

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2008 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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 Dept. Affected: Health & Social Services
 RDU: Public Health
 Component: State Medical Examiner

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 Title: ANATOMICAL GIFTS
 Sponsor: MCGUIRE
 Requester: SENATE HES

Component No. 293

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

	Appropriation Required	Information					
	FY 2009	FY 2009	FY 2010	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014
OPERATING EXPENDITURES							
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	0.0
CAPITAL EXPENDITURES							
CHANGE IN REVENUES (0)							

FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

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

Estimate of any current year (FY2008) cost: _____

POSITIONS

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

The purpose of CSSB181 (HES) is to increase organ donations by re-defining the authority and roles of the State Medical Examiner (SME), organ procurement organizations, hospitals, EMS responders and others involved in organ donations. It stems from a recent national rewrite of the Uniform Anatomical Gift Act. The bill also affects end-of-life decisions, generally in favor of organ donation. The bill also broadens the pool of organ donors by lowering the age of decision from 18 to 16 and expanding the list of people authorized to make an anatomical gift.

The sections of CSSB181 (HES) that most directly impact DHSS involve the role of the SME in working with organ procurement organizations. Pages 16-18 of the bill clarify those roles. There is no fiscal impact to the SME Office.

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