# **Fiscal Note**

## State of Alaska 2015 Legislative Session

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Department: Department of Labor and Workforce Development Appropriation: Workers' Compensation

Title: WORKERS' COMP MEDICAL FEES; DELAY Sponsor: LABOR & COMMERCE

Allocation: Workers' Compensation

Requester: House Labor and Commerce

OMB Component Number: 344

#### **Expenditures/Revenues**

Note: Amounts do not include in	nflation unless of	therwise noted	below.			(Thousand	s of Dollars)
		Included in					
	FY2016	Governor's					
	Appropriation	FY2016		Out-Ye	ar Cost Estima	tes	
	Requested	Request					
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	FY 2016	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
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	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Positions							
Full-time							
Part-time							

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2015) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

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

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2016) cost: 0.0 (separate capital appropriation required)

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

#### **ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS**

Temporary

Change in Revenues

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 No If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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**

With the passage of HB 316 in 2014, the Medical Services Review Committee was tasked with creating conversion factors for a fee schedule produced by the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for Workers' Compensation medical billings. This bill postpones the effective date of the new fee schedule from July 1, 2015 to December 1, 2015.						
There is no fiscal impact to the Department of Labor and Workforce Development anticipated as a result of this legislation.						

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