

State of Utah
Administrative Rule Analysis

NOTICE OF PROPOSED RULE OR CHANGE

The agency identified below in box 1 provides notice of proposed rule or change pursuant to Utah Code Subsections 63-46a-4(2) and (4). Please address questions regarding information on this notice to the agency. The full text of all rule filings is published in the *Utah State Bulletin* unless excluded because of space constraints. The full text of all rule filings may also be inspected at the Division of Administrative Rules.

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	Utah Admin. Code ref. (R no.):	R746-510
	Date filed:	
	Time filed:	
	Received by:	

1. Department: Public Service Commission of Utah
Administration
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(Interested persons may inspect this filing at the above address or at DAR between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. on business days.)

2. Title of rule or section (catchline):
Funding for Speech and Hearing Impaired Certified Interpreter Training.

3. Type of notice:

Proposed rules	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New	<input type="checkbox"/> Amendment	<input type="checkbox"/> Repeal
	<input type="checkbox"/> Repeal and reenact		

Other rule types Change in proposed rule(changes original proposed rule file no.:)

4. Purpose of the rule or reason for the change:
Purpose: To establish uniform administrative requirements for the use of funds from the Hearing and Speech Impaired telephone surcharge pursuant to Section 54-8b-10(5)(b)(vi).

5. This rule or change is a response to comments by the Administrative Rules Review Committee. Yes No

6. Summary of the rule or change:
This new rule provides guidelines for: eligibility, proposals, funding, subcontractors, accountability, general administrative responsibilities, and record keeping for the award and use of funds from the Hearing and Speech Impaired surcharge.

7. Aggregate anticipated cost or savings to:

State budget: There will be no costs or savings to any state agency as the rule only affects the Commission's administration of this additional activity, with which the Legislature charged the Commission in amending Section 54-8b-10. The Commission anticipates that there will be no costs or savings arising directly from the rule itself. Other costs or savings were considered by the Legislature in its deliberations and passage of the statutory amendment.

Local government: None. The rule does not affect any local government activity.

Other persons: None. There are not direct costs or savings that arise from the rule. Organizations that wish to respond to requests for proposals issued pursuant to the State procurement program will incur expenses in preparing their proposals, but this results from their voluntary decision to pursue a contract with the State. Organizations that obtain contracts will also incur costs, again this results from their voluntary decision to contract with the State and render services. It is anticipated that these costs will be recovered from the contract payments these contractors will receive in performance of their contracts.

8. Compliance costs for affected persons ("person" means any individual, partnership, corporation, association, governmental entity, or

None arising from the rule. Costs arising from the contracts will be dependent upon the services provided and will be recovered through contract payments.

9. Comments by the department head on the fiscal impact the rule may have on businesses:

The 2005 Legislature amended 54-8b-10 to authorize the Commission use Hearing and Speech Impaired funds for the additional purpose of providing funds for programs which train certified interpreters. The statutory amendment also required the Commission to promulgate rules for the administration of monies for this new purpose. The rule itself will not have a direct impact upon businesses. Utah businesses will receive an indirect benefit from the new program if it is successful in increasing the number of certified interpreters who may provide their services in the State of Utah.

– Ric Campbell, Chairman

10. This rule or change is authorized or mandated by state law, and implements or interprets the following state and federal

Section 54-8b-10(5)(b)(vi)

11. This rule or change adds or updates an incorporated reference (submit a copy to DAR):

Yes No

of issue or edition:

12. The public may submit written or oral comments to the agency identified in box 1. (The public may also request a hearing by or from an association having not fewer than ten members. Additionally, the request must be received by the agency not more than 15 days after the

Comments will be accepted until 5:00 p.m. on (mm/dd/yyyy): 08/01/05

A public hearing (optional) will be held on (mm/dd/yyyy): 07/28/2005 at (time): 9:00 am

at (place): Heber M. Wells Building, 160 East 300 South, 4th Floor, Room 426, Salt Lake City, Utah

13. This rule or change may become effective on (mm/dd/yyyy): 08/02/2005

14. Indexing information - keywords (maximum of four, in lower case):

speech impaired, hearing impaired, training, interpreters

15. Indexing information - affected industries (two-digit SIC codes):

N/A

16. Attach a WordPerfect document containing the text of this rule or change (filename):

To the agency: Information requested on this form is required by Sections 63-46a-4, 5, 6, and 10. Incomplete forms may be returned to the agency for completion, possibly delaying publication in the *Utah State Bulletin*, and delaying the first possible effective date.

AGENCY AUTHORIZATION

Agency head or designee, and title:		Date (mm/dd/yyyy):	
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