

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
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Identifier: HB080-EED-SSA-2-27-15
 Title: REPEAL COLLEGE/CAREER READINESS ASSESS.
 Sponsor: GATTIS
 Requester: House Education Committee

Department: Department of Education and Early Development
 Appropriation: Teaching and Learning Support
 Allocation: Student and School Achievement
 OMB Component Number: 2796

Expenditures/Revenues

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2016 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2016 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
	FY 2016	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
OPERATING EXPENDITURES							
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services	(525.0)	525.0	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	(525.0)	525.0	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)

Fund Source (Operating Only)

1004 Gen Fund	(525.0)	525.0	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)
Total	(525.0)	525.0	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)	(525.0)

Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

Change in Revenues							
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Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2015) cost: 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*
(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2016) cost: 0.0 *(separate capital appropriation required)*
(discuss reasons and fund source(s) in analysis section)

ASSOCIATED REGULATIONS

Does the bill direct, or will the bill result in, regulation changes adopted by your agency? Yes
 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 12/31/15

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version:

Not applicable, initial version.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This bill repeals AS 14.03.075(a), the requirement for high school students to participate in college and career readiness assessments to qualify for a high school diploma.

This bill repeals AS 14.03.075(b), the award of a certificate of achievement for students that do not qualify for a diploma through the participation of a college and career readiness assessment.

The bill repeals AS 14.03.075(c), the requirement for the Department of Education & Early Development (DEED) to pay the fees for students to take a single administration of a college and career readiness assessment within two years prior to a student's graduation date.

This bill repeals AS 14.03.075(e)(1), the definition of "college and career readiness assessment."

This bill repeals AS 14.07.165(a)(5), removing from the state board's duties the requirement to implement regulations on the college and career ready assessments, providing for the needs of a student with a disability, setting standards for a waiver, and addressing the logistics of the assessments.

This bill repeals AS 14.07.165(b), the reference to the definition in this section of "child with a disability."

Currently, under AS 14.03.075 (c), DEED pays the fee for a single administration of a college and career readiness assessment (ACT, SAT, or WorkKeys) for each high school student within two years prior to a student's graduation date. The estimated cost is calculated based on 10,000 students tested at an exam price of \$52.50 = \$525.0.