B) no sooner than 60 days beginning on the 45th day after the date of arrest upon
1318 receiving written verification of the person's reduction of a charge for a violation of Section
1319 [41-6a-502](#) [~~or~~], [41-6a-517](#), [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#), if the written verification is received prior
1320 to completion of the suspension period.

1321 (ii) Notwithstanding the provisions in Subsection (7)(a)(i)(A), the division shall
1322 reinstate a person's license prior to completion of the 120-day suspension period imposed under
1323 Subsection (7)(a)(i)(A) immediately upon receiving written verification of the person's
1324 conviction of impaired driving under Section [41-6a-502.5](#) if:

1325 (A) the written verification is received prior to completion of the suspension period;
1326 and

1327 (B) the reporting court notifies the Driver License Division that the defendant is
1328 participating in or has successfully completed the program of a driving under the influence
1329 court as defined in Section [41-6a-501](#).

1330 (iii) If a person's license is reinstated under this Subsection (7)(b), the person is
1331 required to pay the license reinstatement application fees under Subsections 53-3-105(26) and
1332 (27).

1333 (iv) The driver license reinstatements authorized under this Subsection (7)(b) only
1334 apply to a 120 day suspension period imposed under Subsection (7)(a)(i)(A).

1335 (8) (a) The division shall assess against a person, in addition to any fee imposed under
1336 Subsection 53-3-205(12) for driving under the influence, a fee under Section 53-3-105 to cover
1337 administrative costs, which shall be paid before the person's driving privilege is reinstated.
1338 This fee shall be cancelled if the person obtains an unappealed division hearing or court
1339 decision that the suspension was not proper.

1340 (b) A person whose license has been suspended by the division under this section
1341 following an administrative hearing may file a petition within 30 days after the suspension for a
1342 hearing on the matter which, if held, is governed by Section 53-3-224.

1343 (9) (a) Notwithstanding the provisions in Subsection (7)(a)(i) or (ii), the division shall
1344 reinstate a person's license before completion of the suspension period imposed under
1345 Subsection (7)(a)(i) or (ii) if the reporting court notifies the Driver License Division that the
1346 defendant is participating in or has successfully completed a 24-7 sobriety program as defined
1347 in Section 41-6a-515.5.

1348 (b) If a person's license is reinstated under Subsection (9)(a), the person is required to
1349 pay the license reinstatement application fees under Subsections 53-3-105(26) and (27).

1350 (10) (a) If the division suspends a person's license for an alcohol related offense under
1351 Subsection (7)(a)(i)(A), the person may petition the division and elect to become an ignition
1352 interlock restricted driver if the person:

1353 (i) has a valid driving privilege, with the exception of the suspension under Subsection
1354 (7)(a)(i)(A);

1355 (ii) completes a risk assessment approved by the division that:

1356 (A) is completed after the date of the arrest for which the person is suspended under
1357 Subsection (7)(a)(i)(A); and

1358 (B) identifies the person as a low risk offender;

1359 (iii) installs an ignition interlock device in any vehicle owned or driven by the person
1360 in accordance with Section 53-3-1007; and

1361 (iv) pays the license reinstatement application fees described in Subsections
1362 53-3-105(26) and (27).

1363 (b) The person shall remain an ignition interlock restricted driver for a period of 120
1364 days from the original effective date of the suspension under Subsection (7)(a)(i)(A). If the
1365 person removes an ignition interlock device from a vehicle owned or driven by the person prior
1366 to the expiration of the 120 day ignition interlock restriction period:

1367 (i) the person's driver license shall be suspended under Subsection (7)(a)(i)(A) for the
1368 remainder of the 120 day ignition interlock restriction period;

1369 (ii) the person is required to pay the license reinstatement application fee under
1370 Subsection 53-3-105(26); and

1371 (iii) the person may not elect to become an ignition interlock restricted driver under
1372 this section.

1373 (c) If a person elects to become an ignition interlock restricted driver under Subsection
1374 (10)(a), the provisions under Subsection (7)(b) do not apply.

1375 Section 14. Section 53-3-414 is amended to read:

1376 **53-3-414. CDL disqualification or suspension -- Grounds and duration --**

1377 **Procedure.**

1378 (1) (a) An individual who holds or is required to hold a CDL is disqualified from
1379 driving a commercial motor vehicle for a period of not less than one year effective seven days
1380 from the date of notice to the driver if convicted of a first offense of:

1381 (i) driving a motor vehicle while under the influence of alcohol, drugs, a controlled
1382 substance, or more than one of these;

1383 (ii) driving a commercial motor vehicle while the concentration of alcohol in the
1384 person's blood, breath, or urine is .04 grams or more;

1385 (iii) leaving the scene of an accident involving a motor vehicle the person was driving;

1386 (iv) failing to provide reasonable assistance or identification when involved in an
1387 accident resulting in:

1388 (A) death in accordance with Section 41-6a-401.5; or

1389 (B) personal injury in accordance with Section 41-6a-401.3;

1390 (v) using a motor vehicle in the commission of a felony;

1391 (vi) refusal to submit to a test to determine the concentration of alcohol in the person's

1392 blood, breath, or urine;

1393 (vii) driving a commercial motor vehicle while the person's commercial driver license
1394 is disqualified in accordance with the provisions of this section for violating an offense
1395 described in this section; or

1396 (viii) operating a commercial motor vehicle in a negligent manner causing the death of
1397 another including the offenses of [~~automobile homicide under Section 76-5-207;~~] manslaughter
1398 under Section 76-5-205, [~~or~~] negligent homicide under Section 76-5-206, or negligently
1399 operating a vehicle resulting in death under Section 76-5-207.

1400 (b) The division shall subtract from any disqualification period under Subsection
1401 (1)(a)(i) the number of days for which a license was previously disqualified under Subsection
1402 (1)(a)(ii) or (14) if the previous disqualification was based on the same occurrence upon which
1403 the record of conviction is based.

1404 (2) If any of the violations under Subsection (1) occur while the driver is transporting a
1405 hazardous material required to be placarded, the driver is disqualified for not less than three
1406 years.

1407 (3) (a) Except as provided under Subsection (4), a driver of a motor vehicle who holds
1408 or is required to hold a CDL is disqualified for life from driving a commercial motor vehicle if
1409 convicted of or administrative action is taken for two or more of any of the offenses under
1410 Subsection (1), (5), or (14) arising from two or more separate incidents.

1411 (b) Subsection (3)(a) applies only to those offenses committed after July 1, 1989.

1412 (4) (a) Any driver disqualified for life from driving a commercial motor vehicle under
1413 this section may apply to the division for reinstatement of the driver's CDL if the driver:

1414 (i) has both voluntarily enrolled in and successfully completed an appropriate
1415 rehabilitation program that:

1416 (A) meets the standards of the division; and

1417 (B) complies with 49 C.F.R. Sec. 383.51;

1418 (ii) has served a minimum disqualification period of 10 years; and

1419 (iii) has fully met the standards for reinstatement of commercial motor vehicle driving
1420 privileges established by rule of the division.

1421 (b) If a reinstated driver is subsequently convicted of another disqualifying offense
1422 under this section, the driver is permanently disqualified for life and is ineligible to again apply

1423 for a reduction of the lifetime disqualification.

1424 (5) A driver of a motor vehicle who holds or is required to hold a CDL is disqualified
1425 for life from driving a commercial motor vehicle if the driver uses a motor vehicle in the
1426 commission of any felony involving the manufacturing, distributing, or dispensing of a
1427 controlled substance, or possession with intent to manufacture, distribute, or dispense a
1428 controlled substance and is ineligible to apply for a reduction of the lifetime disqualification
1429 under Subsection (4).

1430 (6) (a) Subject to Subsection (6)(b), a driver of a commercial motor vehicle who holds
1431 or is required to hold a CDL is disqualified for not less than:

1432 (i) 60 days from driving a commercial motor vehicle if the driver is convicted of two
1433 serious traffic violations; and

1434 (ii) 120 days if the driver is convicted of three or more serious traffic violations.

1435 (b) The disqualifications under Subsection (6)(a) are effective only if the serious traffic
1436 violations:

1437 (i) occur within three years of each other;

1438 (ii) arise from separate incidents; and

1439 (iii) involve the use or operation of a commercial motor vehicle.

1440 (c) If a driver of a commercial motor vehicle who holds or is required to hold a CDL is
1441 disqualified from driving a commercial motor vehicle and the division receives notice of a
1442 subsequent conviction for a serious traffic violation that results in an additional disqualification
1443 period under this Subsection (6), the subsequent disqualification period is effective beginning
1444 on the ending date of the current serious traffic violation disqualification period.

1445 (7) (a) A driver of a commercial motor vehicle who is convicted of violating an
1446 out-of-service order while driving a commercial motor vehicle is disqualified from driving a
1447 commercial motor vehicle for a period not less than:

1448 (i) 180 days if the driver is convicted of a first violation;

1449 (ii) two years if, during any 10 year period, the driver is convicted of two violations of
1450 out-of-service orders in separate incidents;

1451 (iii) three years but not more than five years if, during any 10 year period, the driver is
1452 convicted of three or more violations of out-of-service orders in separate incidents;

1453 (iv) 180 days but not more than two years if the driver is convicted of a first violation

1454 of an out-of-service order while transporting hazardous materials required to be placarded or
1455 while operating a motor vehicle designed to transport 16 or more passengers, including the
1456 driver; or

1457 (v) three years but not more than five years if, during any 10 year period, the driver is
1458 convicted of two or more violations, in separate incidents, of an out-of-service order while
1459 transporting hazardous materials required to be placarded or while operating a motor vehicle
1460 designed to transport 16 or more passengers, including the driver.

1461 (b) A driver of a commercial motor vehicle who is convicted of a first violation of an
1462 out-of-service order is subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$2,500.

1463 (c) A driver of a commercial motor vehicle who is convicted of a second or subsequent
1464 violation of an out-of-service order is subject to a civil penalty of not less than \$5,000.

1465 (8) A driver of a commercial motor vehicle who holds or is required to hold a CDL is
1466 disqualified for not less than 60 days if the division determines, in its check of the driver's
1467 driver license status, application, and record prior to issuing a CDL or at any time after the
1468 CDL is issued, that the driver has falsified information required to apply for a CDL in this
1469 state.

1470 (9) A driver of a commercial motor vehicle who is convicted of violating a
1471 railroad-highway grade crossing provision under Section [41-6a-1205](#), while driving a
1472 commercial motor vehicle is disqualified from driving a commercial motor vehicle for a period
1473 not less than:

1474 (a) 60 days if the driver is convicted of a first violation;

1475 (b) 120 days if, during any three-year period, the driver is convicted of a second
1476 violation in separate incidents; or

1477 (c) one year if, during any three-year period, the driver is convicted of three or more
1478 violations in separate incidents.

1479 (10) (a) The division shall update its records and notify the CDLIS within 10 days of
1480 suspending, revoking, disqualifying, denying, or cancelling a CDL to reflect the action taken.

1481 (b) When the division suspends, revokes, cancels, or disqualifies a nonresident CDL,
1482 the division shall notify the licensing authority of the issuing state or other jurisdiction and the
1483 CDLIS within 10 days after the action is taken.

1484 (c) When the division suspends, revokes, cancels, or disqualifies a CDL issued by this

1485 state, the division shall notify the CDLIS within 10 days after the action is taken.

1486 (11) (a) The division may immediately suspend or disqualify the CDL of a driver
1487 without a hearing or receiving a record of the driver's conviction when the division has reason
1488 to believe that the:

1489 (i) CDL was issued by the division through error or fraud;

1490 (ii) applicant provided incorrect or incomplete information to the division;

1491 (iii) applicant cheated on any part of a CDL examination;

1492 (iv) driver no longer meets the fitness standards required to obtain a CDL; or

1493 (v) driver poses an imminent hazard.

1494 (b) Suspension of a CDL under this Subsection (11) shall be in accordance with
1495 Section 53-3-221.

1496 (c) If a hearing is held under Section 53-3-221, the division shall then rescind the
1497 suspension order or cancel the CDL.

1498 (12) (a) Subject to Subsection (12)(b), a driver of a motor vehicle who holds or is
1499 required to hold a CDL is disqualified for not less than:

1500 (i) 60 days from driving a commercial motor vehicle if the driver is convicted of two
1501 serious traffic violations; and

1502 (ii) 120 days if the driver is convicted of three or more serious traffic violations.

1503 (b) The disqualifications under Subsection (12)(a) are effective only if the serious
1504 traffic violations:

1505 (i) occur within three years of each other;

1506 (ii) arise from separate incidents; and

1507 (iii) result in a denial, suspension, cancellation, or revocation of the non-CDL driving
1508 privilege from at least one of the violations.

1509 (c) If a driver of a motor vehicle who holds or is required to hold a CDL is disqualified
1510 from driving a commercial motor vehicle and the division receives notice of a subsequent
1511 conviction for a serious traffic violation that results in an additional disqualification period
1512 under this Subsection (12), the subsequent disqualification period is effective beginning on the
1513 ending date of the current serious traffic violation disqualification period.

