

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2001 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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 Bill Version: HB 251
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Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: Law
 Title "...to the commission of an offense or juvenile BRU Criminal Division; Civil Division
delinquency act involving the victim's race, sex, color, religion ..." Component 1st-4th Judicial Districts; Criminal
 Sponsor Rule Committee Appeals/Special Lit; Human Services
 Requester Governor Component No. 2198-99;2201/03/08/61/79

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007
Personal Services						
Travel						
Contractual						
Supplies						
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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 (Specify Type)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2001) cost: 0.0

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POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This bill makes changes to both civil and criminal law to implement an action plan against intolerance and "hate crimes" in Alaska. It would prohibit the suspension of imposition of sentences in hate crimes cases; expand the list of attributes permitting the imposition of an aggravated sentence; establish mandatory minimum sentences for hate crime misdemeanors; set sanctions for juveniles that commit hate crimes; and enact a civil right of action for discriminatory harassment.

Passage of this legislation is not anticipated to have a fiscal impact on the Department of Law. The statutory changes relating to prosecutions increase the penalties individuals convicted of these crimes must face, and are not expected to cause a significant increase in caseload.

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