

Date: 02/13/2026

Senate Floor Time

Bill: SB 68 - Disability Litigation Agreements

Sponsor: Senator Brammer

Floor Sponsor:

UASD Position: Track

This Bill addresses website access litigation brought under the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Discussion: The sponsor presented the Bill. No further discussion ensued.

Yea: 19

Nay: 4

N/V: 6

Outcome: SB 68 passed the second reading and will be read in the Senate for a third time.

Bill: 1st substitute SB 99 - Emergency Reporting Offense Amendments

Sponsor: Senator Fillmore

Floor Sponsor: Representative Gricius

UASD Position: Support

This Bill modifies the offense of emergency reporting abuse.

Discussion: Senator Fillmore stated that he and Representative Monson are sponsoring Bills addressing similar subject matters. Because Representative Monson's Bill, 1st substitute HB 113, is advancing through the legislative process more quickly, they have agreed to incorporate the language of this Bill into that legislation. With that, the sponsor moved to strike the Bill.

Yea:

Nay:

N/V:

Outcome: 1st substitute SB 99 has been abandoned by the sponsor. The language in this Bill will be substituted into 1st substitute HB 113.

Bill: 1st substitute SB 166 - Line-of-Duty Death Benefits Amendments

Sponsor: Senator Owens

Floor Sponsor:

UASD Position: Support

This Bill modifies provisions related to line-of-duty death benefits.

Discussion: The sponsor presented the Bill and introduced the 1st substitute, which was adopted by the Senate. The substitute makes a technical correction to align the effective date and adds provisions related to the Firefighter Surviving Spouse Fund. Senator Weiler rose in support of the Bill. No further discussion ensued.

Yea: 22

Nay: 0

N/V: 7

Outcome: 1st substitute SB 166 passed the second reading and will be read in the Senate for a third time.

Bill: 2nd substitute SB 151 - Public Safety Funding Amendments

Sponsor: Senator Harper

Floor Sponsor:

UASD Position: Support

This Bill modifies provisions related to funding for public safety employees.

Discussion: The sponsor presented the 2nd substitute, which addresses excess revenue from the fire insurance premium tax and provides a coordinating clause with related legislation concerning the Firefighter Cancer Benefit Trust Fund. The substitute allocates excess funds to support Utah Highway Patrol (“UHP”) troopers. The Senate adopted the 2nd substitute.

Senator Kwan asked whether concerns had been resolved regarding the use of funds historically associated with firefighters to support law enforcement personnel. The sponsor responded that discussions had occurred with the staff of the Utah Retirement Systems (“URS”) and other stakeholders, and that they were comfortable with the approach. The sponsor further stated that the Tier I firefighter retirement fund would continue to be maintained and funded as required. No further discussion ensued.

Yea: 25

Nay: 1

N/V: 3

Outcome: 2nd substitute SB 151 passed the second reading and will be read in the Senate for a third time.