1514 (13) (a) Upon receiving a notice that a person has entered into a plea of guilty or no
1515 contest to a violation of a disqualifying offense described in this section which plea is held in

1516 abeyance pursuant to a plea in abeyance agreement, the division shall disqualify, suspend,
1517 cancel, or revoke the person's CDL for the period required under this section for a conviction of
1518 that disqualifying offense, even if the charge has been subsequently reduced or dismissed in
1519 accordance with the plea in abeyance agreement.

1520 (b) The division shall report the plea in abeyance to the CDLIS within 10 days of
1521 taking the action under Subsection (13)(a).

1522 (c) A plea which is held in abeyance may not be removed from a person's driving
1523 record for 10 years from the date of the plea in abeyance agreement, even if the charge is:

- 1524 (i) reduced or dismissed in accordance with the plea in abeyance agreement; or
- 1525 (ii) expunged under Title 77, Chapter 40, Utah Expungement Act.

1526 (14) The division shall disqualify the CDL of a driver for an arrest of a violation of
1527 Section 41-6a-502 when administrative action is taken against the operator's driving privilege
1528 pursuant to Section 53-3-223 for a period of:

- 1529 (a) one year; or
- 1530 (b) three years if the violation occurred while transporting hazardous materials.

1531 (15) The division may concurrently impose any disqualification periods that arise
1532 under this section while a driver is disqualified by the Secretary of the United States
1533 Department of Transportation under 49 C.F.R. Sec. 383.52 for posing an imminent hazard.

1534 Section 15. Section 53-10-403 is amended to read:

1535 **53-10-403. DNA specimen analysis -- Application to offenders, including minors.**

1536 (1) Sections 53-10-403.6, 53-10-404, 53-10-404.5, 53-10-405, and 53-10-406 apply to
1537 any person who:

1538 (a) has pled guilty to or has been convicted of any of the offenses under Subsection
1539 (2)(a) or (b) on or after July 1, 2002;

1540 (b) has pled guilty to or has been convicted by any other state or by the United States
1541 government of an offense which if committed in this state would be punishable as one or more
1542 of the offenses listed in Subsection (2)(a) or (b) on or after July 1, 2003;

1543 (c) has been booked on or after January 1, 2011, through December 31, 2014, for any
1544 offense under Subsection (2)(c);

1545 (d) has been booked:

1546 (i) by a law enforcement agency that is obtaining a DNA specimen on or after May 13,

1547 2014, through December 31, 2014, under Subsection 53-10-404(4)(b) for any felony offense; or
1548 (ii) on or after January 1, 2015, for any felony offense; or
1549 (e) is a minor under Subsection (3).

1550 (2) Offenses referred to in Subsection (1) are:

1551 (a) any felony or class A misdemeanor under the Utah Code;

1552 (b) any offense under Subsection (2)(a):

1553 (i) for which the court enters a judgment for conviction to a lower degree of offense
1554 under Section 76-3-402; or

1555 (ii) regarding which the court allows the defendant to enter a plea in abeyance as
1556 defined in Section 77-2a-1; or

1557 (c) (i) any violent felony as defined in Section 53-10-403.5;

1558 (ii) sale or use of body parts, Section 26-28-116;

1559 (iii) failure to stop at an accident that resulted in death, Section 41-6a-401.5;

1560 ~~[(iv) driving with any amount of a controlled substance in a person's body and causing~~
1561 ~~serious bodily injury or death, Subsection 58-37-8(2)(g);]~~

1562 (iv) negligently operating a vehicle resulting in injury, Subsection 76-5-102.1(2)(b);

1563 (v) a felony violation of enticing a minor over the Internet, Section 76-4-401;

1564 (vi) a felony violation of propelling a substance or object at a correctional officer, a
1565 peace officer, or an employee or a volunteer, including health care providers, Section
1566 76-5-102.6;

1567 (vii) aggravated human trafficking and aggravated human smuggling, Section
1568 76-5-310;

1569 (viii) a felony violation of unlawful sexual activity with a minor, Section 76-5-401;

1570 (ix) a felony violation of sexual abuse of a minor, Section 76-5-401.1;

1571 (x) unlawful sexual contact with a 16 or 17-year old, Section 76-5-401.2;

1572 (xi) sale of a child, Section 76-7-203;

1573 (xii) aggravated escape, Subsection 76-8-309(2);

1574 (xiii) a felony violation of assault on an elected official, Section 76-8-315;

1575 (xiv) influencing, impeding, or retaliating against a judge or member of the Board of
1576 Pardons and Parole, Section 76-8-316;

1577 (xv) advocating criminal syndicalism or sabotage, Section 76-8-902;

1578 (xvi) assembly for advocating criminal syndicalism or sabotage, Section 76-8-903;
1579 (xvii) a felony violation of sexual battery, Section 76-9-702.1;
1580 (xviii) a felony violation of lewdness involving a child, Section 76-9-702.5;
1581 (xix) a felony violation of abuse or desecration of a dead human body, Section
1582 76-9-704;
1583 (xx) manufacture, possession, sale, or use of a weapon of mass destruction, Section
1584 76-10-402;
1585 (xxi) manufacture, possession, sale, or use of a hoax weapon of mass destruction,
1586 Section 76-10-403;
1587 (xxii) possession of a concealed firearm in the commission of a violent felony,
1588 Subsection 76-10-504(4);
1589 (xxiii) assault with the intent to commit bus hijacking with a dangerous weapon,
1590 Subsection 76-10-1504(3);
1591 (xxiv) commercial obstruction, Subsection 76-10-2402(2);
1592 (xxv) a felony violation of failure to register as a sex or kidnap offender, Section
1593 77-41-107;
1594 (xxvi) repeat violation of a protective order, Subsection 77-36-1.1(4); [or]
1595 (xxvii) violation of condition for release after arrest under Section 78B-7-802[-]; or
1596 (xxviii) negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death, Subsection 76-5-207(2)(b).
1597 (3) A minor under Subsection (1) is a minor 14 years old or older who is adjudicated
1598 by the juvenile court due to the commission of any offense described in Subsection (2), and
1599 who:
1600 (a) committed an offense under Subsection (2) within the jurisdiction of the juvenile
1601 court on or after July 1, 2002; or
1602 (b) is in the legal custody of the Division of Juvenile Justice Services on or after July 1,
1603 2002 for an offense under Subsection (2).
1604 Section 16. Section 58-37-8 is amended to read:
1605 **58-37-8. Prohibited acts -- Penalties.**
1606 (1) Prohibited acts A -- Penalties and reporting:
1607 (a) Except as authorized by this chapter, it is unlawful for a person to knowingly and
1608 intentionally:

- 1609 (i) produce, manufacture, or dispense, or to possess with intent to produce,
1610 manufacture, or dispense, a controlled or counterfeit substance;
- 1611 (ii) distribute a controlled or counterfeit substance, or to agree, consent, offer, or
1612 arrange to distribute a controlled or counterfeit substance;
- 1613 (iii) possess a controlled or counterfeit substance with intent to distribute; or
1614 (iv) engage in a continuing criminal enterprise where:
- 1615 (A) the person participates, directs, or engages in conduct that results in a violation of
1616 Chapter 37, Utah Controlled Substances Act, Chapter 37a, Utah Drug Paraphernalia Act,
1617 Chapter 37b, Imitation Controlled Substances Act, Chapter 37c, Utah Controlled Substance
1618 Precursor Act, or Chapter 37d, Clandestine Drug Lab Act, that is a felony; and
- 1619 (B) the violation is a part of a continuing series of two or more violations of Chapter
1620 37, Utah Controlled Substances Act, Chapter 37a, Utah Drug Paraphernalia Act, Chapter 37b,
1621 Imitation Controlled Substances Act, Chapter 37c, Utah Controlled Substance Precursor Act,
1622 or Chapter 37d, Clandestine Drug Lab Act, on separate occasions that are undertaken in concert
1623 with five or more persons with respect to whom the person occupies a position of organizer,
1624 supervisor, or any other position of management.
- 1625 (b) A person convicted of violating Subsection (1)(a) with respect to:
- 1626 (i) a substance or a counterfeit of a substance classified in Schedule I or II, a controlled
1627 substance analog, or gammahydroxybutyric acid as listed in Schedule III is guilty of a second
1628 degree felony, punishable by imprisonment for not more than 15 years, and upon a second or
1629 subsequent conviction is guilty of a first degree felony;
- 1630 (ii) a substance or a counterfeit of a substance classified in Schedule III or IV, or
1631 marijuana, or a substance listed in Section 58-37-4.2 is guilty of a third degree felony, and
1632 upon a second or subsequent conviction is guilty of a second degree felony; or
- 1633 (iii) a substance or a counterfeit of a substance classified in Schedule V is guilty of a
1634 class A misdemeanor and upon a second or subsequent conviction is guilty of a third degree
1635 felony.
- 1636 (c) A person who has been convicted of a violation of Subsection (1)(a)(ii) or (iii) may
1637 be sentenced to imprisonment for an indeterminate term as provided by law, but if the trier of
1638 fact finds a firearm as defined in Section 76-10-501 was used, carried, or possessed on the
1639 person or in the person's immediate possession during the commission or in furtherance of the

1640 offense, the court shall additionally sentence the person convicted for a term of one year to run
1641 consecutively and not concurrently; and the court may additionally sentence the person
1642 convicted for an indeterminate term not to exceed five years to run consecutively and not
1643 concurrently.

1644 (d) (i) A person convicted of violating Subsection (1)(a)(iv) is guilty of a first degree
1645 felony punishable by imprisonment for an indeterminate term of not less than:

1646 (A) seven years and which may be for life; or

1647 (B) 15 years and which may be for life if the trier of fact determined that the defendant
1648 knew or reasonably should have known that any subordinate under Subsection (1)(a)(iv)(B)
1649 was under 18 years old.

1650 (ii) Imposition or execution of the sentence may not be suspended, and the person is
1651 not eligible for probation.

1652 (iii) Subsection (1)(d)(i)(B) does not apply to any defendant who, at the time of the
1653 offense, was under 18 years old.

1654 (e) The Administrative Office of the Courts shall report to the Division of
1655 Occupational and Professional Licensing the name, case number, date of conviction, and if
1656 known, the date of birth of each person convicted of violating Subsection (1)(a).

1657 (2) Prohibited acts B -- Penalties and reporting:

1658 (a) It is unlawful:

1659 (i) for a person knowingly and intentionally to possess or use a controlled substance
1660 analog or a controlled substance, unless it was obtained under a valid prescription or order,
1661 directly from a practitioner while acting in the course of the person's professional practice, or as
1662 otherwise authorized by this chapter;

1663 (ii) for an owner, tenant, licensee, or person in control of a building, room, tenement,
1664 vehicle, boat, aircraft, or other place knowingly and intentionally to permit them to be occupied
1665 by persons unlawfully possessing, using, or distributing controlled substances in any of those
1666 locations; or

1667 (iii) for a person knowingly and intentionally to possess an altered or forged
1668 prescription or written order for a controlled substance.

1669 (b) A person convicted of violating Subsection (2)(a)(i) with respect to:

1670 (i) marijuana, if the amount is 100 pounds or more, is guilty of a second degree felony;

1671 or

1672 (ii) a substance classified in Schedule I or II, or a controlled substance analog, is guilty
1673 of a class A misdemeanor on a first or second conviction, and on a third or subsequent
1674 conviction if each prior offense was committed within seven years before the date of the
1675 offense upon which the current conviction is based is guilty of a third degree felony.

1676 (c) Upon a person's conviction of a violation of this Subsection (2) subsequent to a
1677 conviction under Subsection (1)(a), that person shall be sentenced to a one degree greater
1678 penalty than provided in this Subsection (2).

1679 (d) A person who violates Subsection (2)(a)(i) with respect to all other controlled
1680 substances not included in Subsection (2)(b)(i) or (ii), including a substance listed in Section
1681 58-37-4.2, or marijuana, is guilty of a class B misdemeanor.

1682 (i) Upon a third conviction the person is guilty of a class A misdemeanor, if each prior
1683 offense was committed within seven years before the date of the offense upon which the
1684 current conviction is based.

1685 (ii) Upon a fourth or subsequent conviction the person is guilty of a third degree felony
1686 if each prior offense was committed within seven years before the date of the offense upon
1687 which the current conviction is based.

1688 (e) A person convicted of violating Subsection (2)(a)(i) while inside the exterior
1689 boundaries of property occupied by a correctional facility as defined in Section 64-13-1 or a
1690 public jail or other place of confinement shall be sentenced to a penalty one degree greater than
1691 provided in Subsection (2)(b), and if the conviction is with respect to controlled substances as
1692 listed in:

1693 (i) Subsection (2)(b), the person may be sentenced to imprisonment for an
1694 indeterminate term as provided by law, and:

1695 (A) the court shall additionally sentence the person convicted to a term of one year to
1696 run consecutively and not concurrently; and

1697 (B) the court may additionally sentence the person convicted for an indeterminate term
1698 not to exceed five years to run consecutively and not concurrently; and

1699 (ii) Subsection (2)(d), the person may be sentenced to imprisonment for an
1700 indeterminate term as provided by law, and the court shall additionally sentence the person
1701 convicted to a term of six months to run consecutively and not concurrently.

