

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
2016 Legislative Session

Bill Version:	CSHB 147(JUD)
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Identifier: HB147-DEC-EHL-01-29-16
 Title: ANIMALS: PROTECTION/RELEASE/CUSTODY
 Sponsor: VAZQUEZ
 Requester: HOUSE JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Department: Department of Environmental Conservation
 Appropriation: Environmental Health
 Allocation: Laboratory Services
 OMB Component Number: 2065

Expenditures/Revenues

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

	FY2017	Included in	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
	Appropriation Requested	Governor's FY2017 Request	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2017	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

None							
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

Change in Revenues

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

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2017) 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? No
 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version:

Updated for the 2016 legislative session.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis**Analysis/Assumptions:**

This bill amends the law to hold an owner of animals lawfully seized due to cruelty responsible for the costs associated with their care during a cruelty trial. It adds pets to protective orders in cases of domestic violence and permits a judge to consider the well-being of an animal when determining custody in a divorce or dissolution.

The Department has the authority under AS 03.55.100(c) to adopt regulations regarding the minimum standards of care for animals. As written, this bill has no fiscal impact to the Department of Environmental Conservation.