

# FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA**  
**2014 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

Bill Version	<b>SB 200</b>
Fiscal Note Number	
( ) Publish Date	
Identifier (file name)	SB200-LAW-CIV-03-07-14
Title	WRONGFUL DEATH OF AN UNBORN CHILD
Dept. Affected	LAW
Appropriation	Civil Division
Allocation	Torts and Workers' Compensation
Sponsor	SENATOR MCGUIRE
Requester	(S) JUDICIARY
OMB Component Number	2719

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

	FY15 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY15 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
			FY16	FY17	FY18	FY19	FY20
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>FY15</b>	<b>FY15</b>	<b>FY16</b>	<b>FY17</b>	<b>FY18</b>	<b>FY19</b>	<b>FY20</b>
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants, Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>
<b>FUND SOURCE</b>	(Thousands of Dollars)						
1002 Federal Receipts							
1003 GF Match							
1004 GF							
1005 GF/Prgm (DGF)							
1007 I/A Rcpts (Other)							
1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF)							
	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

<b>POSITIONS</b>							
Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES</b>							
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**Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY14) operating costs** \_\_\_\_\_ (separate supplemental appropriation required)  
*(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)*

**Estimated CAPITAL (FY15) costs** \_\_\_\_\_ (separate capital appropriation required)  
*(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)*

**ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS**

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency?

If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended, or repealed? \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Discuss details in analysis section.

**Why this fiscal note differs from previous version (if initial version, please note as such)**

Initial version, not applicable.

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## FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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### Analysis

The bill establishes a new civil right of action for the death of an unborn child in certain circumstances. The bill allows the parent of an unborn child whose death is caused by the wrongful act or omission of another to sue for damages – such as when a pregnant woman’s child is killed as a result of domestic violence or in a drunk driving accident. The bill does not apply to acts or omissions that cause the death of the unborn child due to a lawful abortion or specified medical practice or are caused by the pregnant woman herself, such as in an attempted suicide.

The Department of Law does not foresee a fiscal impact as a result of the bill passage.