

Fiscal Note

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 Title: ADVANCED PRACTICE REGISTERED NURSES
 Sponsor: GIESSEL
 Requester: (S) LABOR & COMMERCE

Department: Department of Commerce, Community and
Economic Development
 Appropriation: Corporations, Business and Professional
Licensing
 Allocation: Corporations, Business and Professional
Licensing
 OMB Component Number: 2360

Expenditures/Revenues

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

	FY2016	Included in	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
	Appropriation Requested	Governor's FY2016 Request	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2016	FY 2016					
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services	7.5						
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	7.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

1156 Rcpt Svcs	7.5						
Total	7.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Positions

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

Change in Revenues	7.5						
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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 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 07/01/16

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version:

The division has identified areas where regulations would not be required and has reduced the note accordingly.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

SB 53 was requested by the advanced practice registered nurses (APRN) in Alaska through the APRN Alliance to reduce confusion about titling for consumers and payers. It brings Alaska into alignment with the APRN Consensus Model, a national best practices act.

It is anticipated that the Board of Nursing, Medical Board, and Board of Professional Counselors would each need to replace outdated terminology that conforms to this statutory change. The division estimates that the cost to each of these licensing programs could be up to \$2.5 per program for attorney review, regulations specialist time, printing, and postage to affected licensees. As required by AS 08.01.065, the cost of promulgating regulations will be recovered through license fee receipts.

If the bill passes the division will require \$7.5 to cover legal costs to amend regulations, printing, and postage.

Professional licensing programs within the Division of Corporations, Business and Professional Licensing are funded by Receipt Supported Services, fund source 1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF). Licensing fees for each occupation are set per AS 08.01.065 so the total amount of revenue collected approximately equals the occupation's actual regulatory costs.