1702 (f) A person convicted of violating Subsection (2)(a)(ii) or (iii) is:
1703 (i) on a first conviction, guilty of a class B misdemeanor;
1704 (ii) on a second conviction, guilty of a class A misdemeanor; and
1705 (iii) on a third or subsequent conviction, guilty of a third degree felony.
1706 ~~[(g) A person is subject to the penalties under Subsection (2)(h) who, in an offense not~~
1707 ~~amounting to a violation of Section 76-5-207:]~~
1708 ~~[(i) violates Subsection (2)(a)(i) by knowingly and intentionally having in the person's~~
1709 ~~body any measurable amount of a controlled substance, except for~~
1710 ~~11-nor-9-carboxy-tetrahydrocannabinol; and]~~
1711 ~~[(ii) (A) if the controlled substance is not marijuana, operates a motor vehicle as~~
1712 ~~defined in Section 76-5-207 in a negligent manner, causing serious bodily injury as defined in~~
1713 ~~Section 76-1-601 or the death of another; or]~~
1714 ~~[(B) if the controlled substance is marijuana, operates a motor vehicle as defined in~~
1715 ~~Section 76-5-207 in a criminally negligent manner, causing serious bodily injury as defined in~~
1716 ~~Section 76-1-601 or the death of another.]~~
1717 ~~[(h) A person who violates Subsection (2)(g) by having in the person's body:]~~
1718 ~~[(i) a controlled substance classified under Schedule I, other than those described in~~
1719 ~~Subsection (2)(h)(ii), or a controlled substance classified under Schedule II is guilty of a second~~
1720 ~~degree felony;]~~
1721 ~~[(ii) except as provided in Subsection (2)(g)(ii)(B), marijuana, tetrahydrocannabinols,~~
1722 ~~or equivalents described in Subsection 58-37-4(2)(a)(iii)(S) or (AA), or a substance listed in~~
1723 ~~Section 58-37-4.2 is guilty of a third degree felony; or]~~
1724 ~~[(iii) a controlled substance classified under Schedules III, IV, or V is guilty of a class~~
1725 ~~A misdemeanor.]~~
1726 ~~[(i) A person is guilty of a separate offense for each victim suffering serious bodily~~
1727 ~~injury or death as a result of the person's negligent driving in violation of Subsection(2)(g)~~
1728 ~~whether or not the injuries arise from the same episode of driving.]~~
1729 ~~[(j)] (g) The Administrative Office of the Courts shall report to the Division of~~
1730 ~~Occupational and Professional Licensing the name, case number, date of conviction, and if~~
1731 ~~known, the date of birth of each person convicted of violating Subsection (2)(a).~~
1732 (3) Prohibited acts C -- Penalties:

- 1733 (a) It is unlawful for a person knowingly and intentionally:
- 1734 (i) to use in the course of the manufacture or distribution of a controlled substance a
- 1735 license number which is fictitious, revoked, suspended, or issued to another person or, for the
- 1736 purpose of obtaining a controlled substance, to assume the title of, or represent oneself to be, a
- 1737 manufacturer, wholesaler, apothecary, physician, dentist, veterinarian, or other authorized
- 1738 person;
- 1739 (ii) to acquire or obtain possession of, to procure or attempt to procure the
- 1740 administration of, to obtain a prescription for, to prescribe or dispense to a person known to be
- 1741 attempting to acquire or obtain possession of, or to procure the administration of a controlled
- 1742 substance by misrepresentation or failure by the person to disclose receiving a controlled
- 1743 substance from another source, fraud, forgery, deception, subterfuge, alteration of a
- 1744 prescription or written order for a controlled substance, or the use of a false name or address;
- 1745 (iii) to make a false or forged prescription or written order for a controlled substance,
- 1746 or to utter the same, or to alter a prescription or written order issued or written under the terms
- 1747 of this chapter; or
- 1748 (iv) to make, distribute, or possess a punch, die, plate, stone, or other thing designed to
- 1749 print, imprint, or reproduce the trademark, trade name, or other identifying mark, imprint, or
- 1750 device of another or any likeness of any of the foregoing upon any drug or container or labeling
- 1751 so as to render a drug a counterfeit controlled substance.
- 1752 (b) (i) A first or second conviction under Subsection (3)(a)(i), (ii), or (iii) is a class A
- 1753 misdemeanor.
- 1754 (ii) A third or subsequent conviction under Subsection (3)(a)(i), (ii), or (iii) is a third
- 1755 degree felony.
- 1756 (c) A violation of Subsection (3)(a)(iv) is a third degree felony.
- 1757 (4) Prohibited acts D -- Penalties:
- 1758 (a) Notwithstanding other provisions of this section, a person not authorized under this
- 1759 chapter who commits any act that is unlawful under Subsection (1)(a) or Section 58-37b-4 is
- 1760 upon conviction subject to the penalties and classifications under this Subsection (4) if the trier
- 1761 of fact finds the act is committed:
- 1762 (i) in a public or private elementary or secondary school or on the grounds of any of
- 1763 those schools during the hours of 6 a.m. through 10 p.m.;

- 1764 (ii) in a public or private vocational school or postsecondary institution or on the
- 1765 grounds of any of those schools or institutions during the hours of 6 a.m. through 10 p.m.;
- 1766 (iii) in or on the grounds of a preschool or child-care facility during the preschool's or
- 1767 facility's hours of operation;
- 1768 (iv) in a public park, amusement park, arcade, or recreation center when the public or
- 1769 amusement park, arcade, or recreation center is open to the public;
- 1770 (v) in or on the grounds of a house of worship as defined in Section 76-10-501;
- 1771 (vi) in or on the grounds of a library when the library is open to the public;
- 1772 (vii) within an area that is within 100 feet of any structure, facility, or grounds included
- 1773 in Subsections (4)(a)(i), (ii), (iii), (iv), (v), and (vi);
- 1774 (viii) in the presence of a person younger than 18 years ~~[of age]~~ old, regardless of
- 1775 where the act occurs; or
- 1776 (ix) for the purpose of facilitating, arranging, or causing the transport, delivery, or
- 1777 distribution of a substance in violation of this section to an inmate or on the grounds of a
- 1778 correctional facility as defined in Section 76-8-311.3.
- 1779 (b) (i) A person convicted under this Subsection (4) is guilty of a first degree felony
- 1780 and shall be imprisoned for a term of not less than five years if the penalty that would
- 1781 otherwise have been established but for this Subsection (4) would have been a first degree
- 1782 felony.
- 1783 (ii) Imposition or execution of the sentence may not be suspended, and the person is
- 1784 not eligible for probation.
- 1785 (c) If the classification that would otherwise have been established would have been
- 1786 less than a first degree felony but for this Subsection (4), a person convicted under this
- 1787 Subsection (4) is guilty of one degree more than the maximum penalty prescribed for that
- 1788 offense. ~~[This Subsection (4)(c) does not apply to a violation of Subsection (2)(g).]~~
- 1789 (d) (i) If the violation is of Subsection (4)(a)(ix):
- 1790 (A) the person may be sentenced to imprisonment for an indeterminate term as
- 1791 provided by law, and the court shall additionally sentence the person convicted for a term of
- 1792 one year to run consecutively and not concurrently; and
- 1793 (B) the court may additionally sentence the person convicted for an indeterminate term
- 1794 not to exceed five years to run consecutively and not concurrently; and

1795 (ii) the penalties under this Subsection (4)(d) apply also to a person who, acting with
1796 the mental state required for the commission of an offense, directly or indirectly solicits,
1797 requests, commands, coerces, encourages, or intentionally aids another person to commit a
1798 violation of Subsection (4)(a)(ix).

1799 (e) It is not a defense to a prosecution under this Subsection (4) that:

1800 (i) the actor mistakenly believed the individual to be 18 years old or older at the time of
1801 the offense or was unaware of the individual's true age; or

1802 (ii) the actor mistakenly believed that the location where the act occurred was not as
1803 described in Subsection (4)(a) or was unaware that the location where the act occurred was as
1804 described in Subsection (4)(a).

1805 (5) A violation of this chapter for which no penalty is specified is a class B
1806 misdemeanor.

1807 (6) (a) For purposes of penalty enhancement under Subsections (1) and (2), a plea of
1808 guilty or no contest to a violation or attempted violation of this section or a plea which is held
1809 in abeyance under Title 77, Chapter 2a, Pleas in Abeyance, is the equivalent of a conviction,
1810 even if the charge has been subsequently reduced or dismissed in accordance with the plea in
1811 abeyance agreement.

1812 (b) A prior conviction used for a penalty enhancement under Subsection (2) shall be a
1813 conviction that is:

1814 (i) from a separate criminal episode than the current charge; and

1815 (ii) from a conviction that is separate from any other conviction used to enhance the
1816 current charge.

1817 (7) A person may be charged and sentenced for a violation of this section,
1818 notwithstanding a charge and sentence for a violation of any other section of this chapter.

1819 (8) (a) A penalty imposed for violation of this section is in addition to, and not in lieu
1820 of, a civil or administrative penalty or sanction authorized by law.

1821 (b) When a violation of this chapter violates a federal law or the law of another state,
1822 conviction or acquittal under federal law or the law of another state for the same act is a bar to
1823 prosecution in this state.

1824 (9) In any prosecution for a violation of this chapter, evidence or proof that shows a
1825 person or persons produced, manufactured, possessed, distributed, or dispensed a controlled

1826 substance or substances, is prima facie evidence that the person or persons did so with
1827 knowledge of the character of the substance or substances.

1828 (10) This section does not prohibit a veterinarian, in good faith and in the course of the
1829 veterinarian's professional practice only and not for humans, from prescribing, dispensing, or
1830 administering controlled substances or from causing the substances to be administered by an
1831 assistant or orderly under the veterinarian's direction and supervision.

1832 (11) Civil or criminal liability may not be imposed under this section on:

1833 (a) a person registered under this chapter who manufactures, distributes, or possesses
1834 an imitation controlled substance for use as a placebo or investigational new drug by a
1835 registered practitioner in the ordinary course of professional practice or research; or

1836 (b) a law enforcement officer acting in the course and legitimate scope of the officer's
1837 employment.

1838 (12) (a) Civil or criminal liability may not be imposed under this section on any Indian,
1839 as defined in Section 58-37-2, who uses, possesses, or transports peyote for bona fide
1840 traditional ceremonial purposes in connection with the practice of a traditional Indian religion
1841 as defined in Section 58-37-2.

1842 (b) In a prosecution alleging violation of this section regarding peyote as defined in
1843 Section 58-37-4, it is an affirmative defense that the peyote was used, possessed, or transported
1844 by an Indian for bona fide traditional ceremonial purposes in connection with the practice of a
1845 traditional Indian religion.

1846 (c) (i) The defendant shall provide written notice of intent to claim an affirmative
1847 defense under this Subsection (12) as soon as practicable, but not later than 10 days before
1848 trial.

1849 (ii) The notice shall include the specific claims of the affirmative defense.

1850 (iii) The court may waive the notice requirement in the interest of justice for good
1851 cause shown, if the prosecutor is not unfairly prejudiced by the lack of timely notice.

1852 (d) The defendant shall establish the affirmative defense under this Subsection (12) by
1853 a preponderance of the evidence. If the defense is established, it is a complete defense to the
1854 charges.

1855 (13) (a) It is an affirmative defense that the person produced, possessed, or
1856 administered a controlled substance listed in Section 58-37-4.2 if the person was:

- 1857 (i) engaged in medical research; and
- 1858 (ii) a holder of a valid license to possess controlled substances under Section 58-37-6.
- 1859 (b) It is not a defense under Subsection (13)(a) that the person prescribed or dispensed
- 1860 a controlled substance listed in Section 58-37-4.2.
- 1861 (14) It is an affirmative defense that the person possessed, in the person's body, a
- 1862 controlled substance listed in Section 58-37-4.2 if:
- 1863 (a) the person was the subject of medical research conducted by a holder of a valid
- 1864 license to possess controlled substances under Section 58-37-6; and
- 1865 (b) the substance was administered to the person by the medical researcher.
- 1866 (15) The application of any increase in penalty under this section to a violation of
- 1867 Subsection (2)(a)(i) may not result in any greater penalty than a second degree felony. This
- 1868 Subsection (15) takes precedence over any conflicting provision of this section.
- 1869 (16) (a) It is an affirmative defense to an allegation of the commission of an offense
- 1870 listed in Subsection (16)(b) that the person or bystander:
- 1871 (i) reasonably believes that the person or another person is experiencing an overdose
- 1872 event due to the ingestion, injection, inhalation, or other introduction into the human body of a
- 1873 controlled substance or other substance;
- 1874 (ii) reports, or assists a person who reports, in good faith the overdose event to a
- 1875 medical provider, an emergency medical service provider as defined in Section 26-8a-102, a
- 1876 law enforcement officer, a 911 emergency call system, or an emergency dispatch system, or the
- 1877 person is the subject of a report made under this Subsection (16);
- 1878 (iii) provides in the report under Subsection (16)(a)(ii) a functional description of the
- 1879 actual location of the overdose event that facilitates responding to the person experiencing the
- 1880 overdose event;
- 1881 (iv) remains at the location of the person experiencing the overdose event until a
- 1882 responding law enforcement officer or emergency medical service provider arrives, or remains
- 1883 at the medical care facility where the person experiencing an overdose event is located until a
- 1884 responding law enforcement officer arrives;
- 1885 (v) cooperates with the responding medical provider, emergency medical service
- 1886 provider, and law enforcement officer, including providing information regarding the person
- 1887 experiencing the overdose event and any substances the person may have injected, inhaled, or

1888 otherwise introduced into the person's body; and
1889 (vi) is alleged to have committed the offense in the same course of events from which
1890 the reported overdose arose.

