

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2003 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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 Bill Version: HB 283
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Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: Natural Resources
 Title Limitations on coal leases BRU Minerals, Land & Water Dev.
 Component Claims, Permits and Leases
 Sponsor Rep. Fate
 Requester (H) Resources Component No. 2460

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006	FY 2007	FY 2008	FY 2009
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 ()	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (Specify Type--Do not abbreviate)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2003) cost: 0.0
 Check this box (X) if funding for this bill is included in the Governor's FY 2004 budget proposal:

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This bill doubles the limit of the total aggregate acreage a person may hold in coal leases or permits from 46,080 to 92,160 acres.

The Department supports the bill. The change in allowable acreage is consistent with a recent change in federal law that increased the aggregate acreage of federal coal leases held by one company.

Fiscal Impact

The department can predict no significant fiscal impact for this bill. This bill would not increase costs to state government.

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