

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2023 Legislative Session

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| Bill Version:       | SB 66    |
| Fiscal Note Number: | 5        |
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Identifier: 0029-1-DPS-AST-2-1-23  
Title: CRIME OF SEX/HUMAN TRAFFICKING  
Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR  
Requester: Governor

Department: Department of Public Safety  
Appropriation: Alaska State Troopers  
Allocation: Alaska Bureau of Investigation  
OMB Component Number: 2744

## Expenditures/Revenues

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

(Thousands of Dollars)

|                        | FY2024<br>Appropriation<br>Requested | Included in<br>Governor's<br>FY2024<br>Request | Out-Year Cost Estimates |            |            |            |            |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| OPERATING EXPENDITURES | FY 2024                              | FY 2024  | FY 2025                 | FY 2026    | FY 2027    | FY 2028    | FY 2029    |
| 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> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> |

## Positions

|           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Full-time |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Part-time |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Temporary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Change in Revenues

|              |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| None         |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>Total</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> |

**Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2023) cost:** 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

**Estimated CAPITAL (FY2024) 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?

## 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**

Governor Dunleavy launched the People First Initiative in December 2021 to address several public safety issues facing Alaska. The People First Initiative has five major intersecting topics: domestic violence and sexual assault, missing and murdered Indigenous persons, human and sex trafficking, foster care, and homelessness.

This bill advances the People First Initiative by making substantive and conforming amendments to statutes relating to human and sex trafficking and sex offenses. This bill will further strengthen Alaska's criminal justice system to protect victims, hold offenders accountable, and make Alaska safer.

This bill amends Alaska Statute (AS) 11.41, person crime statutes, to add a new offense series to sex trafficking in the first, second, and third degrees. It also adds a new offense for the crime of 'patrol of a victim of sex trafficking' and adds clarification for the what 'inducing or causing a person to engage in a commercial sexual act' is in reference to the newly added sex trafficking crimes. The bill repeals existing sex trafficking crimes listed currently in statute under AS 11.66.110 - 11.66.135.

The Department of Public Safety (DPS) Division of Alaska State Troopers (AST) Alaska Bureau of Investigation (ABI) is responsible for conducting investigations into crimes involving sex trafficking and human trafficking in its areas of responsibility. The Troopers do not anticipate the need at this time to add positions and are submitting a zero fiscal.