

# Fiscal Note

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Title: BIG GAME COMMERCIAL SERVICES BOARD  
Sponsor: BJORKMAN  
Requester: (S) RESOURCES

Department: Department of Commerce, Community and Economic Development  
Appropriation: Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing  
Allocation: Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing  
OMB Component Number: 2360

## 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				
			FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>FY 2025</b>	<b>FY 2025</b>	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0	160.0
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
<b>Total Operating</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>

## Fund Source (Operating Only)

1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF)	25.0	160.0	185.0	185.0	185.0	185.0	185.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>

## Positions

Full-time		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Part-time							
Temporary							

## Change in Revenues

1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF)	25.0	160.0	185.0	185.0	185.0	185.0	185.0
<b>Total</b>	<b>25.0</b>	<b>160.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>	<b>185.0</b>

**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If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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 would create in statute a range 23 partially exempt Executive Administrator position for the Big Game Commercial Services Board (BGCSB). This position will be primarily responsible for managing all licensing functions and public facing communications for the program, administering board meetings, drafting regulation projects as needed, ensuring appropriate submission of required reporting by licensees, assist the board with maintaining 29 written and practical examinations, and administering examinations for licensees and applicants, as well as other duties as required by both the division and board.

The BGCSB Executive Administrator position and associated personal services authority was created in the FY2024 budget and established as a temporary exempt position because statutory authorization for the position did not exist. If this legislation is adopted, that temporary exempt position will be converted to a full-time exempt Executive Administrator (R23). Core services costs associated with the position were not included when the position was originally added, but are necessary to support the position. The associated projected costs:

Personal Services: \$160.0 One full-time exempt Executive Administrator (R23)

Services: \$25.0 Core services, per position, per year

*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. The total amount of revenue collected approximately equals each occupation's actual regulatory costs.*