

FISCAL NOTE

STATE OF ALASKA
2010 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

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Identifier (file name): "An Act Relating to Cruelty to Animals"
 Title _____ Dept. Affected: DOC
 RDU Administration & Support
 Component Commissioner's Office
 Sponsor Representatives Gatto, Gruenberg
 Requester House Judiciary Committee Component Number 694

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

	Appropriation Required	Information						
		FY 2011	FY 2011	FY 2012	FY 2013	FY 2014	FY 2015	FY 2016
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	0.0

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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CHANGE IN REVENUES ()	0.0	0.0	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								
1005 GF/Program Receipts								
1037 GF/Mental Health								
Other Interagency Receipts								
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2010) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

Full-time								
Part-time								
Temporary								

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

If passed, this legislation makes knowingly and intentionally inflicting severe prolonged pain or suffering upon an animal a felony. The Department of Corrections (DOC) does not have the data needed to quantify the impact of this legislation. We currently have three inmates with cruelty to animal convictions, however, for all three incarcerated individuals there are numerous other convictions in addition to cruelty to animals. For example, in addition to the cruelty to animal conviction, one inmate was convicted of: Theft 2, Murder 1, Vehicle Theft 1, Cruelty to Animals, Attempted Murder 1, and Murder 1 intent to cause death. If this legislation is passed, DOC will closely monitor the impact and could potentially request additional funding based on actual impacts.

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