Fiscal Note State of Alaska Bill Version: **HB** 77 2025 Legislative Session Fiscal Note Number: () Publish Date: Identifier: HB077-LAW-CJL-02-14-25 Department: Department of Law Title: Appropriation: Criminal Division MAIL THEFT Sponsor: **COULOMBE** Allocation: Criminal Justice Litigation Requester: (H) Judiciary OMB Component Number: 2202 **Expenditures/Revenues** Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars) Included in FY2026 Governor's FY2026 **Out-Year Cost Estimates** Appropriation Requested Request FY 2027 FY 2029 **OPERATING EXPENDITURES** FY 2026 FY 2028 FY 2030 FY 2031 **FY 2026** Personal Services Travel Services Commodities Capital Outlay **Grants & Benefits** Miscellaneous **Total Operating** 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 Fund Source (Operating Only) None Total 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 **Positions** 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 (FY2025) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required) Estimated CAPITAL (FY2026) 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 No

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 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 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 establishes the crime of mail theft. A person is guilty of mail theft if they take mail or an article within mail from a post office, postal station, mail receptable, authorized depository, or mail carrier or after the mail has been left in or near a mail receptacle or mail depository. Mail theft also includes a person buying, receiving, retaining, concealing or disposing of mail with the knowledge that the mail was stolen.
It is unknown how many additional cases will be referred to the Criminal Division if this bill were to become law. However, at this time, it is anticipated that the Criminal Division can absorb the additional cases within its existing budget.

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