

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2019 Legislative Session

Bill Version:	SB 35
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Identifier: LL0873-2-DOC-IDO-01-19-19  
Title: CRIMES;SEX CRIMES;SENTENCING; PAROLE  
Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR  
Requester: (H) STA

Department: Department of Corrections  
Appropriation: Population Management  
Allocation: Institution Director's Office  
OMB Component Number: 1381

## Expenditures/Revenues

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

(Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2020 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2020 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2020	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous	73.2		73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2
<b>Total Operating</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>73.2</b>

## Fund Source (Operating Only)

1004 Gen Fund (UGF)	73.2		73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2	73.2
<b>Total</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>73.2</b>	<b>73.2</b>

## Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

## Change in Revenues

None							
<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>

**Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2019) cost:** 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

**Estimated CAPITAL (FY2020) cost:** 0.0 (separate capital appropriation required)

**Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account?** No  
(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - 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If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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/comments:

Not applicable, initial version.

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## FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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## Analysis

The applicable sections of this bill relate to parole eligibility. The bill directs that inmates serving time for crimes for which they may not earn statutory good time cannot be eligible for discretionary parole. This bill impacts approximately ten individuals annually who would be considered for discretionary parole. It is normally granted to about 20 percent of those for whom it is considered. The average reduction in time incarcerated is seven months.

This legislation will have a fiscal impact on insitutions because two individuals who would have received discretionary parole will now remain incarcerated for an additional seven months each at a cost of \$168.74 per day. This is an additional 434 days (14 months x 31 days) of care annually for an additional cost of \$73.2.

Without knowing the actual impacted inmates, the specific institution where they will spend the additional time can't be known at this point so costs are reflected in the Insitution Director's Office and will be allocated to the appropriate component later.

The total cost per day for inmate care is comprised of all the costs involved, both direct and indirect.