Fiscal Note State of Alaska Bill Version: **HB 68** 2023 Legislative Session Fiscal Note Number: () Publish Date: Identifier: Department: Department of Public Safety HB68CS(JUD)-DPS-CJIS-04-17-23 Title: CRIME OF SEX/HUMAN TRAFFICKING Appropriation: Statewide Support RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR Sponsor: Allocation: Criminal Justice Information Systems Program Requester: (H) JUDICARY OMB Component Number: 3200 **Expenditures/Revenues** Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars) Included in FY2024 Governor's FY2024 **Out-Year Cost Estimates** Appropriation Requested Request **OPERATING EXPENDITURES** FY 2027 FY 2028 FY 2024 FY 2025 FY 2026 FY 2029 FY 2024 Personal Services Travel Services 42.0 Commodities Capital Outlay **Grants & Benefits** Miscellaneous **Total Operating** 42.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 **Fund Source (Operating Only)** 1004 Gen Fund (UGF) 42.0 42.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 Total **Positions** Full-time Part-time **Temporary** Change in Revenues None Total 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2023) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required) Estimated CAPITAL (FY2024) 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If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?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:

Updated for new CS

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## FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

## STATE OF ALASKA 2023 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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## **Analysis**

This bill advances the People's First Initiative by making substantive and conforming amendments to statutes relating to human and sex trafficking and sex offenses. This bill will further strengthen Alaska's criminal justice system to protect victims, hold offenders accountable, and make Alaska safer.

This bill makes substantive and conforming amendments to statutes relating to sex and human trafficking. The committee substitute adopted in the House Judiciary committee amends Alaska Statute (AS) 12.72 to add a new section for Vacation of Judgment for certain prostitution convictions if the individual was a victim of sex trafficking at the time of the offense. If the conviction is vacated, the Department of Public Safety (DPS) may not release the information as part of a criminal history record request in certain purposes. The bill also modifies AS 12.63.100 and the definition of sex offenses requiring requiring registration.

The DPS Division of Statewide Services (SWS) is responsible for maintaining the state's central registry of sex offenders under AS 18.65.087. The SWS is also responsible for maintaining the state's central repository of criminal history record information and collecting, storing, and releasing criminal justice information under AS 12.62. The bill will impact the technical programming the DPS has in place for managing the dissemination of criminal history records under AS 12.62.160. Programming changes will be needed to restrict dissemination of certain criminal history record information when a vacatur of judgment is received.

All programming changes to the criminal history repository require the use of contractors experienced with mainframe systems. The DPS estimates the programming changes will require a total of 300 hours to complete at a rate of \$140 per hour, based on similar programming changes and current contractor rates, for a one-time cost of \$42,000.

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