

JOINT RULES RESOLUTION - FISCAL NOTES

2024 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Melissa G. Ballard

Senate Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

General Description:

This resolution modifies joint legislative rules governing the passage of fiscal note bills.

Highlighted Provisions:

This resolution:

- ▶ increases the threshold for fiscal note bills that are subject to a funding prioritization process and passage deadline.

Special Clauses:

None

Legislative Rules Affected:

AMENDS:

JR4-4-101

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

Section 1. **JR4-4-101** is amended to read:

JR4-4-101. Deadline for passing certain fiscal note bills.

(1) (a) The House shall refer any Senate bill with a fiscal note of [~~\$15,000~~] \$50,000 or more to the House Rules Committee before giving that bill a third reading.

(b) The Senate shall table on third reading each House bill with a fiscal note of [~~\$15,000~~] \$50,000 or more.

(2) (a) Before adjourning on the 43rd day of the annual general session, each legislator



28 shall prioritize fiscal note bills and identify other projects or programs for new or one-time
29 funding according to the process established by leadership.

30 (b) Before adjourning on the 44th day of the annual general session, the Legislature
31 shall either pass or defeat each bill with a fiscal note of [~~\$15,000~~] \$50,000 or more except
32 constitutional amendment resolutions.

33 Section 2. **Effective date.**

34 This resolution takes effect upon a successful vote for final passage.