

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2023 Legislative Session

Bill Version: HB 138  
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Identifier: HB138-DCCED-CBPL-04-14-23  
Title: AUD. & SPEECH-LANG INTERSTATE COMPACT  
Sponsor: WRIGHT  
Requester: (H) LABOR & COMMERCE

Department: Department of Commerce, Community and  
Economic Development  
Appropriation: Corporations, Business and Professional  
Licensing  
Allocation: Corporations, Business and Professional  
Licensing  
OMB Component Number: 2360

## Expenditures/Revenues

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

(Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2024 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2024 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2024	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029
Personal Services			37.8				
Travel							
Services	2.5		25.0				
Commodities			10.0				
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
<b>Total Operating</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>72.8</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

## Fund Source (Operating Only)

1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF)	2.5		72.8				
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>72.8</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

## Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary			1.0				

## Change in Revenues

1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF)	2.5		72.8				
<b>Total</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>72.8</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

**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? Yes  
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 07/01/24

## 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

This legislation would make Alaska a member state of the Audiology and Speech-Language Interstate Compact (ASLP-IC or "compact"), which would allow Alaska's audiologists (AUDs) and speech-language pathologists (SLPs) with unencumbered licenses who have had no adverse action against their license within two years to apply for and work under compact privilege in any other member states; and would allow the same for AUDs and SLPs meeting the same requirements in Alaska.

If this bill passes a long-term non-permanent Administrative Assistant 1 (AA1) would be required to assist with processing fingerprint cards and other administrative tasks. It is anticipated that this position would be required for approximately six months.

If the bill passes the following expenses will be incurred:

Personal Services:	FY25 only:	\$37.8 for 1 long term non-permanent Admin Assistant 1 (R12)
Services:	FY24 only:	\$2.5 (printing, postage, and legal costs for regulations project to conform with statutory changes)
	FY25 only:	\$25.0 for core services charges
Commodities:	FY25 only:	\$10.0 for one-time set up costs

*Professional licensing programs within the Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing are funded by Receipt Supported Services (fund source 1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF)). Licensing fees for each occupation are set per AS 08.01.065. The total amount of revenue collected approximately equals each occupation's actual regulatory costs.*