1891 (b) The offenses referred to in Subsection (16)(a) are:
1892 (i) the possession or use of less than 16 ounces of marijuana;
1893 (ii) the possession or use of a scheduled or listed controlled substance other than
1894 marijuana; and
1895 (iii) any violation of Chapter 37a, Utah Drug Paraphernalia Act, or Chapter 37b,
1896 Imitation Controlled Substances Act.

1897 (c) As used in this Subsection (16) and in Section [76-3-203.11](#), "good faith" does not
1898 include seeking medical assistance under this section during the course of a law enforcement
1899 agency's execution of a search warrant, execution of an arrest warrant, or other lawful search.

1900 (17) If any provision of this chapter, or the application of any provision to any person
1901 or circumstances, is held invalid, the remainder of this chapter shall be given effect without the
1902 invalid provision or application.

1903 (18) A legislative body of a political subdivision may not enact an ordinance that is
1904 less restrictive than any provision of this chapter.

1905 (19) If a minor who is under 18 years old is found by a court to have violated this
1906 section[;] or Subsection [76-5-102.1\(2\)\(b\)](#) or [76-5-207\(2\)\(b\)](#), the court may order the minor to
1907 complete:
1908 (a) a screening as defined in Section [41-6a-501](#);
1909 (b) an assessment as defined in Section [41-6a-501](#) if the screening indicates an
1910 assessment to be appropriate; and
1911 (c) an educational series as defined in Section [41-6a-501](#) or substance use disorder
1912 treatment as indicated by an assessment.

1913 Section 17. Section **58-37f-201** is amended to read:
1914 **58-37f-201. Controlled substance database -- Creation -- Purpose.**
1915 (1) There is created within the division a controlled substance database.
1916 (2) The division shall administer and direct the functioning of the database in
1917 accordance with this chapter.
1918 (3) The division may, under state procurement laws, contract with another state agency

1919 or a private entity to establish, operate, or maintain the database.

1920 (4) The division shall, in collaboration with the board, determine whether to operate
1921 the database within the division or contract with another entity to operate the database, based
1922 on an analysis of costs and benefits.

1923 (5) The purpose of the database is to contain:

1924 (a) the data described in Section 58-37f-203 regarding prescriptions for dispensed
1925 controlled substances;

1926 (b) data reported to the division under Section 26-21-26 regarding poisoning or
1927 overdose;

1928 (c) data reported to the division under Subsection 41-6a-502(4) or 41-6a-502.5(5)(b)
1929 regarding convictions for driving under the influence of a prescribed controlled substance or
1930 impaired driving; and

1931 (d) data reported to the division under Subsection 58-37-8(1)(e) or 58-37-8(2)[(f)](g)
1932 regarding certain violations of the Utah Controlled Substances Act.

1933 (6) The division shall maintain the database in an electronic file or by other means
1934 established by the division to facilitate use of the database for identification of:

1935 (a) prescribing practices and patterns of prescribing and dispensing controlled
1936 substances;

1937 (b) practitioners prescribing controlled substances in an unprofessional or unlawful
1938 manner;

1939 (c) individuals receiving prescriptions for controlled substances from licensed
1940 practitioners, and who subsequently obtain dispensed controlled substances from a drug outlet
1941 in quantities or with a frequency inconsistent with generally recognized standards of dosage for
1942 that controlled substance;

1943 (d) individuals presenting forged or otherwise false or altered prescriptions for
1944 controlled substances to a pharmacy;

1945 (e) individuals admitted to a general acute hospital for poisoning or overdose involving
1946 a prescribed controlled substance; and

1947 (f) individuals convicted for:

1948 (i) driving under the influence of a prescribed controlled substance that renders the
1949 individual incapable of safely operating a vehicle;

1950 (ii) driving while impaired, in whole or in part, by a prescribed controlled substance; or
1951 (iii) certain violations of the Utah Controlled Substances Act.

1952 Section 18. Section **58-37f-704** is amended to read:

1953 **58-37f-704. Entering certain convictions into the database.**

1954 Beginning October 1, 2016, if the division receives a report from a court under
1955 Subsection 58-37-8(1)(e) or 58-37-8(2)(f)(g), the division shall daily enter into the database
1956 the information supplied in the report.

1957 Section 19. Section **75-2-803** is amended to read:

1958 **75-2-803. Definitions -- Effect of homicide on intestate succession, wills, trusts,**
1959 **joint assets, life insurance, and beneficiary designations -- Forfeiture -- Revocation.**

1960 (1) As used in this section:

1961 (a) "Disposition or appointment of property" includes a transfer of an item of property
1962 or any other benefit to a beneficiary designated in a governing instrument.

1963 (b) "Disqualifying homicide" means a homicide established by a preponderance of the
1964 evidence that meets the elements of any felony homicide offense in Title 76, Chapter 5,
1965 Offenses Against the Person, except [~~automobile homicide~~] under Sections 76-5-207 and
1966 76-5-207.5, applying the same principles of culpability and defenses as in Title 76, Utah
1967 Criminal Code, including but not limited to Chapter 2, Principles of Criminal Responsibility.

1968 (c) "Governing instrument" means a governing instrument executed by the decedent.

1969 (d) "Killer" means a person who commits a disqualifying homicide.

1970 (e) "Revocable," with respect to a disposition, appointment, provision, or nomination,
1971 means one under which the decedent, at the time of or immediately before death, was alone
1972 empowered, by law or under the governing instrument, to cancel the designation, in favor of
1973 the killer, whether or not the decedent was then empowered to designate himself in place of his
1974 killer and whether or not the decedent then had capacity to exercise the power.

1975 (2) An individual who commits a disqualifying homicide of the decedent forfeits all
1976 benefits under this chapter with respect to the decedent's estate, including an intestate share, an
1977 elective share, an omitted spouse's or child's share, a homestead allowance, exempt property,
1978 and a family allowance. If the decedent died intestate, the decedent's intestate estate passes as
1979 if the killer disclaimed his intestate share.

1980 (3) The killing of the decedent by means of a disqualifying homicide:

1981 (a) revokes any revocable:
1982 (i) disposition or appointment of property made by the decedent to the killer in a
1983 governing instrument;
1984 (ii) provision in a governing instrument conferring a general or nongeneral power of
1985 appointment on the killer; and
1986 (iii) nomination of the killer in a governing instrument, nominating or appointing the
1987 killer to serve in any fiduciary or representative capacity, including a personal representative,
1988 executor, trustee, or agent; and
1989 (b) severs the interests of the decedent and killer in property held by them at the time of
1990 the killing as joint tenants with the right of survivorship, transforming the interests of the
1991 decedent and killer into tenancies in common.
1992 (4) A severance under Subsection (3)(b) does not affect any third-party interest in
1993 property acquired for value and in good faith reliance on an apparent title by survivorship in the
1994 killer unless a writing declaring the severance has been noted, registered, filed, or recorded in
1995 records appropriate to the kind and location of the property which are relied upon, in the
1996 ordinary course of transactions involving such property, as evidence of ownership.
1997 (5) Provisions of a governing instrument are given effect as if the killer disclaimed all
1998 provisions revoked by this section or, in the case of a revoked nomination in a fiduciary or
1999 representative capacity, as if the killer predeceased the decedent.
2000 (6) A wrongful acquisition of property or interest by one who kills another under
2001 circumstances not covered by this section shall be treated in accordance with the principle that
2002 one who kills cannot profit from his wrong.
2003 (7) The court, upon the petition of an interested person, shall determine whether, under
2004 the preponderance of evidence standard, the individual has committed a disqualifying homicide
2005 of the decedent. If the court determines that, under that standard, the individual has committed
2006 a disqualifying homicide of the decedent, the determination conclusively establishes that
2007 individual as having committed a disqualifying homicide for purposes of this section, unless
2008 the court finds that the act of disinheritance would create a manifest injustice. A judgment of
2009 criminal conviction for a disqualifying homicide of the decedent, after all direct appeals have
2010 been exhausted, conclusively establishes that the convicted individual has committed the
2011 disqualifying homicide for purposes of this section.

2012 (8) (a) A payor or other third party is not liable for having made a payment or
2013 transferred an item of property or any other benefit to a beneficiary designated in a governing
2014 instrument affected by a disqualifying homicide, or for having taken any other action in good
2015 faith reliance on the validity of the governing instrument, upon request and satisfactory proof of
2016 the decedent's death, before the payor or other third party received written notice of a claimed
2017 forfeiture or revocation under this section. A payor or other third party is liable for a payment
2018 made or other action taken after the payor or other third party received written notice of a
2019 claimed forfeiture or revocation under this section.

2020 (b) Written notice of a claimed forfeiture or revocation under Subsection (8)(a) shall be
2021 mailed to the payor's or other third party's main office or home by registered or certified mail,
2022 return receipt requested, or served upon the payor or other third party in the same manner as a
2023 summons in a civil action. Upon receipt of written notice of a claimed forfeiture or revocation
2024 under this section, a payor or other third party may pay any amount owed or transfer or deposit
2025 any item of property held by it to or with the court having jurisdiction of the probate
2026 proceedings relating to the decedent's estate, or if no proceedings have been commenced, to or
2027 with the court having jurisdiction of probate proceedings relating to the decedent's estates
2028 located in the county of the decedent's residence. The court shall hold the funds or item of
2029 property and, upon its determination under this section, shall order disbursement in accordance
2030 with the determination. Payments, transfers, or deposits made to or with the court discharge
2031 the payor or other third party from all claims for the value of amounts paid to or items of
2032 property transferred to or deposited with the court.

2033 (9) (a) A person who purchases property for value and without notice, or who receives
2034 a payment or other item of property in partial or full satisfaction of a legally enforceable
2035 obligation, is neither obligated under this section to return the payment, item of property, or
2036 benefit nor is liable under this section for the amount of the payment or the value of the item of
2037 property or benefit. But a person who, not for value, receives a payment, item of property, or
2038 any other benefit to which the person is not entitled under this section is obligated to return the
2039 payment, item of property, or benefit, or is personally liable for the amount of the payment or
2040 the value of the item of property or benefit, to the person who is entitled to it under this section.

2041 (b) If this section or any part of this section is preempted by federal law with respect to
2042 a payment, an item of property, or any other benefit covered by this section, a person who, not

2043 for value, receives the payment, item of property, or any other benefit to which the person is
2044 not entitled under this section is obligated to return the payment, item of property, or benefit, or
2045 is personally liable for the amount of the payment or the value of the item of property or
2046 benefit, to the person who would have been entitled to it were this section or part of this section
2047 not preempted.

2048 Section 20. Section **76-5-102.1** is enacted to read:

2049 **76-5-102.1. Negligently operating a vehicle resulting in injury.**

2050 (1) As used in this section:

2051 (a) "Controlled substance" means the same as that term is defined in Section [58-37-2](#).

2052 (b) "Drug" means the same as that term is defined in Section [76-5-207](#).

2053 (c) "Negligent" or "negligence" means the same as that term is defined in Section
2054 [76-5-207](#).

2055 (d) "Vehicle" means the same as that term is defined in Section [41-6a-501](#).

2056 (2) An actor commits negligently operating a vehicle resulting in injury if the actor:

2057 (a) (i) operates a vehicle in a negligent manner causing bodily injury to another; and

2058 (ii) (A) has sufficient alcohol in the actor's body such that a subsequent chemical test
2059 shows that the actor has a blood or breath alcohol concentration of .05 grams or greater at the
2060 time of the test;

2061 (B) is under the influence of alcohol, a drug, or the combined influence of alcohol and
2062 a drug to a degree that renders the actor incapable of safely operating a vehicle; or

2063 (C) has a blood or breath alcohol concentration of .05 grams or greater at the time of
2064 operation; or

2065 (b) (i) operates a vehicle in a criminally negligent manner causing bodily injury to
2066 another; and

2067 (ii) has in the actor's body any measurable amount of a controlled substance.

