

# FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
2010 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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Bill Version:

**CSSB 222**

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Title An Act relating to the crimes of harassment, .....

Dept. Affected: Administration

RDU Legal and Advocacy Services

Component Public Defender Agency

Sponsor SRLS

Requester HFIN

Component Number 1631

## Expenditures/Revenues

(Thousands of Dollars)

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

	Appropriation Required	Information					
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2011	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016
Personal Services							
Travel							
Contractual							
Supplies							
Equipment							
Land & Structures							
Grants & Claims							
Miscellaneous							
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	***	***	***	***	***	***	***

## CAPITAL EXPENDITURES

## CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )

## FUND SOURCE

(Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts							
1003 GF Match							
1004 GF							
1005 GF/Program Receipts							
1037 GF/Mental Health							
Other Interagency Receipts							
<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>

Estimate of any current year (FY2010) cost: \_\_\_\_\_

## POSITIONS

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

**ANALYSIS:** (Attach a separate page if necessary)

See attached page

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### ANALYSIS CONTINUATION

The bill will create a new misdemeanor crime of harassment for touching another person without consent. Additionally, the bill will eliminate the mens rea element associated with circumstances under which someone fails to register as a sex offender.

This bill will also change the procedures for defense access to evidence in child pornography cases. Under the proposed change to Criminal Rule 16, the evidence that forms the basis of such charges must remain in the custody and control of a law enforcement agency and the prosecuting attorney, and no copies can be made. This will result in additional costs associated with the logistics of reviewing and evaluating evidence.

The agency currently does not have a reliable estimate of the number of cases that will be impacted by the discovery rule change. It is anticipated that the agency will bear an additional \$20.0-\$30.0 for each case impacted by the rule change. Accordingly, the agency submits an indeterminate fiscal note.