



Fiscal Note 2nd Sub. H.B. 57 (Gray)

2025 General Session Residential Solar Panel Consumer Protection Amendments by Jack, Colin W.



General, Income Tax, and Uniform School Funds

JR4-4-101

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/ITF/USF (revexp.)	\$(33,600)	\$(10,500)	\$(44,100)

State Government UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Revenues	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
General Fund	\$0	\$(33,600)	\$(33,600)
General Fund, One-time	\$0	\$(10,500)	\$0
Dedicated Credits Revenue	\$0	\$30,100	\$30,100
Commerce Service Account	\$0	\$72,600	\$72,600
Commerce Service Account, One-time	\$0	\$10,500	\$0
Total Revenues	\$0	\$69,100	\$69,100

Enactment of this legislation may increase revenue to the Commerce Service Account by \$39,000 ongoing starting in FY 2026 due to the new registration fees paid by solar companies. This, combined with the estimated costs shown below, could reduce revenue to the General Fund by \$33,600 ongoing beginning in FY 2026 and \$10,500 one-time in FY 2026. Additionally, enactment of this legislation could increase dedicated credits to the Attorney General's Office by \$30,100 ongoing beginning in FY 2026 to provide legal services to the Department of Commerce

Expenditures	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
Dedicated Credits Revenue	\$0	\$30,100	\$30,100
Commerce Service Account	\$0	\$72,600	\$72,600
Commerce Service Account, One-time	\$0	\$10,500	\$0
Total Expenditures	\$0	\$113,200	\$102,700

Enactment of this legislation could cost the Commerce Service Account \$10,500 one-time in FY 2026 and \$72,600 ongoing beginning in FY 2026 for technology development for a new registration system and staff support.

Enactment of this legislation could also cost \$30,100 ongoing beginning in FY 2026 in Dedicated Credit for the Attorney General's Office staff support.

Net All Funds	FY 2025	FY 2026 \$(44,100)	FY 2027 \$(33.600)
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Local Government UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct, measurable costs for local governments.

Individuals & Businesses

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Enactment of this legislation could cause an estimated 60 companies to pay \$650 registration fee annually, for an aggregate total of \$39,000 ongoing beginning in FY 2026.

Regulatory Impact

UCA 36-12-13(2)(d)

Enactment of this legislation could result in a medium increase in the regulatory burden for Utah residents or businesses.

Performance Evaluation

JR1-4-601

This bill does not create a new program or significantly expand an existing program.

Notes on Notes

Fiscal explanations estimate the direct costs or revenues of enacting a bill. The Legislature uses them to balance the budget. They do not measure a bill's benefits or non-fiscal impacts like opportunity costs, wait times, or inconvenience. A fiscal explanation is not an appropriation. The Legislature decides appropriations separately.