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 Title: "An act relating to election campaigns
and legislative ethics BRU: Alaska Public Offices Commission
 Sponsor: Senate State Affairs Component: _____
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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	10.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Travel	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Contractual	18.7	23.2	23.2	23.2	21.0	21.0
Supplies	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6	0.6
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING	31.4	33.8	23.8	23.8	21.6	21.6

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	31.4	33.8	23.8	23.8	21.6	21.6
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type)						
TOTAL	31.4	33.8	23.8	23.8	21.6	21.6

Estimate of any current year (FY2001) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

Full-time	0	0	0	0	0	0
Part-time	0	0	0	0	0	0
Temporary	0	0	0	0	0	0

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

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Fiscal Note Analysis
SB 103

This is staff's estimate of the fiscal impact of SB 103. The Commission will not have an opportunity to review the proposed legislation and staff's recommendations for a fiscal note until their next meeting on March 28 – 30, 2001.

SB 103 increases the amount of surplus campaign goods that may be taken by a candidate for personal use from \$2500 to \$5000 and provides that candidates may also retain campaign photographs, seasonal greeting cards and campaign signs. It also removes legislators from the restrictions on using public resources to support or oppose ballot propositions, amends the definition of "contribution" to exclude the professional services of accountants and attorneys given to political parties, and provides that issue polls are not contributions when given to a candidate unless they are specifically designed to benefit the candidate.

This draft fiscal note reflects the costs to the Commission for conducting statewide seminars to educate candidates, groups, and political parties about the changes; revising manuals, forms, and database structures; and responding to informal inquiries advisory opinion requests, and complaints.

Personal services costs reflect overtime for current employees, or part-time temporary clerical support to amend reporting materials and conduct training for the Anchorage municipal elections and the 2002 state and municipal election cycles.