

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
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Identifier: HB133-DFG-DAS-03-29-25
Title: PAYMENT OF CONTRACTS
Sponsor: HIMSCHOOT
Requester: (H)Community & Regional Affairs

Department: Department of Fish and Game
Appropriation: Statewide Support Services
Allocation: Administrative Services
OMB Component Number: 479

Expenditures/Revenues

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

	FY2026 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2026 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2026	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030	FY 2031
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

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If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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

This legislation requires an assessment of a 10.5 percent annualized interest rate on any State of Alaska contract payment made later than 30 days past the invoice date. This interest assessment would also apply to non-profit, municipal, and Alaska Native organization grant payments that are not issued within 30 days of a request. If conditions of the contract or grant are not being met at the time the payment request is made, the bill allows the State to temporarily withhold payment without penalty.

The Department of Fish and Game does not issue grants and has sufficient administrative staff to issue contractual payments. Federal award dollars the department receives cannot be used for interest or fee payments, so state fund sources would need to be used if interest penalties were incurred.

Interest payments required by the department under this bill are anticipated to be minimal. Therefore, the department submits a zero fiscal note.