Fiscal Note

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Identifier: HB188CS(LC)-DHSS-HCMS-4-6-16 Department: Department of Health and Social Services

Title: PERSON W/DISABILITY SAVINGS ACCOUNTS Appropriation: Medicaid Services

Allocation: Health Care Medicaid Services Sponsor: **SADDLER**

Requester: House L&C OMB Component Number: 2077

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Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars)					ds of Dollars		
		Included in					
	FY2017	Governor's					
	Appropriation	FY2017		Out-\	ear Cost Estin	nates	
	Requested	Request					
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2017	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
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
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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							
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Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2016) cost: (separate supplemental appropriation required)

(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2017) 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? ves

If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 12 months

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version:

Cost assumptions revised.

Change in Revenues

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

HB188 establishes an Alaska Savings program for eligible disabled individuals. Program accounts may not be considered when determining eligibility for means-tested programs.
CSHB188(L&C), version N adds a new section (AS 06.65.330) that allows state Medicaid programs to file a claim against a decedent's program account to recover medical assistance costs of the individual after the account was established.
Based on the number of people who participate in the college savings plans, and the number of disabled individuals in the state, we do not consider this to be a large impact on the estate recovery unit of the Division of Health Care Services. There will not be any monitoring. It is anticipated that the contracted vendor will provide a monthly report to the Medicaid Program.
Regulation changes will be required and will be promulgated within 12 months of the legislation's effective date.

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