2068 (3) Except as provided in Subsection (4), a violation of Subsection (2) is:

2069 (a) (i) a class A misdemeanor; or

2070 (ii) a third degree felony if the bodily injury is serious bodily injury; and

2071 (b) a separate offense for each victim suffering bodily injury as a result of the actor's
2072 violation of this section, regardless of whether the injuries arise from the same episode of
2073 driving.

2074 (4) An actor is not guilty of negligently operating a vehicle resulting in injury under
2075 Subsection (2)(b) if:

2076 (a) the controlled substance was obtained under a valid prescription or order, directly
2077 from a practitioner while acting in the course of the practitioner's professional practice, or as
2078 otherwise authorized by Title 58, Occupations and Professions;

2079 (b) the controlled substance is 11-nor-9-carboxy-tetrahydrocannabinol; or

2080 (c) the actor possessed, in the actor's body, a controlled substance listed in Section
2081 58-37-4.2 if:

2082 (i) the actor is the subject of medical research conducted by a holder of a valid license
2083 to possess controlled substances under Section 58-37-6; and

2084 (ii) the substance was administered to the actor by the medical researcher.

2085 (5) (a) A judge imposing a sentence under this section may consider:

2086 (i) the sentencing guidelines developed in accordance with Section 63M-7-404;

2087 (ii) the defendant's history;

2088 (iii) the facts of the case;

2089 (iv) aggravating and mitigating factors; or

2090 (v) any other relevant fact.

2091 (b) The judge may not impose a lesser sentence than would be required for a conviction
2092 based on the defendant's history under Section 41-6a-505.

2093 (c) The standards for chemical breath analysis under Section 41-6a-515 and the
2094 provisions for the admissibility of chemical test results under Section 41-6a-516 apply to
2095 determination and proof of blood alcohol content under this section.

2096 (d) A calculation of blood or breath alcohol concentration under this section shall be
2097 made in accordance with Subsection 41-6a-502(2).

2098 (e) Except as provided in Subsection (4), the fact that an actor charged with violating
2099 this section is or has been legally entitled to use alcohol or a drug is not a defense.

2100 (f) Evidence of a defendant's blood or breath alcohol content or drug content is
2101 admissible except if prohibited by the Utah Rules of Evidence, the United States Constitution,
2102 or the Utah Constitution.

2103 (g) In accordance with Subsection 77-2a-3(8), a guilty or no contest plea to an offense
2104 described in this section may not be held in abeyance.

2105 Section 21. Section **76-5-201** is amended to read:

2106 **76-5-201. Criminal homicide -- Elements -- Designations of offenses -- Exceptions.**

2107 (1) (a) Except as provided in Subsections (3) and (4), a person commits criminal
2108 homicide if the person intentionally, knowingly, recklessly, with criminal negligence, or acting
2109 with a mental state otherwise specified in the statute defining the offense, causes the death of
2110 another human being, including an unborn child at any stage of its development.

2111 (b) There shall be no cause of action for criminal homicide for the death of an unborn
2112 child caused by an abortion, as defined in Section [76-7-301](#).

2113 (2) Criminal homicide is aggravated murder, murder, manslaughter, child abuse
2114 homicide, homicide by assault, negligent homicide, or ~~[automobile homicide]~~ negligently
2115 operating a vehicle resulting in death.

2116 (3) A person is not guilty of criminal homicide of an unborn child if the sole reason for
2117 the death of the unborn child is that the person:

2118 (a) refused to consent to:

2119 (i) medical treatment; or

2120 (ii) a cesarean section; or

2121 (b) failed to follow medical advice.

2122 (4) A woman is not guilty of criminal homicide of her own unborn child if the death of
2123 her unborn child:

2124 (a) is caused by a criminally negligent act or reckless act of the woman; and

2125 (b) is not caused by an intentional or knowing act of the woman.

2126 Section 22. Section **76-5-207** is amended to read:

2127 **76-5-207. Negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death.**

2128 (1) As used in this section:

2129 (a) "Controlled substance" means the same as that term is defined in Section [58-37-2](#).

2130 ~~[(a)]~~ (b) "Drug" ~~[or "drugs"]~~ means:

2131 (i) a controlled substance ~~[as defined in Section [58-37-2](#)]~~;

2132 (ii) a drug as defined in Section ~~[[58-17b-102](#)]~~ [58-37-2](#); or

2133 (iii) ~~[any]~~ a substance that, when knowingly, intentionally, or recklessly taken into the
2134 human body, can impair the ability of a person to safely operate a ~~[motor]~~ vehicle.

2135 ~~[(b) "Motor vehicle" means any self-propelled vehicle and includes any automobile,~~

2136 ~~truck, van, motorcycle, train, engine, watercraft, or aircraft.]~~

2137 ~~[(2) (a) Criminal homicide is automobile homicide, a third degree felony, if the person]~~

2138 ~~(c) "Negligent" or "negligence" means simple negligence, the failure to exercise that~~
2139 ~~degree of care that reasonable and prudent persons exercise under like or similar circumstances.~~

2140 ~~(d) "Vehicle" means the same as that term is defined in Section [41-6a-501](#).~~

2141 ~~(2) An actor commits negligently operating a vehicle resulting in death if the actor:~~

2142 ~~(a) (i) operates a [motor] vehicle in a negligent manner causing the death of another~~
2143 ~~[and:];~~

2144 ~~[(i) (ii) (A) has sufficient alcohol in [his] the actor's body such that a subsequent~~
2145 ~~chemical test shows that the [person] actor has a blood or breath alcohol concentration of .05~~
2146 ~~grams or greater at the time of the test;~~

2147 ~~[(ii) (B) is under the influence of alcohol, any drug, or the combined influence of~~
2148 ~~alcohol and any drug to a degree that renders the [person] actor incapable of safely operating a~~
2149 ~~vehicle; or~~

2150 ~~[(iii) (C) has a blood or breath alcohol concentration of .05 grams or greater at the~~
2151 ~~time of operation[:]; or~~

2152 ~~(b) (i) operates a vehicle in a criminally negligent manner causing death to another; and~~
2153 ~~(ii) has in the actor's body any measurable amount of a controlled substance.~~

2154 ~~[(b) A conviction for a violation of this Subsection (2) is a second degree felony if it is~~
2155 ~~subsequent to a conviction as defined in Subsection [41-6a-501\(2\)](#).]~~

2156 ~~[(c) As used in this Subsection (2), "negligent" means simple negligence, the failure to~~
2157 ~~exercise that degree of care that reasonable and prudent persons exercise under like or similar~~
2158 ~~circumstances.]~~

2159 ~~[(3) (a) Criminal homicide is automobile homicide, a second degree felony, if the~~
2160 ~~person operates a motor vehicle in a criminally negligent manner causing the death of another~~
2161 ~~and:]~~

2162 ~~[(i) has sufficient alcohol in his body that a subsequent chemical test shows that the~~
2163 ~~person has a blood or breath alcohol concentration of .05 grams or greater at the time of the~~
2164 ~~test;]~~

2165 ~~[(ii) is under the influence of alcohol, any drug, or the combined influence of alcohol~~
2166 ~~and any drug to a degree that renders the person incapable of safely operating a vehicle; or]~~

2167 ~~[(iii) has a blood or breath alcohol concentration of .05 grams or greater at the time of~~
2168 ~~operation.]~~

2169 ~~[(b) As used in this Subsection (3), "criminally negligent" means criminal negligence~~
2170 ~~as defined by Subsection [76-2-103](#)(4).]~~

2171 (3) Except as provided in Subsection (4), an actor who violates Subsection (2) is guilty
2172 of:

2173 (a) a second degree felony; and

2174 (b) a separate offense for each victim suffering death as a result of the actor's violation
2175 of this section, regardless of whether the deaths arise from the same episode of driving.

2176 (4) An actor is not guilty of a violation of negligently operating a vehicle resulting in
2177 death under Subsection (2)(b) if:

2178 (a) the controlled substance was obtained under a valid prescription or order, directly
2179 from a practitioner while acting in the course of the practitioner's professional practice, or as
2180 otherwise authorized by Title 58, Occupations and Professions;

2181 (b) the controlled substance is 11-nor-9-carboxy-tetrahydrocannabinol; or

2182 (c) the actor possessed, in the actor's body, a controlled substance listed in Section
2183 [58-37-4.2](#) if:

2184 (i) the actor is the subject of medical research conducted by a holder of a valid license
2185 to possess controlled substances under Section [58-37-6](#); and

2186 (ii) the substance was administered to the actor by the medical researcher.

2187 (5) (a) A judge imposing a sentence under this section may consider:

2188 (i) the sentencing guidelines developed in accordance with Section [63M-7-404](#);

2189 (ii) the defendant's history;

2190 (iii) the facts of the case;

2191 (iv) aggravating and mitigating factors; or

2192 (v) any other relevant fact.

2193 (b) The judge may not impose a lesser sentence than would be required for a conviction
2194 based on the defendant's history under Section [41-6a-505](#).

2195 ~~[(4)]~~ (c) The standards for chemical breath analysis as provided by Section [41-6a-515](#)
2196 and the provisions for the admissibility of chemical test results as provided by Section
2197 [41-6a-516](#) apply to determination and proof of blood alcohol content under this section.

2198 ~~[(5)]~~ (d) ~~[Calculations]~~ A calculation of blood or breath alcohol concentration under
2199 this section shall be made in accordance with Subsection ~~41-6a-502~~~~[(+)]~~(2).

2200 ~~[(6)]~~ (e) ~~[The]~~ Except as provided in Subsection (4), the fact that [a person] an actor
2201 charged with violating this section is or has been legally entitled to use alcohol or a drug is not
2202 a defense.

2203 ~~[(7)]~~ (f) Evidence of a defendant's blood or breath alcohol content or drug content is
2204 admissible except when prohibited by the Utah Rules of Evidence ~~[or the constitution]~~, the
2205 United States Constitution, or the Utah Constitution.

2206 (g) In accordance with Subsection 77-2a-3(8), a guilty or no contest plea to an offense
2207 described in this section may not be held in abeyance.

2208 ~~[(8) A person is guilty of a separate offense for each victim suffering bodily injury or~~
2209 ~~serious bodily injury as a result of the person's violation of Section 41-6a-502 or death as a~~
2210 ~~result of the person's violation of this section whether or not the injuries arise from the same~~
2211 ~~episode of driving.]~~

2212 Section 23. Section ~~77-2a-3~~ is amended to read:

2213 **77-2a-3. Manner of entry of plea -- Powers of court.**

2214 (1) (a) Acceptance of any plea in anticipation of a plea in abeyance agreement shall be
2215 done in full compliance with the Utah Rules of Criminal Procedure, Rule 11.

2216 (b) In cases charging offenses for which bail may be forfeited, a plea in abeyance
2217 agreement may be entered into without a personal appearance before a magistrate.

2218 (2) A plea in abeyance agreement may provide that the court may, upon finding that the
2219 defendant has successfully completed the terms of the agreement:

2220 (a) reduce the degree of the offense and enter judgment of conviction and impose
2221 sentence for a lower degree of offense; or

2222 (b) allow withdrawal of defendant's plea and order the dismissal of the case.

2223 (3) (a) Upon finding that a defendant has successfully completed the terms of a plea in
2224 abeyance agreement, the court may reduce the degree of the offense or dismiss the case only as
2225 provided in the plea in abeyance agreement or as agreed to by all parties.

2226 (b) Upon sentencing a defendant for any lesser offense in accordance with a plea in
2227 abeyance agreement, the court may not invoke Section ~~76-3-402~~ to further reduce the degree of
2228 the offense.

2229 (4) The court may require the Department of Corrections to assist in the administration
2230 of the plea in abeyance agreement as if the defendant were on probation to the court under
2231 Section 77-18-105.

2232 (5) The terms of a plea in abeyance agreement may include:

2233 (a) an order that the defendant pay a nonrefundable plea in abeyance fee, with a
2234 surcharge based on the amount of the plea in abeyance fee, both of which shall be allocated in
2235 the same manner as if paid as a fine for a criminal conviction under Section 78A-5-110 and a
2236 surcharge under Title 51, Chapter 9, Part 4, Criminal Conviction Surcharge Allocation, and
2237 which may not exceed in amount the maximum fine and surcharge which could have been
2238 imposed upon conviction and sentencing for the same offense;

2239 (b) an order that the defendant pay the costs of any remedial or rehabilitative program
2240 required by the terms of the agreement; and

2241 (c) an order that the defendant comply with any other conditions that could have been
2242 imposed as conditions of probation upon conviction and sentencing for the same offense.

2243 (6) (a) The terms of a plea in abeyance shall include an order for a specific amount of
2244 restitution that the defendant will pay, as agreed to by the defendant and the prosecuting
2245 attorney, unless the prosecuting attorney certifies that:

2246 (i) the prosecuting attorney has consulted with all victims, including the Utah Office
2247 for Victims of Crime; and

2248 (ii) the defendant does not owe any restitution.

