

Fiscal Note

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Identifier: SB055CS(L&C)-DCCED-CBPL-04-14-16
Title: OPTOMETRY & OPTOMETRISTS
Sponsor: GIESSEL BY REQUEST
Requester: (S) Finance

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)

	FY2017 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2017 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates					
			FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021	FY 2022
OPERATING EXPENDITURES								
Personal Services								
Travel								
Services	2.5							
Commodities								
Capital Outlay								
Grants & Benefits								
Miscellaneous								
Total Operating	2.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

1156 Rcpt Svcs	2.5							
Total	2.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Positions

Full-time								
Part-time								
Temporary								

Change in Revenues	2.5							
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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? Yes
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 07/01/17

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version:

Updated analysis to reflect changes from committee substitute.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

CSSB 55(L&C) expands the practice of optometrists to include additional prescriptive authority, with the prescription of controlled substances limited to a seven-day supply. It authorizes the board to establish in regulation licensee continuing education standards, prescriptive standards, and the scope of practice to perform ophthalmic surgery and noninvasive procedures.

If the bill passes the division will require \$2.5 to cover legal costs to amend regulations, printing, and postage in the first year.

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.