

Fiscal Note

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Identifier: HB170-LAW-CJL-04-25-25
 Title: REPORTING VIOLENT CRIMES
 Sponsor: BURKE
 Requester: (H) State Affairs

Department: Department of Law
 Appropriation: Criminal Division
 Allocation: Criminal Justice Litigation
 OMB Component Number: 2202

Expenditures/Revenues

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

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

Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

Change in Revenues

None							
Total	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 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 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 reclassifies the failure to report a violent crime against an adult under AS 11.56.767 from a violation to a class B misdemeanor. A person convicted of a violation, generally, only faces a possible fine. However, a person convicted of a class B misdemeanor may be sentenced to a term of imprisonment of up to 90 days as well as any associated fines. Additionally, the Criminal Division typically does not handle violations, but would handle cases where the offense is classified as a crime. Therefore, it is expected that the Criminal Division will see additional case referrals should this bill become law.

The Criminal Division is unable to assess how many additional cases would be referred as a result of this bill and, therefore, submits a zero fiscal note at this time. However, the division will continue to monitor the impacts of this bill and assess whether additional resources may be needed in the future.