2249 (b) The court shall collect, receive, process, and distribute payments for restitution to
2250 the victim, unless otherwise provided by law or by the plea in abeyance agreement.

2251 (c) If the defendant does not successfully complete the terms of the plea in abeyance,
2252 the court shall enter an order for restitution, in accordance with Title 77, Chapter 38b, Crime
2253 Victims Restitution Act, upon entering a sentence for the defendant.

2254 (7) (a) A court may not hold a plea in abeyance without the consent of both the
2255 prosecuting attorney and the defendant.

2256 (b) A decision by a prosecuting attorney not to agree to a plea in abeyance is final.

2257 (8) No plea may be held in abeyance in any case involving:

2258 (a) a sexual offense against a victim who is under 14 years old[-]; or

2259 (9) (b) ~~[No plea may be held in abeyance in any case involving]~~ a driving under the

2260 influence violation under Section [41-6a-502](#), [41-6a-502.5](#), [41-6a-517](#), [or] [41-6a-520](#),
2261 [76-5-102.1](#), or [76-5-207](#).

2262 Section 24. Section **77-40-102** is amended to read:

2263 **77-40-102. Definitions.**

2264 As used in this chapter:

2265 (1) "Administrative finding" means a decision upon a question of fact reached by an
2266 administrative agency following an administrative hearing or other procedure satisfying the
2267 requirements of due process.

2268 (2) "Agency" means a state, county, or local government entity that generates or
2269 maintains records relating to an investigation, arrest, detention, or conviction for an offense for
2270 which expungement may be ordered.

2271 (3) "Bureau" means the Bureau of Criminal Identification of the Department of Public
2272 Safety established in Section [53-10-201](#).

2273 (4) "Certificate of eligibility" means a document issued by the bureau stating that the
2274 criminal record and all records of arrest, investigation, and detention associated with a case that
2275 is the subject of a petition for expungement is eligible for expungement.

2276 (5) (a) "Clean slate eligible case" means a case:

2277 (i) where, except as provided in Subsection (5)(c), each conviction within the case is:

2278 (A) a misdemeanor conviction for possession of a controlled substance in violation of
2279 Subsection [58-37-8\(2\)\(a\)\(i\)](#);

2280 (B) a class B or class C misdemeanor conviction; or

2281 (C) an infraction conviction;

2282 (ii) that involves an individual:

2283 (A) whose total number of convictions in Utah state courts, not including infractions,
2284 traffic offenses, or minor regulatory offenses, does not exceed the limits described in

2285 Subsections [77-40-105\(6\)](#) and (7) without taking into consideration the exception in Subsection
2286 [77-40-105\(9\)](#); and

2287 (B) against whom no criminal proceedings are pending in the state; and

2288 (iii) for which the following time periods have elapsed from the day on which the case
2289 is adjudicated:

2290 (A) at least five years for a class C misdemeanor or an infraction;

- 2291 (B) at least six years for a class B misdemeanor; and
- 2292 (C) at least seven years for a class A conviction for possession of a controlled
- 2293 substance in violation of Subsection 58-37-8(2)(a)(i).
- 2294 (b) "Clean slate eligible case" includes a case that is dismissed as a result of a
- 2295 successful completion of a plea in abeyance agreement governed by Subsection 77-2a-3(2)(b)
- 2296 if:
- 2297 (i) except as provided in Subsection (5)(c), each charge within the case is:
- 2298 (A) a misdemeanor for possession of a controlled substance in violation of Subsection
- 2299 58-37-8(2)(a)(i);
- 2300 (B) a class B or class C misdemeanor; or
- 2301 (C) an infraction;
- 2302 (ii) the individual involved meets the requirements of Subsection (5)(a)(ii); and
- 2303 (iii) the time periods described in Subsections (5)(a)(iii)(A) through (C) have elapsed
- 2304 from the day on which the case is dismissed.
- 2305 (c) "Clean slate eligible case" does not include a case:
- 2306 (i) where the individual is found not guilty by reason of insanity;
- 2307 (ii) where the case establishes a criminal accounts receivable, as defined in Section
- 2308 77-32b-102, that:
- 2309 (A) has been entered as a civil accounts receivable or a civil judgment of restitution, as
- 2310 those terms are defined in Section 77-32b-102, and transferred to the Office of State Debt
- 2311 Collection under Section 77-18-114; or
- 2312 (B) has not been satisfied according to court records; or
- 2313 (iii) that resulted in one or more pleas held in abeyance or convictions for the following
- 2314 offenses:
- 2315 (A) any of the offenses listed in Subsection 77-40-105(2)(a);
- 2316 (B) an offense against the person in violation of Title 76, Chapter 5, Offenses Against
- 2317 the Person;
- 2318 (C) a weapons offense in violation of Title 76, Chapter 10, Part 5, Weapons;
- 2319 (D) sexual battery in violation of Section 76-9-702.1;
- 2320 (E) an act of lewdness in violation of Section 76-9-702 or 76-9-702.5;
- 2321 (F) an offense in violation of Title 41, Chapter 6a, Part 5, Driving Under the Influence

2322 and Reckless Driving;

2323 (G) damage to or interruption of a communication device in violation of Section
2324 76-6-108;

2325 (H) a domestic violence offense as defined in Section 77-36-1; or

2326 (I) any other offense classified in the Utah Code as a felony or a class A misdemeanor
2327 other than a class A misdemeanor conviction for possession of a controlled substance in
2328 violation of Subsection 58-37-8(2)(a)(i).

2329 (6) "Conviction" means judgment by a criminal court on a verdict or finding of guilty
2330 after trial, a plea of guilty, or a plea of nolo contendere.

2331 (7) "Department" means the Department of Public Safety established in Section
2332 53-1-103.

2333 (8) "Drug possession offense" means an offense under:

2334 (a) Subsection 58-37-8(2), except any offense under Subsection 58-37-8(2)(b)(i),
2335 possession of 100 pounds or more of marijuana, or any offense enhanced under Subsection
2336 58-37-8(2)(e), violation in a correctional facility [~~or Subsection 58-37-8(2)(g), driving with a~~
2337 ~~controlled substance illegally in the person's body and negligently causing serious bodily injury~~
2338 ~~or death of another~~];

2339 (b) Subsection 58-37a-5(1), use or possession of drug paraphernalia;

2340 (c) Section 58-37b-6, possession or use of an imitation controlled substance; or

2341 (d) any local ordinance which is substantially similar to any of the offenses described
2342 in this Subsection (8).

2343 (9) "Expunge" means to seal or otherwise restrict access to the individual's record held
2344 by an agency when the record includes a criminal investigation, detention, arrest, or conviction.

2345 (10) "Jurisdiction" means a state, district, province, political subdivision, territory, or
2346 possession of the United States or any foreign country.

2347 (11) "Minor regulatory offense" means any class B or C misdemeanor offense, and any
2348 local ordinance, except:

2349 (a) any drug possession offense;

2350 (b) Title 41, Chapter 6a, Part 5, Driving Under the Influence and Reckless Driving;

2351 (c) Sections 73-18-13 through 73-18-13.6;

2352 (d) those offenses defined in Title 76, Utah Criminal Code; or

- 2353 (e) any local ordinance that is substantially similar to those offenses listed in
 2354 Subsections (11)(a) through (d).
- 2355 (12) "Petitioner" means an individual applying for expungement under this chapter.
- 2356 (13) (a) "Traffic offense" means:
- 2357 (i) all infractions, class B misdemeanors, and class C misdemeanors in Title 41,
 2358 Chapter 6a, Traffic Code;
- 2359 (ii) Title 53, Chapter 3, Part 2, Driver Licensing Act;
- 2360 (iii) Title 73, Chapter 18, State Boating Act; and
- 2361 (iv) all local ordinances that are substantially similar to those offenses.
- 2362 (b) "Traffic offense" does not mean:
- 2363 (i) Title 41, Chapter 6a, Part 5, Driving Under the Influence and Reckless Driving;
- 2364 (ii) Sections 73-18-13 through 73-18-13.6; or
- 2365 (iii) any local ordinance that is substantially similar to the offenses listed in
 2366 Subsections (13)(b)(i) and (ii).
- 2367 Section 25. Section 77-40-105 is amended to read:
- 2368 **77-40-105. Requirements to apply for a certificate of eligibility to expunge**
 2369 **conviction.**
- 2370 (1) An individual convicted of an offense may apply to the bureau for a certificate of
 2371 eligibility to expunge the record of conviction as provided in this section.
- 2372 (2) Except as provided in Subsection (3), an individual is not eligible to receive a
 2373 certificate of eligibility from the bureau if:
- 2374 (a) the conviction for which expungement is sought is:
- 2375 (i) a capital felony;
- 2376 (ii) a first degree felony;
- 2377 (iii) a violent felony as defined in Subsection 76-3-203.5(1)(c)(i);
- 2378 [~~(iv) felony automobile homicide;~~]
- 2379 [~~(v)~~] (iv) a felony conviction described in Subsection 41-6a-501(2);
- 2380 [~~(vi)~~] (v) a registerable sex offense as defined in Subsection 77-41-102(17); or
- 2381 [~~(vii)~~] (vi) a registerable child abuse offense as defined in Subsection 77-43-102(2);
- 2382 (b) a criminal proceeding is pending against the petitioner; or
- 2383 (c) the petitioner intentionally or knowingly provides false or misleading information

2384 on the application for a certificate of eligibility.

2385 (3) The eligibility limitation described in Subsection (2) does not apply in relation to a
2386 conviction for a qualifying sexual offense, as defined in Subsection 76-3-209(1), if, at the time
2387 of the offense, the individual who committed the offense was at least 14 years old, but under 18
2388 years old, unless the conviction occurred in district court after the individual was:

2389 (a) charged by criminal information under Section 80-6-502 or 80-6-503; and

2390 (b) bound over to district court under Section 80-6-504.

2391 (4) A petitioner seeking to obtain expungement for a record of conviction is not
2392 eligible to receive a certificate of eligibility from the bureau until all of the following have
2393 occurred:

2394 (a) the petitioner has paid in full all fines and interest ordered by the court related to the
2395 conviction for which expungement is sought;

2396 (b) the petitioner has paid in full all restitution ordered by the court under Section
2397 77-38b-205; and

2398 (c) the following time periods have elapsed from the date the petitioner was convicted
2399 or released from incarceration, parole, or probation, whichever occurred last, for each
2400 conviction the petitioner seeks to expunge:

2401 (i) 10 years in the case of a misdemeanor conviction of Subsection 41-6a-501(2) or [a
2402 ~~felony conviction of Subsection 58-37-8(2)(g)] Section 76-5-102.1;~~

2403 (ii) seven years in the case of a felony;

2404 (iii) five years in the case of any class A misdemeanor or a felony drug possession
2405 offense;

2406 (iv) four years in the case of a class B misdemeanor; or

2407 (v) three years in the case of any other misdemeanor or infraction.

2408 (5) When determining whether to issue a certificate of eligibility, the bureau may not
2409 consider:

2410 (a) a petitioner's pending or previous:

2411 (i) infraction;

2412 (ii) traffic offense;

2413 (iii) minor regulatory offense; or

2414 (iv) clean slate eligible case that was automatically expunged in accordance with

2415 Section 77-40-114; or

2416 (b) a fine or fee related to an offense described in Subsection (5)(a).

2417 (6) The bureau may not issue a certificate of eligibility if, at the time the petitioner
2418 seeks a certificate of eligibility, the bureau determines that the petitioner's criminal history,
2419 including previously expunged convictions, contains any of the following, except as provided
2420 in Subsection (9):

2421 (a) two or more felony convictions other than for drug possession offenses, each of
2422 which is contained in a separate criminal episode;

2423 (b) any combination of three or more convictions other than for drug possession
2424 offenses that include two class A misdemeanor convictions, each of which is contained in a
2425 separate criminal episode;

2426 (c) any combination of four or more convictions other than for drug possession
2427 offenses that include three class B misdemeanor convictions, each of which is contained in a
2428 separate criminal episode; or

2429 (d) five or more convictions other than for drug possession offenses of any degree
2430 whether misdemeanor or felony, each of which is contained in a separate criminal episode.

2431 (7) The bureau may not issue a certificate of eligibility if, at the time the petitioner
2432 seeks a certificate of eligibility, the bureau determines that the petitioner's criminal history,
2433 including previously expunged convictions, contains any of the following:

2434 (a) three or more felony convictions for drug possession offenses, each of which is
2435 contained in a separate criminal episode; or

2436 (b) any combination of five or more convictions for drug possession offenses, each of
2437 which is contained in a separate criminal episode.

2438 (8) If the petitioner's criminal history contains convictions for both a drug possession
2439 offense and a non drug possession offense arising from the same criminal episode, that criminal
2440 episode shall be counted as provided in Subsection (6) if any non drug possession offense in
2441 that episode:

2442 (a) is a felony or class A misdemeanor; or

2443 (b) has the same or a longer waiting period under Subsection (4) than any drug
2444 possession offense in that episode.

