

FISCAL NOTE

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STATE OF ALASKA

2000 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Revision Date: 2/18/00
 Title: "An Act relating to release of certain persons alleged to have committed certain sexual offenses"
 Sponsor: Representative Rokeberg
 Requestor: (H) RLS

Department Affected: Administration
 BRU: Legal and Advocacy Services
 Component: Public Defender Agency

COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 1631

EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006
PERSONAL SERVICES	**	**	**	**	**	**
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	**	**	**	**	**	**

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	**	**	**	**	**	**
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()	**	**	**	**	**	**
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FUND SOURCE: (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts	**	**	**	**	**	**
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
OTHER						
TOTAL	**	**	**	**	**	**

Estimate of any current year (FY 2000) cost: \$ _____

POSITIONS:

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)

See attached.

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 Agency: Department of Administration

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ANALYSIS: (continued)

This bill directs the court's discretion regarding release conditions on those defendants charged with or convicted of sexual assault and abuse offenses who are able to make bail. The bill requires the court to consider the safety of the alleged victim and gives the court broad authority to impose conditions to protect the alleged victim and ensure the defendant's appearance. The bill also requires the court to assure that the alleged victim has been notified of release hearings and to solicit comments if the victim wishes to comment.

This bill may have some fiscal impact on the Public Defender Agency. The Agency represents defendants in bail hearings on these offenses. This bill may make representing clients at these bail hearings somewhat more difficult. However, it is not possible to quantify what the potential impact would be.