	UTAH BEE INSPECTION ACT AMENDMENTS
	2024 GENERAL SESSION
	STATE OF UTAH
	Chief Sponsor: Rex P. Shipp
	Senate Sponsor:
	ONG TITLE
	Seneral Description:
	This bill modifies the Utah Bee Inspection Act.
H	lighlighted Provisions:
	This bill:
	<ul> <li>restricts the ability of a governmental entity to regulate beekeeping on private</li> </ul>
pr	roperty.
Μ	Ioney Appropriated in this Bill:
	None
0	other Special Clauses:
	None
U	tah Code Sections Affected:
El	NACTS:
	4-11-116, Utah Code Annotated 1953
Be	e it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:
	Section 1. Section <b>4-11-116</b> 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
de	efined in Section 11-13a-102.
	(2) Except as authorized by the state, no governmental entity may adopt or enforce any

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28	restriction relating to the raising of bees on private property that is more restrictive than the
29	restrictions in this chapter.
30	(3) This section does not restrict or expand private property rights.
31	Section 2. Effective date.

32 This bill takes effect on May 1, 2024.