

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
2020 Legislative Session

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Identifier: 4106-3-DOC-HDO-1-20-2020
 Title: SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY; NOTICE TO VICTIMS
 Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR
 Requester: Governor

Department: Department of Corrections
 Appropriation: Health and Rehabilitation Services
 Allocation: Health and Rehabilitation Director's Office
 OMB Component Number: 3097

Expenditures/Revenues

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

	FY2021 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2021 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates					
			FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
Personal Services	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***
Travel								
Services								
Commodities								
Capital Outlay								
Grants & Benefits								
Miscellaneous								
Total Operating	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***

Fund Source (Operating Only)

None								
Total	***	***	***	***	***	***	***	***

Positions

Full-time								
Part-time								
Temporary								

Change in Revenues

None								
Total	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2020) cost: 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2021) cost: 0.0 *(separate capital appropriation required)*

Does the bill create or modify a new fund or account? No
(Supplemental/Capital/New Fund - 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 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 12/31/21

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Not applicable, initial version.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This legislation amends AS 12.63 establishing a mechanism to allow an offender's information to be removed from the Internet registry.

AS 12.63.035 (a) (2) establishes a condition for removal from the internet registry that requires the sex offender or child kidnapper, within the previous year, be assessed as low-risk by a treatment provider approved by the Department of Corrections under AS 44.28.020 (d), at the offenders expense.

AS 12.63.035 (g) establishes a process that allows the court to require the Department of Corrections pay all or a portion of the required assessment costs if the court determines an offender is indigent.

AS 44.28.020 is amended adding a new subsection (d) that requires the Department of Corrections (DOC) to adopt standards, through regulation, of psychosexual evaluations and risk assessments for sex offenders and child kidnappers and approve mental health providers administering the psychosexual evaluations and risk assessments that meet the DOC developed standards.

The department is not able to determine costs associated with the number of offenders that the Court would deem indigent and have the department pay a portion or the full amount of the assessment; therefore, an indeterminate fiscal note is being submitted. The Department will monitor for any future financial impacts if this legislation is passed.