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State of Alaska Bill Version: HB 189 2014 Legislative Session Fiscal Note Number: () Publish Date: Identifier: HB189-LAW-CRIM-03-28-14 Department: Department of Law Title: **HAZING** Appropriation: Criminal Division **KREISS-TOMKINS** Sponsor: Allocation: Criminal Justice Litigation Requester: (H) EDC OMB Component Number: 2202 **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 **OPERATING EXPENDITURES** FY 2015 FY 2016 **FY 2017 FY 2018** 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 No If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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: Initial version, not applicable. Prepared By: Loretta Withington, Division Operations Manager Phone: (907)465-5427 Division: Department of Law Date: 03/28/2014 12:00 AM Michael C. Geraghty, Attorney General Date:

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	The bill requires school districts to adopt policies that would prohibit hazing of students. It also allows the state to assist school districts in developing materials to prevent hazing.
	The bill adopts a new crime that prohibits hazing – by prohibiting a person from acting or causing a situation that subjects the student to a risk of physical injury for the purpose of initiation or affiliation with an organization that operates in connection with a school. The penalty would be a class A misdemeanor if physical harm occurs to a student, or a class B felony if a student dies.
	The fiscal impact on the Department of Law is indeterminate because the number of cases arising under the new law cannot be estimated.

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