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	Chief Sponsor: Rex P. Shipp
	Senate Sponsor: Ronald M. Winterton
	LONG TITLE
	General Description:
	This bill modifies the Utah Bee Inspection Act.
	Highlighted Provisions:
	This bill:
	 restricts the ability of a governmental entity to regulate beekeeping on private
p	property.
N	Money Appropriated in this Bill:
	None
C	Other Special Clauses:
	None
1	Utah Code Sections Affected:
ŀ	ENACTS:
	4-11-116 , Utah Code Annotated 1953
	Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:
	Section 1. Section 4-11-116 is enacted to read:
	4-11-116. Regulation of beekeeping reserved to state.
	(1) As used in this section, "governmental entity" means the same as that term is

(2) Except as authorized by the state, no governmental entity may adopt or enforce any

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defined in Section 11-13a-102.

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restriction relating to the raising of bees on private property that is more restrictive than the
 restrictions in this chapter.

- 30 (3) This section does not restrict or expand private property rights.
- 31 Section 2. **Effective date.**
- This bill takes effect on May 1, 2024.