

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
2018 Legislative Session

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Identifier: DHSS-CMS-1-29-18
Title: CHILD ABUSE;TRAINING PROGRAMS;BREE'S LAW
Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR
Requester: Governor

Department: Department of Health and Social Services
Appropriation: Children's Services
Allocation: Children's Services Management
OMB Component Number: 2666

Expenditures/Revenues

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

(Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2019 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2019 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
			FY 2019	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2019						
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	0.0		0.0		0.0		0.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

None							
Total		0.0		0.0		0.0	

Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

Change in Revenues

None							
Total		0.0		0.0		0.0	

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2018) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2019) cost: 0.0 (separate capital appropriation required)

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ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? no
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? n/a

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Not applicable; initial version.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This bill has minimal impact on the Office of Children's Services Children Services Management component.

The legislation amends Section 7 of AS 14.30.355(b) to read that any policy, training and notices must include ways to identify warning signs of sexual abuse in a child, and ways to identify activity by an adult towards a child designed to establish a romantic or sexual relationship with a child.

The legislation amends Section 9 AS 47.17 adding new subsection 44.17.021 [typographical error in draft, should read subsection 47.17.021], **Training for persons required to report abuse or neglect of a child other than persons employed by the state or a school district**. This new section mandates that the department make training available on their website, at no cost to training participants. The department is to maintain a database of training participants, and must annually inform licensed childcare providers, with the training made available by the department.

Both of the amendments listed above would require an update to the current Mandatory Reporter Training that resides on the Department of Health and Social Services website. The Office of Children's Services would be involved in any modifications and the department would absorb that work without any additional allocations.