

# FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA  
2000 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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Bill Version: \$B259  
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Revision Date: February 15, 2000  
Title: "An Act relating to criminal impersonation"  
Sponsor: Senator Taylor  
Requestor: (S) JUD

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 00) cost: \$ -0-

**POSITIONS:**

FULL-TIME						
PART-TIME						
TEMPORARY						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)

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ANALYSIS: (continued)

This bill would add a provision to the Criminal Impersonation statute that would make possession of a false identification card or an identification card that belongs to someone else a class A misdemeanor offense. The defendant would have to possess the card with intent to commit a crime or to defraud.

The Public Defender Agency expects some financial impact as a result of this bill. This bill significantly expands the activity covered by criminal impersonation. We estimate that there are many cases where underage people use "false id's" to try to get alcohol and tobacco. If these all these cases end up being prosecuted as state misdemeanors, the impact could be significant. However, with our current information, it is not possible to make an accurate estimate of the number of new cases that will be prosecuted. Therefore, the Public Defender Agency is submitting an indeterminate fiscal note.