

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
2024 Legislative Session

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| Bill Version: | SB 217 |
| Fiscal Note Number: | 1 |
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Identifier: LL0489-DCCED-AEA-02-01-24
Title: INTEGRATED TRANSMISSION SYSTEMS
Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR
Requester: Governor

Department: Department of Commerce, Community and
Economic Development
Appropriation: Alaska Energy Authority
Allocation: Alaska Energy Authority Owned Facilities
OMB Component Number: 2599

Expenditures/Revenues

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

(Thousands of Dollars)

| | FY2025 Appropriation Requested | Included in Governor's FY2025 Request | Out-Year Cost Estimates | | | | |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| OPERATING EXPENDITURES | FY 2025 | FY 2025 | FY 2026 | FY 2027 | FY 2028 | FY 2029 | FY 2030 |
| 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)

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|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| None | | | | | | | |
| Total | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Positions

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

Change in Revenues

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|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| None | | | | | | | |
| Total | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2024) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2025) 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If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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:

Not applicable, initial version.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This legislation establishes a system for integrated electric transmission system management and associated cost recovery process for the Regulatory Commission of Alaska (RCA). Under this legislation the RCA will establish a cost recovery mechanism, develop a process to transition collection of transmission costs, and create an integrated transmission system association.

The Alaska Energy Authority (AEA) does not anticipate impact from this legislation at this time. AEA owns transmission assets that are part of the Railbelt integrated transmission system, but is not regulated by the RCA according to AS 44.83.090(b). This legislation includes costs associated with the AEA-owned Bradley Lake hydroelectric project as part of the definition of transmission costs; however, as the Bradley Lake hydroelectric project is a part of the AEA no fiscal impact is anticipated.