

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
2023 Legislative Session

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Identifier: SB104-DCCED-DCRA-03-17-23
Title: CIVIL LEGAL SERVICES FUND
Sponsor: DUNBAR
Requester: (S) Judiciary

Department: Department of Commerce, Community and
Economic Development
Appropriation: Community and Regional Affairs
Allocation: Community and Regional Affairs
OMB Component Number: 2879

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 | | | | | | | |
| Travel | | | | | | | |
| Services | | | | | | | |
| Commodities | | | | | | | |
| Capital Outlay | | | | | | | |
| Grants & Benefits | 451.8 | 301.2 | | | | | |
| Miscellaneous | | | | | | | |
| Total Operating | 451.8 | 301.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Fund Source (Operating Only)

| | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------|--------------|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 1221 Legal Serv (DGF) | 451.8 | 301.2 | | | | | |
| Total | 451.8 | 301.2 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Positions

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|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Full-time | | | | | | | |
| Part-time | | | | | | | |
| Temporary | | | | | | | |

Change in Revenues

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|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| 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If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? N/A

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

SB 104 amends AS 37.05.590 to change the amount of filing fees received by the Alaska Court System during the prior closed fiscal year that may be appropriated to the civil legal services fund from 10% to 25% .

In the Governor's FY2024 request, civil legal services funds are appropriated to the department as a grant to the Alaska Legal Services Corporation. The current language appropriation in the Governor's request is based on 10% of court filing fees collected in FY2022. In FY2022 a total of \$3,012.1 was collected by the Alaska Court System in civil filing fees; 25% of that amount is \$753.0.

Existing fund capitalization language included in the Governor's FY2024 request would need to be amended to reflect the revised amount.

Grants to named recipients in the operating budget are administered by the Division of Community and Regional Affairs.