**Fiscal Note** State of Alaska Bill Version: HB 374 2014 Legislative Session Fiscal Note Number: () Publish Date: Identifier: HB374-DOA-HPA-03-21-14 Department: Department of Administration Title: STATEWIDE IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM Appropriation: Centralized Administrative Services **HEALTH & SOCIAL SERVICES** Health Plans Administration Sponsor: Allocation: Requester: House Health & Social Services Committee OMB Component Number: 2152 **Expenditures/Revenues** Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars) Included in FY2015 Governor's FY2015 Appropriation **Out-Year Cost Estimates** Requested Request FY 2015 FY 2018 **OPERATING EXPENDITURES** FY 2015 FY 2016 **FY 2017** FY 2019 FY 2020 Personal Services Travel Services Commodities Capital Outlay **Grants & Benefits** Miscellaneous 0.0 **Total Operating** Fund Source (Operating Only) None **Total** 0.0 **Positions** Full-time Part-time Temporary Change in Revenues Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2014) cost: (separate supplemental appropriation required) (discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section) Estimated CAPITAL (FY2015) cost: (separate capital appropriation required) (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 no If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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: Not applicable, initial version.

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## FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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## **Analysis**

HB374 establishes a statewide immunization program. Health insurers and participating providers fund the program by paying an assessment fee. AlaskaCare meets the definition of a government plan, and as such is considered a health care insurer under this bill.
The bill states that the amount of the vaccine assessment fee will be first determined by the Commissioner of the Department of Health and Social Services and determined by the State Vaccine Assessment Commission thereafter. HB374 also includes provisions for data collection and methodology development by the State Vaccine Assessment Commission that will allow the commission to set the amount of the assessment that the Department of Administration would owe under this bill at a future date. As a result, the department is unable to estimate the future assessment that would be set by the Commissioner or the State Vaccine Assessment Commission, and therefore submits an indeterminate fiscal note.

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