

# Fiscal Note

State of Alaska  
2022 Legislative Session

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| Bill Version:       | SB 177   |
| Fiscal Note Number: | 1        |
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Identifier: LL0503-DEC-EH-01-27-22  
Title: MICROREACTORS  
Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR  
Requester: Governor

Department: Department of Environmental Conservation  
Appropriation: Environmental Health  
Allocation: Environmental Health  
OMB Component Number: 3202

## Expenditures/Revenues

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below.

(Thousands of Dollars)

|                        | FY2023<br>Appropriation<br>Requested | Included in<br>Governor's<br>FY2023<br>Request | Out-Year Cost Estimates |            |            |            |            |
|------------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------|-------------------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| OPERATING EXPENDITURES | FY 2023                              | FY 2023                                        | FY 2024                 | FY 2025    | FY 2026    | FY 2027    | FY 2028    |
| Personal Services      |                                      |                                                |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Travel                 |                                      |                                                |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Services               |                                      |                                                |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Commodities            |                                      |                                                |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Capital Outlay         |                                      |                                                |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Grants & Benefits      |                                      |                                                |                         |            |            |            |            |
| Miscellaneous          |                                      |                                                |                         |            |            |            |            |
| <b>Total Operating</b> | <b>0.0</b>                           | <b>0.0</b>                                     | <b>0.0</b>              | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> |

## Fund Source (Operating Only)

|              |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| None         |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> |

## Positions

|           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|-----------|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Full-time |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Part-time |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Temporary |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

## Change in Revenues

|              |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
|--------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| None         |            |            |            |            |            |            |            |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> | <b>0.0</b> |

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2022) cost: 0.0 (separate supplemental appropriation required)

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2023) 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? No  
If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed?

## Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Not applicable, initial version.

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## FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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This bill exempts the requirement for microreactors to only be situated on legislatively designated lands and from requiring state departments and agencies to conduct studies concerning changes in laws and regulation.

AS 18.45.025 (c) already directs the Department to develop regulations governing the issuance of permits for microreactors. There are currently no microreactors in Alaska and it is expected to take five to seven years before they are in the state. The Department will draft regulations within this timeframe and anticipates being able to absorb that increase in workload within existing staffing levels.