MEDICAL SCHOOL ADMISSIONS FUNDING

2013 GENERAL SESSION

STATE OF UTAH

Chief Sponsor: John L. Valentine

House Sponsor: ____________

LONG TITLE

General Description:
This bill appropriates money to increase the number of students admitted to the University of Utah School of Medicine.

Highlighted Provisions:
This bill:
- authorizes the University of Utah School of Medicine to increase the number of students admitted by 40 students for a total of 122 students annually; and
- restricts the 40 additional admissions to students who demonstrate a strong connection to Utah.

Money Appropriated in this Bill:
This bill appropriates:
- to the University of Utah School of Medicine, as an ongoing appropriation for fiscal year 2013-14:
  • from the Education Fund, $10,000,000.

Other Special Clauses:
This bill takes effect on July 1, 2013.

Utah Code Sections Affected:
ENACTS:
53B-17-901, Utah Code Annotated 1953
Be it enacted by the Legislature of the state of Utah:

Section 1. Section 53B-17-901 is enacted to read:

Part 9. School of Medicine

53B-17-901. Admissions -- Increase authorized and restricted to students who demonstrate strong connection to Utah.

(1) Beginning with the 2013-14 school year and subject to Subsection (2), the University of Utah School of Medicine may increase the number of students admitted by 40 students for a total of 122 students admitted annually.

(2) (a) The additional 40 admissions authorized under Subsection (1) shall be restricted to students who demonstrate a strong connection to Utah.

(b) The University of Utah School of Medicine Admissions Committee shall establish criteria to determine whether a student demonstrates a strong connection to Utah.

Section 2. Appropriation.

Under the terms and conditions of Title 63J, Chapter 1, Budgetary Procedures Act, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2013, and ending June 30, 2014, the following sums of money are appropriated from resources not otherwise appropriated, or reduced from amounts previously appropriated, out of the funds or accounts indicated. These sums of money are in addition to any amounts previously appropriated for fiscal year 2014.

To University of Utah School of Medicine

From Education Fund $10,000,000

Schedule of Programs:

School of Medicine $10,000,000

Section 3. Effective date.

This bill takes effect on July 1, 2013.

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