2445 (9) If at least 10 years have elapsed from the date the petitioner was convicted or

2446 released from incarceration, parole, or probation, whichever occurred last, for all convictions,
2447 then each eligibility limit defined in Subsection (6) shall be increased by one.

2448 (10) If, prior to May 14, 2013, the petitioner has received a pardon from the Utah
2449 Board of Pardons and Parole, the petitioner is entitled to an expungement order for all
2450 pardoned crimes pursuant to Section 77-27-5.1.

2451 Section 26. Section 78B-9-402 is amended to read:

2452 **78B-9-402. Petition for determination of factual innocence -- Sufficient**
2453 **allegations -- Notification of victim -- Payment to surviving spouse.**

2454 (1) A person who has been convicted of a felony offense may petition the district court
2455 in the county in which the person was convicted for a hearing to establish that the person is
2456 factually innocent of the crime or crimes of which the person was convicted.

2457 (2) (a) The petition shall contain an assertion of factual innocence under oath by the
2458 petitioner and shall aver, with supporting affidavits or other credible documents, that:

2459 (i) newly discovered material evidence exists that, if credible, establishes that the
2460 petitioner is factually innocent;

2461 (ii) the specific evidence identified by the petitioner in the petition establishes
2462 innocence;

2463 (iii) the material evidence is not merely cumulative of evidence that was known;

2464 (iv) the material evidence is not merely impeachment evidence; and

2465 (v) viewed with all the other evidence, the newly discovered evidence demonstrates
2466 that the petitioner is factually innocent.

2467 (b) (i) The court shall review the petition in accordance with the procedures in
2468 Subsection (9)(b), and make a finding that the petition has satisfied the requirements of
2469 Subsection (2)(a).

2470 (ii) If the court finds the petition does not meet all the requirements of Subsection
2471 (2)(a), the court shall dismiss the petition without prejudice and send notice of the dismissal to
2472 the petitioner and the attorney general.

2473 (3) (a) The petition shall also contain an averment that:

2474 (i) neither the petitioner nor the petitioner's counsel knew of the evidence at the time of
2475 trial or sentencing or in time to include the evidence in any previously filed post-trial motion or
2476 postconviction motion, and the evidence could not have been discovered by the petitioner or

2477 the petitioner's counsel through the exercise of reasonable diligence; or

2478 (ii) a court has found ineffective assistance of counsel for failing to exercise reasonable
2479 diligence in uncovering the evidence.

2480 (b) (i) Upon entry of a finding that the petition is sufficient under Subsection (2)(a), the
2481 court shall then review the petition to determine if Subsection (3)(a) has been satisfied.

2482 (ii) If the court finds that the requirements of Subsection (3)(a) have not been satisfied,
2483 the court may dismiss the petition without prejudice and give notice to the petitioner and the
2484 attorney general of the dismissal, or the court may waive the requirements of Subsection (3)(a)
2485 if the court finds the petition should proceed to hearing based upon the strength of the petition,
2486 and that there is other evidence that could have been discovered through the exercise of
2487 reasonable diligence by the petitioner or the petitioner's counsel at trial, and the other evidence:

2488 (A) was not discovered by the petitioner or the petitioner's counsel;

2489 (B) is material upon the issue of factual innocence; and

2490 (C) has never been presented to a court.

2491 (4) (a) If the conviction for which the petitioner asserts factual innocence was based
2492 upon a plea of guilty, the petition shall contain the specific nature and content of the evidence
2493 that establishes factual innocence.

2494 (b) The court shall review the evidence and may dismiss the petition at any time in the
2495 course of the proceedings, if the court finds that the evidence of factual innocence relies solely
2496 upon the recantation of testimony or prior statements made by a witness against the petitioner,
2497 and the recantation appears to the court to be equivocal or self serving.

2498 (5) A person who has already obtained postconviction relief that vacated or reversed
2499 the person's conviction or sentence may also file a petition under this part in the same manner
2500 and form as described above, if no retrial or appeal regarding this offense is pending.

2501 (6) If some or all of the evidence alleged to be exonerating is biological evidence
2502 subject to DNA testing, the petitioner shall seek DNA testing in accordance with Section
2503 [78B-9-301](#).

2504 (7) Except as provided in Subsection (9), the petition and all subsequent proceedings
2505 shall be in compliance with and governed by Utah Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 65C and
2506 shall include the underlying criminal case number.

2507 (8) After a petition is filed under this section, prosecutors, law enforcement officers,

2508 and crime laboratory personnel shall cooperate in preserving evidence and in determining the
2509 sufficiency of the chain of custody of the evidence which is the subject of the petition.

2510 (9) (a) A person who files a petition under this section shall serve notice of the petition
2511 and a copy of the petition upon the office of the prosecutor who obtained the conviction and
2512 upon the Utah attorney general.

2513 (b) (i) The assigned judge shall conduct an initial review of the petition.

2514 (ii) If it is apparent to the court that the petitioner is either merely relitigating facts,
2515 issues, or evidence presented in previous proceedings or presenting issues that appear frivolous
2516 or speculative on their face, the court shall dismiss the petition, state the basis for the dismissal,
2517 and serve notice of dismissal upon the petitioner and the attorney general.

2518 (iii) If, upon completion of the initial review, the court does not dismiss the petition,
2519 the court shall order the attorney general to file a response to the petition.

2520 (iv) The attorney general shall, within 30 days after the day on which the attorney
2521 general receives the court's order, or within any additional period of time the court allows,
2522 answer or otherwise respond to all proceedings initiated under this part.

2523 (c) (i) After the time for response by the attorney general under Subsection (9)(b) has
2524 passed, the court shall order a hearing if the court finds the petition meets the requirements of
2525 Subsections (2) and (3) and finds there is a bona fide and compelling issue of factual innocence
2526 regarding the charges of which the petitioner was convicted.

2527 (ii) No bona fide and compelling issue of factual innocence exists if the petitioner is
2528 merely relitigating facts, issues, or evidence presented in a previous proceeding or if the
2529 petitioner is unable to identify with sufficient specificity the nature and reliability of the newly
2530 discovered evidence that establishes the petitioner's factual innocence.

2531 (d) (i) If the parties stipulate that the evidence establishes that the petitioner is factually
2532 innocent, the court may find the petitioner is factually innocent without holding a hearing.

2533 (ii) If the state will not stipulate that the evidence establishes that the petitioner is
2534 factually innocent, no determination of factual innocence may be made by the court without
2535 first holding a hearing under this part.

2536 (10) The court may not grant a petition for a hearing under this part during the period
2537 in which criminal proceedings in the matter are pending before any trial or appellate court,
2538 unless stipulated to by the parties.

2539 (11) Any victim of a crime that is the subject of a petition under this part, and who has
2540 elected to receive notice under Section 77-38-3, shall be notified by the state's attorney of any
2541 hearing regarding the petition.

2542 (12) (a) A petition to determine factual innocence under this part, or Part 3,
2543 Postconviction Testing of DNA, shall be filed separately from any petition for postconviction
2544 relief under Part 1, General Provisions.

2545 (b) Separate petitions may be filed simultaneously in the same court.

2546 (13) The procedures governing the filing and adjudication of a petition to determine
2547 factual innocence apply to all petitions currently filed or pending in the district court and any
2548 new petitions filed on or after June 1, 2012.

2549 (14) (a) As used in this Subsection (14) and in Subsection (15):

2550 (i) "Married" means the legal marital relationship established between two individuals
2551 and as recognized by the law; and

2552 (ii) "Spouse" means an individual married to the petitioner at the time the petitioner
2553 was found guilty of the offense regarding which a petition is filed and who has since then been
2554 continuously married to the petitioner until the petitioner's death.

2555 (b) A claim for determination of factual innocence under this part is not extinguished
2556 upon the death of the petitioner.

2557 (c) (i) If any payments are already being made to the petitioner under this part at the
2558 time of the death of the petitioner, or if the finding of factual innocence occurs after the death
2559 of the petitioner, the payments due under Section 78B-9-405 shall be paid in accordance with
2560 Section 78B-9-405 to the petitioner's surviving spouse.

2561 (ii) Payments cease upon the death of the spouse.

2562 (15) The spouse under Subsection (14) forfeits all rights to receive any payment under
2563 this part if the spouse is charged with a homicide established by a preponderance of the
2564 evidence that meets the elements of any felony homicide offense in Title 76, Chapter 5,
2565 Offenses Against the Person, except [~~automobile homicide~~] negligently operating a vehicle
2566 resulting in death under Section 76-5-207, applying the same principles of culpability and
2567 defenses as in Title 76, Utah Criminal Code, including Title 76, Chapter 2, Principles of
2568 Criminal Responsibility.

2569 Section 27. Section 80-6-707 is amended to read:

2570 **80-6-707. Suspension of driving privileges.**

2571 (1) This section applies to a minor who:

2572 (a) at the time that the minor is adjudicated under Section 80-6-701, is at least the age
2573 eligible for a driver license under Section 53-3-204; and

2574 (b) is found by the juvenile court to be in actual physical control of a motor vehicle
2575 during the commission of the offense for which the minor is adjudicated.

2576 (2) (a) Except as otherwise provided by this section, if a minor is adjudicated for a
2577 violation of a traffic law by the juvenile court under Section 80-6-701, the juvenile court may:

2578 (i) suspend the minor's driving privileges; and

2579 (ii) take possession of the minor's driver license.

2580 (b) The juvenile court may order any other eligible disposition under Subsection (1),
2581 except for a disposition under Section 80-6-703 or 80-6-705.

2582 (c) If a juvenile court suspends a minor's driving privileges under Subsection (2)(a):

2583 (i) the juvenile court shall prepare and send the order to the Driver License Division of
2584 the Department of Public Safety; and

2585 (ii) the minor's license shall be suspended under Section 53-3-219.

2586 (3) The juvenile court may reduce a suspension period imposed under Section
2587 53-3-219 if:

2588 (a) (i) the violation is the minor's first violation of:

2589 (A) Section 32B-4-409;

2590 (B) Section 32B-4-410;

2591 (C) Section 58-37-8;

2592 (D) Title 58, Chapter 37a, Utah Drug Paraphernalia Act;

2593 (E) Title 58, Chapter 37b, Imitation Controlled Substances Act; ~~or~~

2594 (F) Subsection 76-5-102.1(2)(b);

2595 (G) Subsection 76-5-207(2)(b); or

2596 ~~(F)~~ (H) Subsection 76-9-701(1); and

2597 (ii) (A) the minor completes an educational series as defined in Section 41-6a-501; or

2598 (B) the minor demonstrates substantial progress in substance use disorder treatment; or

2599 (b) (i) the violation is the minor's second or subsequent violation of:

2600 (A) Section 32B-4-409;

- 2601 (B) Section [32B-4-410](#);
- 2602 (C) Section [58-37-8](#);
- 2603 (D) Title 58, Chapter 37a, Utah Drug Paraphernalia Act;
- 2604 (E) Title 58, Chapter 37b, Imitation Controlled Substances Act; ~~[or]~~
- 2605 (F) Subsection [76-5-102.1\(2\)\(b\)](#);
- 2606 (G) Subsection [76-5-207\(2\)\(b\)](#); or
- 2607 ~~[(F)]~~ (H) Subsection [76-9-701\(1\)](#);
- 2608 (ii) the minor has completed an educational series as defined in Section [41-6a-501](#) or
- 2609 demonstrated substantial progress in substance use disorder treatment; and
- 2610 (iii) (A) the minor is 18 years old or older and provides a sworn statement to the
- 2611 juvenile court that the minor has not unlawfully consumed alcohol or drugs for at least a
- 2612 one-year consecutive period during the suspension period imposed under Section [53-3-219](#); or
- 2613 (B) the minor is under 18 years old and the minor's parent or legal guardian provides an
- 2614 affidavit or sworn statement to the juvenile court certifying that to the parent or guardian's
- 2615 knowledge the minor has not unlawfully consumed alcohol or drugs for at least a one-year
- 2616 consecutive period during the suspension period imposed under Section [53-3-219](#).
- 2617 (4) (a) If a minor is adjudicated under Section [80-6-701](#) for a proof of age violation, as
- 2618 defined in Section [32B-4-411](#):
- 2619 (i) the juvenile court may forward a record of adjudication to the Department of Public
- 2620 Safety for a first or subsequent violation; and
- 2621 (ii) the minor's driving privileges will be suspended:
- 2622 (A) for a period of at least one year under Section [53-3-220](#) for a first conviction for a
- 2623 violation of Section [32B-4-411](#); or
- 2624 (B) for a period of two years for a second or subsequent conviction for a violation of
- 2625 Section [32B-4-411](#).
- 2626 (b) The juvenile court may reduce the suspension period imposed under Subsection
- 2627 (4)(a)(ii)(A) if:
- 2628 (i) the violation is the minor's first violation of Section [32B-4-411](#); and
- 2629 (ii) (A) the minor completes an educational series as defined in Section [41-6a-501](#); or
- 2630 (B) the minor demonstrates substantial progress in substance use disorder treatment.
- 2631 (c) The juvenile court may reduce the suspension period imposed under Subsection

2632 (4)(a)(ii)(B) if:

2633 (i) the violation is the minor's second or subsequent violation of Section 32B-4-411;

2634 (ii) the minor has completed an educational series as defined in Section 41-6a-501 or
2635 demonstrated substantial progress in substance use disorder treatment; and

2636 (iii) (A) the minor is 18 years old or older and provides a sworn statement to the court
2637 that the minor has not unlawfully consumed alcohol or drugs for at least a one-year consecutive
2638 period during the suspension period imposed under Subsection (4)(a)(ii)(B); or

2639 (B) the minor is under 18 years old and has the minor's parent or guardian provide an
2640 affidavit or sworn statement to the court certifying that to the parent or guardian's knowledge
2641 the minor has not unlawfully consumed alcohol or drugs for at least a one-year consecutive
2642 period during the suspension period imposed under Subsection (4)(a)(ii)(B).

