

1 **SENATE RULES RESOLUTION ON COMMITTEE HEARINGS**

2 2014 GENERAL SESSION

3 STATE OF UTAH

4 **Chief Sponsor: John L. Valentine**

6 **LONG TITLE**

7 **General Description:**

8 This rules resolution amends rules governing Senate standing committee review
9 procedures.

10 **Highlighted Provisions:**

11 This resolution:

- 12 ▶ requires that legislation receive a favorable recommendation by a Senate standing
- 13 committee before passage; and
- 14 ▶ changes the list of exemptions to the standing committee review requirement.

15 **Special Clauses:**

16 None

17 **Legislative Rules Affected:**

18 AMENDS:

19 **SR3-2-102**

21 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the state of Utah:*

22 Section 1. **SR3-2-102** is amended to read:

23 **SR3-2-102. Standing committee review required -- Exceptions.**

24 (1) The Senate may not pass a bill, joint resolution, or concurrent resolution during the
25 annual general session [~~that has not been reviewed by~~] unless:

26 (a) a Senate standing committee[;] has reviewed the legislation; and

27 [~~(b) the Senate Rules Committee; or~~]

28 [~~(c) the Legislative Management Committee.~~]

29 (b) the Senate standing committee has given a favorable recommendation to the

30 legislation.

31 (2) This rule does not apply to:

32 (a) a resolution regarding legislative rules or legislative personnel;

33 (b) legislation that has been approved by an interim committee;

34 (c) the revisor's statute;

35 (d) [~~legislation introduced or received from the House during the last three days of the~~

36 ~~annual general session; or~~] if the legislation was reviewed and approved by the Executive

37 Appropriations Committee, legislation that:

38 [~~(e) if the legislation was reviewed and approved by the Executive Appropriations~~

39 ~~Committee, legislation that:]~~

40 (i) exclusively appropriates money;

41 (ii) amends Utah Code Title 53A, Chapter 17a, Minimum School Program Act;

42 (iii) amends Utah Code Title 67, Chapter 22, State Officer Compensation; or

43 (iv) authorizes the issuance of general obligation or revenue bonds.