

# FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA**  
**2002 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

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 Bill Version: CSHB 274(L&C)  
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Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): \_\_\_\_\_ Department: Labor and Workforce Development  
 Title: Expedited Workers' Compensation Hearing BRU: Workers' Compensation  
 Component: Workers' Compensation  
 Sponsor: Representative Coghill  
 Requester: House L&C Component Number: 344

**Expenditures/Revenues** (Thousands of Dollars)

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008
Personal Services						
Travel						
Contractual						
Supplies						
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURES</b>						
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<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )</b>						
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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)						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

Estimate of any current year (FY2002) cost: None

Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2003 budget proposal:

**POSITIONS**

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

**ANALYSIS:** (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This bill would require any physician performing an employer requested or board ordered medical evaluation to be licensed in the state or jurisdiction where the examination takes place. The bill would also give the Workers' Compensation Board authority to provide an expedited hearing to an injured worker who needs medical treatment where the treatment is necessary to avoid harm to that worker. The department does not anticipate a financial impact as a result of this legislation.

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