# **Fiscal Note**

## State of Alaska 2021 Legislative Session

Bill Version: SB 3006

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Identifier: LL0384-DCCED-CBPL-09-02-21

HEALTH CARE REQS; COVID-19; TELEHEALTH

Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR

Requester: Rules

Title:

Department: Department of Commerce, Community and

Economic Development

Appropriation: Corporations, Business and Professional

Licensing

Allocation: Corporations, Business and Professional

Licensing

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OMB Component Number: 2360

#### **Expenditures/Revenues**

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of D						nds of Dollars)	
		Included in					
	FY2022	Governor's					
	Appropriation	FY2022	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
	Requested	Request					
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	FY 2022	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							

**Fund Source (Operating Only)** 

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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#### **Positions**

**Total Operating** 

Full-time				
Part-time				
Temporary				

**Change in Revenues** 

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2021) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2022) cost: 0.0 (separate capital appropriation required)

0.0

Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account? No

(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

0.0

### 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 No If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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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Agency: Office of Management and Budget

### FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

## STATE OF ALASKA 2021 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

## **Analysis**

This legislation temporarily allows professionals who would otherwise be required to hold a license under AS 08.64 (Medical Board) or AS 08.68 (Board of Nursing) to practice telehealth/telemedicine on patients located in Alaska. This measure allows physicians, physician assistants, and nurses who are licensed and in good standing in other jurisdictions to temporarily bypass the licensing processes of the Division of Corporations, Business, and Professional Licensing (CBPL). It does not allow a provider physically present with the patient to provide care in Alaska if they do not hold an Alaska license, nor does it allow for unlicensed practice.
CBPL does not anticipate fiscal impact from this legislation.
Professional licensing programs within the Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing are funded by Receipt Supported Services, fund source 1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF). Licensing fees for each occupation are set per AS 08.01.065 so the total amount of revenue collected approximately equals the occupation's actual regulatory costs.

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