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 Title Practice of Naturopathy Appropriation Corps, Bus & Prof Licenses
 Allocation Corps, Bus & Prof Licenses
 Sponsor Senator McGuire, Ellis
 Requester Senate Labor & Commerce OMB Component Number 2360

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

	FY13 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY13 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY13	FY13	FY14	FY15	FY16	FY17	FY18
Personal Services	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Travel	16.0		16.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Services	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Commodities	0.0		0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Capital Outlay							
Grants, Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
TOTAL OPERATING	16.0	0.0	16.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

FUND SOURCE		(Thousands of Dollars)					
1002	Federal Receipts						
1003	GF Match						
1004	GF						
1005	GF/Prgm (DGF)						
1037	GF/MH (UGF)						
1156	Rcpt Svcs (DGF)	16.0	0.0	16.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
TOTAL		16.0	0.0	16.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

POSITIONS							
Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

CHANGE IN REVENUES	16.0	0.0	16.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY12) operating costs _____ (separate supplemental appropriation required,
 (discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY13) costs _____ (separate capital appropriation required,
 (discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

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

Initial version

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Analysis

SB 175 defines the prescribing authority a Naturopath has with a medicine derived from the extract of a plant, tree, root, moss, fungus, or other natural substances.

The travel costs are to convene two naturopath prescription drug task force meetings per year for the purpose of promulgating regulations. The makeup of the task force will be licensees from Naturopaths, Medical Board, Pharmacy Board, and division personnel for committee support. Committee members will be reimbursed for travel expenses, but otherwise volunteer. The task force will have the defined goal of assisting the division in promulgating regulations to implement SB 175 and then dissolved.

The change in revenues reflects that the department is required in AS 08.01.065 to establish fees so the total amount collected for an occupation approximately equals the actual regulatory costs for the occupation.