

WATER SYSTEM CONSERVATION PRICING

2016 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: Scott K. Jenkins

House Sponsor: _____

LONG TITLE

Committee Note:

The Natural Resources, Agriculture, and Environment Interim Committee recommended this bill.

General Description:

This bill requires retail water providers to establish an increasing rate structure for culinary water.

Highlighted Provisions:

This bill:

► requires retail water providers to establish an increasing rate structure for culinary water and provide certain information to customers.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:

None

Other Special Clauses:

None

Utah Code Sections Affected:

ENACTS:

73-10-32.5, Utah Code Annotated 1953

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

Section 1. Section **73-10-32.5** is enacted to read:



28 73-10-32.5. Culinary water pricing structure.

29 A retail water provider, as defined in Section 73-10-32, shall:

30 (1) establish a culinary water rate structure that:

31 (a) incorporates increasing block units of water used; and

32 (b) provides for an increase in the rate charged for additional block units of water used
33 as usage increases from one block unit to the next;

34 (2) provide in customer billing notices, or in a notice that is distributed to customers at
35 least annually, block unit rates and the customer's billing cycle; and

36 (3) include individual customer water usage in customer billing notices.

Legislative Review Note
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