



**Fiscal Note**  
**H.B. 593**  
 2026 General Session  
 Bail Amendments  
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**General, Income Tax, and Uniform School Funds**

JR4-4-101

	Ongoing	One-time	Total
Net GF/ITF/USF (rev.-exp.)	\$(125,000)	\$(31,600)	\$(156,600)

**State Government**

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Revenues	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
Indigent Defense Resources (GFR)	\$0	\$125,000	\$125,000
General Fund	\$0	\$(125,000)	\$(125,000)
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Enactment of this legislation could shift \$125,000 ongoing from the General Fund to the Indigent Defense Resources Restricted Account beginning in FY 2027.

Expenditures	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
General Fund, One-time	\$12,800	\$18,800	\$0
<b>Total Expenditures</b>	<b>\$12,800</b>	<b>\$18,800</b>	<b>\$0</b>

Enactment of this legislation could cost the Senate \$2,400, the House of Representatives \$2,400, and the Office of Legislative Research and General Counsel (LRGC) \$14,000 one-time from the General Fund in FY 2027 for compensation and staffing the newly created Pretrial Release Task Force. LRGK can absorb \$12,600 of its costs. Enactment could also cost the Courts \$12,800 one-time from the General Fund in FY 2026 for system modifications.

	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028
<b>Net All Funds</b>	<b>\$(12,800)</b>	<b>\$(18,800)</b>	<b>\$0</b>

**Local Government**

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct, measurable costs for local governments.

**Individuals & Businesses**

UCA 36-12-13(2)(c)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not result in direct expenditures from tax or fee changes for Utah residents and businesses.

**Regulatory Impact**

UCA 36-12-13(2)(d)

Enactment of this legislation likely will not change the regulatory burden for Utah residents or businesses.

**Performance Evaluation**

JR1-4-601

This bill does not create a new program or significantly expand an existing program.

**Notes on Notes**

Fiscal explanations estimate the direct costs or revenues of enacting a bill. The Legislature uses them to balance the budget. They do not measure a bill's benefits or non-fiscal impacts like opportunity costs, wait times, or inconvenience. A fiscal explanation is not an appropriation. The Legislature decides appropriations separately.