

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2026 Legislative Session

Bill Version: HB 74  
Fiscal Note Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Identifier: HB074-DPS-AST-1-27-26  
Title: CRIME COUNTERFEIT/NONFUNCTIONING AIRBAG  
Sponsor: TOMASZEWSKI  
Requester: (H) Judiciary

Department: Department of Public Safety  
Appropriation: Alaska State Troopers  
Allocation: Alaska State Trooper Detachments  
OMB Component Number: 2325

**Expenditures/Revenues**

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2027	Included in	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
	Appropriation Requested	Governor's FY2027 Request	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030	FY 2031	FY 2032
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>FY 2027</b>	<b>FY 2027</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>

**Fund Source (Operating Only)**

None							
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.0</b>						

**Positions**

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

**Change in Revenues**

None							
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.0</b>						

**Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2026) cost:** 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*

**Estimated CAPITAL (FY2027) cost:** 0.0 *(separate capital appropriation required)*

**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)*

**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If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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:**

Updated from the SLA2025 fiscal note to the SLA2026 fiscal note template.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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**Analysis**

This bill establishes the crime of airbag fraud, making it illegal to knowingly sell, install, or manufacture counterfeit, nonfunctioning, or noncompliant airbags. Enforcement falls within the existing responsibilities for the Alaska State Troopers (AST) for fraud and vehicle-related crimes.

AST personnel are already trained for awareness in fraud-related crimes, and this statute can be incorporated into routine legal updates.

The bill does not impose additional enforcement burdens beyond existing duties. Investigations of airbag fraud cases can be handled within current resources.

No additional costs are anticipated. AST can implement the provisions of HB 74 within existing operational capacity.