2643 (5) When the Department of Public Safety receives the arrest or conviction record of a
2644 minor for a driving offense committed while the minor's license is suspended under this
2645 section, the Department of Public Safety shall extend the suspension for a like period of time.

2646 Section 28. Section 80-6-712 is amended to read:

2647 **80-6-712. Time periods for supervision of probation or placement -- Termination**
2648 **of continuing jurisdiction.**

2649 (1) If the juvenile court places a minor on probation under Section 80-6-702, the
2650 juvenile court shall establish a period of time for supervision for the minor that is:

2651 (a) if the minor is placed on intake probation, no more than three months; or

2652 (b) if the minor is placed on formal probation, from four to six months, but may not
2653 exceed six months.

2654 (2) (a) If the juvenile court commits a minor to the division under Section 80-6-703,
2655 and the minor's case is under the jurisdiction of the court, the juvenile court shall establish:

2656 (i) for a minor placed out of the home, a period of custody from three to six months,
2657 but may not exceed six months; and

2658 (ii) for aftercare services if the minor was placed out of the home, a period of
2659 supervision from three to four months, but may not exceed four months.

2660 (b) A minor may be supervised for aftercare under Subsection (2)(a)(ii) in the home of
2661 a qualifying relative or guardian, or at an independent living program contracted or operated by
2662 the division.

- 2663 (3) If the juvenile court orders a minor to secure care, the authority shall:
- 2664 (a) have jurisdiction over the minor's case; and
- 2665 (b) apply the provisions of Part 8, Commitment and Parole.
- 2666 (4) (a) In accordance with Section 80-6-711 and Subsections (1) and (2), the juvenile
- 2667 court shall terminate continuing jurisdiction over a minor's case at the end of the time period
- 2668 described in Subsection (1) for probation, or Subsection (2) for commitment to the division,
- 2669 unless:
- 2670 (i) termination would interrupt the completion of the treatment program determined to
- 2671 be necessary by the results of a validated risk and needs assessment under Section 80-6-606;
- 2672 (ii) the minor commits a new misdemeanor or felony offense;
- 2673 (iii) community or compensatory service hours have not been completed;
- 2674 (iv) there is an outstanding fine; or
- 2675 (v) there is a failure to pay restitution in full.
- 2676 (b) The juvenile court shall determine whether a minor has completed a treatment
- 2677 program under Subsection (4)(a)(i) by considering:
- 2678 (i) the recommendations of the licensed service provider for the treatment program;
- 2679 (ii) the minor's record in the treatment program; and
- 2680 (iii) the minor's completion of the goals of the treatment program.
- 2681 (5) Subject to Subsection (8), if one of the circumstances under Subsection (4) exists
- 2682 the juvenile court may extend supervision for the time needed to address the specific
- 2683 circumstance.
- 2684 (6) If a circumstance under Subsection (4)(a)(iii), (iv), or (v) exists, the juvenile court
- 2685 may extend supervision for no more than three months.
- 2686 (7) If the juvenile court extends supervision under this section, the grounds for the
- 2687 extension and the length of any extension shall be recorded in the court records and tracked in
- 2688 the data system used by the Administrative Office of the Courts and the division.
- 2689 (8) For a minor who is under the continuing jurisdiction of the juvenile court and
- 2690 whose supervision is extended under Subsection (4)(a)(iii), (iv), or (v), supervision may only
- 2691 be extended as intake probation.
- 2692 (9) If a minor leaves supervision without authorization for more than 24 hours, the
- 2693 supervision period for the minor shall toll until the minor returns.

- 2694 (10) This section does not apply to any minor adjudicated under this chapter for:
- 2695 (a) Section 76-5-103, aggravated assault resulting in serious bodily injury to another;
- 2696 (b) Section 76-5-202, aggravated murder or attempted aggravated murder;
- 2697 (c) Section 76-5-203, murder or attempted murder;
- 2698 (d) Section 76-5-205, manslaughter;
- 2699 (e) Section 76-5-206, negligent homicide;
- 2700 (f) Section 76-5-207, [~~automobile homicide~~] negligently operating a vehicle resulting
- 2701 in death;
- 2702 (g) Section 76-5-207.5, automobile homicide involving handheld wireless
- 2703 communication device;
- 2704 (h) Section 76-5-208, child abuse homicide;
- 2705 (i) Section 76-5-209, homicide by assault;
- 2706 (j) Section 76-5-302, aggravated kidnapping;
- 2707 (k) Section 76-5-405, aggravated sexual assault;
- 2708 (l) a felony violation of Section 76-6-103, aggravated arson;
- 2709 (m) Section 76-6-203, aggravated burglary;
- 2710 (n) Section 76-6-302, aggravated robbery;
- 2711 (o) Section 76-10-508.1, felony discharge of a firearm;
- 2712 (p) (i) an offense other than an offense listed in Subsections (10)(a) through (o)
- 2713 involving the use of a dangerous weapon, as defined in Section 76-1-601, that is a felony; and
- 2714 (ii) the minor has been previously adjudicated or convicted of an offense involving the
- 2715 use of a dangerous weapon; or
- 2716 (q) a felony offense other than an offense listed in Subsections (10)(a) through (p) and
- 2717 the minor has been previously committed to the division for secure care.
- 2718 Section 29. Section 80-6-804 is amended to read:
- 2719 **80-6-804. Review and termination of secure care.**
- 2720 (1) If a juvenile offender is ordered to secure care under Section 80-6-705, the juvenile
- 2721 offender shall appear before the authority within 45 days after the day on which the juvenile
- 2722 offender is ordered to secure care for review of a treatment plan and to establish parole release
- 2723 guidelines.
- 2724 (2) (a) If a juvenile offender is ordered to secure care under Section 80-6-705, the

2725 authority shall set a presumptive term of commitment for the juvenile offender from three to
2726 six months, but the presumptive term may not exceed six months.

2727 (b) The authority shall release the juvenile offender on parole at the end of the
2728 presumptive term of commitment unless:

2729 (i) termination would interrupt the completion of a treatment program determined to be
2730 necessary by the results of a validated risk and needs assessment under Section 80-6-606; or

2731 (ii) the juvenile offender commits a new misdemeanor or felony offense.

2732 (c) The authority shall determine whether a juvenile offender has completed a
2733 treatment program under Subsection (2)(b)(i) by considering:

2734 (i) the recommendations of the licensed service provider for the treatment program;

2735 (ii) the juvenile offender's record in the treatment program; and

2736 (iii) the juvenile offender's completion of the goals of the treatment program.

2737 (d) The authority may extend the length of commitment and delay parole release for the
2738 time needed to address the specific circumstance if one of the circumstances under Subsection
2739 (2)(b) exists.

2740 (e) The authority shall:

2741 (i) record the length of the extension and the grounds for the extension; and

2742 (ii) report annually the length and grounds of extension to the commission.

2743 (f) Records under Subsection (2)(e) shall be tracked in the data system used by the
2744 juvenile court and the division.

2745 (3) (a) If a juvenile offender is committed to secure care, the authority shall set a
2746 presumptive term of parole supervision, including aftercare services, from three to four months,
2747 but the presumptive term may not exceed four months.

2748 (b) If the authority determines that a juvenile offender is unable to return home
2749 immediately upon release, the juvenile offender may serve the term of parole in the home of a
2750 qualifying relative or guardian or at an independent living program contracted or operated by
2751 the division.

2752 (c) The authority shall release a juvenile offender from parole and terminate the
2753 authority's jurisdiction at the end of the presumptive term of parole, unless:

2754 (i) termination would interrupt the completion of a treatment program that is
2755 determined to be necessary by the results of a validated risk and needs assessment under

2756 Section 80-6-606;

2757 (ii) the juvenile offender commits a new misdemeanor or felony offense; or

2758 (iii) restitution has not been completed.

2759 (d) The authority shall determine whether a juvenile offender has completed a

2760 treatment program under Subsection (2)(c)(i) by considering:

2761 (i) the recommendations of the licensed service provider;

2762 (ii) the juvenile offender's record in the treatment program; and

2763 (iii) the juvenile offender's completion of the goals of the treatment program.

2764 (e) If one of the circumstances under Subsection (3)(c) exists, the authority may delay

2765 parole release only for the time needed to address the specific circumstance.

2766 (f) The authority shall:

2767 (i) record the grounds for extension of the presumptive length of parole and the length

2768 of the extension; and

2769 (ii) report annually the extension and the length of the extension to the commission.

2770 (g) Records under Subsection (3)(f) shall be tracked in the data system used by the

2771 juvenile court and the division.

2772 (h) If a juvenile offender leaves parole supervision without authorization for more than

2773 24 hours, the term of parole shall toll until the juvenile offender returns.

2774 (4) Subsections (2) and (3) do not apply to a juvenile offender committed to secure

2775 care for:

2776 (a) Section 76-5-103, aggravated assault resulting in serious bodily injury to another;

2777 (b) Section 76-5-202, aggravated murder or attempted aggravated murder;

2778 (c) Section 76-5-203, murder or attempted murder;

2779 (d) Section 76-5-205, manslaughter;

2780 (e) Section 76-5-206, negligent homicide;

2781 (f) Section 76-5-207, [~~automobile homicide~~] negligently operating a vehicle resulting

2782 in death;

2783 (g) Section 76-5-207.5, automobile homicide involving a handheld wireless

2784 communication device;

2785 (h) Section 76-5-208, child abuse homicide;

2786 (i) Section 76-5-209, homicide by assault;

- 2787 (j) Section 76-5-302, aggravated kidnapping;
- 2788 (k) Section 76-5-405, aggravated sexual assault;
- 2789 (l) a felony violation of Section 76-6-103, aggravated arson;
- 2790 (m) Section 76-6-203, aggravated burglary;
- 2791 (n) Section 76-6-302, aggravated robbery;
- 2792 (o) Section 76-10-508.1, felony discharge of a firearm;
- 2793 (p) (i) an offense other than an offense listed in Subsections (4)(a) through (o)
- 2794 involving the use of a dangerous weapon, as defined in Section 76-1-601, that is a felony; and
- 2795 (ii) the juvenile offender has been previously adjudicated or convicted of an offense
- 2796 involving the use of a dangerous weapon, as defined in Section 76-1-601; or
- 2797 (q) an offense other than an offense listed in Subsections (4)(a) through (p) and the
- 2798 juvenile offender has been previously committed to the division for secure care.
- 2799 (5) (a) The division may continue to have responsibility over a juvenile offender, who
- 2800 is discharged under this section from parole, to participate in a specific educational or
- 2801 rehabilitative program:
- 2802 (i) until the juvenile offender is:
- 2803 (A) if the juvenile offender is a youth offender, 21 years old; or
- 2804 (B) if the juvenile offender is a serious youth offender, 25 years old; and
- 2805 (ii) under an agreement by the division and the juvenile offender that the program has
- 2806 certain conditions.
- 2807 (b) The division and the juvenile offender may terminate participation in a program
- 2808 under Subsection (5)(a) at any time.
- 2809 (c) The division shall offer an educational or rehabilitative program before a juvenile
- 2810 offender's discharge date in accordance with this section.
- 2811 (d) A juvenile offender may request the services described in this Subsection (5), even
- 2812 if the offender has been previously declined services or services were terminated for
- 2813 noncompliance.
- 2814 (e) Notwithstanding Subsection (5)(c), the division:
- 2815 (i) shall consider a request by a juvenile offender under Subsection (5)(d) for the
- 2816 services described in this Subsection (5) for up to 365 days after the juvenile offender's
- 2817 effective date of discharge, even if the juvenile offender has previously declined services or

2818 services were terminated for noncompliance; and
2819 (ii) may reach an agreement with the juvenile offender to provide the services
2820 described in this Subsection (5) until the juvenile offender is:
2821 (A) if the juvenile offender is a youth offender, 21 years old; or
2822 (B) if the juvenile offender is a serious youth offender, 25 years old.
2823 (f) The division and the juvenile offender may terminate an agreement for services
2824 under this Subsection (5) at any time.