

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
2023 Legislative Session

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| Bill Version: | HB 146 |
| Fiscal Note Number: | 1 |
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Identifier: 0356-DPS-FLS-03-17-22
 Title: REGULATION OF FIREWORKS
 Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR
 Requester: Governor

Department: Department of Public Safety
 Appropriation: Fire and Life Safety
 Allocation: Fire and Life Safety
 OMB Component Number: 3051

Expenditures/Revenues

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

| | FY2024 | Included in | Out-Year Cost Estimates | | | | |
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| | Appropriation Requested | Governor's FY2024 Request | FY 2025 | FY 2026 | FY 2027 | FY 2028 | FY 2029 |
| OPERATING EXPENDITURES | FY 2024 | FY 2024 | | | | | |
| 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)

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| None | | | | | | | |
| Total | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Positions

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

Change in Revenues

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| None | | | | | | | |
| Total | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 |

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2023) cost: 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2024) 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 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 01/01/24

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Not applicable, initial version.

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| Agency: | Department of Public Safety | | |

FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This bill amends AS 18.72 relating to state regulation of fireworks by repealing substantive provisions and, in their place, authorizes and directs the Department of Public Safety (DPS) to adopt regulations.

Within DPS, the Division of Fire and Life Safety (DFLS), Life Safety Inspection Bureau, administers the firework permits program and issues the following types of permits: firework display permits, pyrotechnic operators permits; retail firework permits; and wholesale firework permits.

This bill requires the DFLS to adopt regulations related to the sale, storage, and use of fireworks. It is expected that the regulations will be adopted within six months of the effective date of the bill, but no later than January 1, 2024.

DFLS currently charges nominal fees for each permit. Fees collected for firework permits are deposited into the state general fund. Any change to the permit fee schedule would be included as part of the regulation project and subject to public notice and comment.

Because the substantive changes of this bill are simply to move provisions of statute to regulation, no fiscal impact to DFLS is expected. Therefore, a zero fiscal note is being submitted.