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 Title: PHYSICAL THERAPY LICENSURE COMPACT
 Sponsor: WILSON
 Requester: (H) 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)

	FY2025 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2025 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates					
			FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029	FY 2030
OPERATING EXPENDITURES								
Personal Services	80.0		80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0	80.0
Travel								
Services	27.5		25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0	25.0
Commodities	10.0							
Capital Outlay								
Grants & Benefits								
Miscellaneous								
Total Operating	117.5	0.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF)	117.5		105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0
Total	117.5	0.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0

Positions

Full-time	1.0		1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
Part-time							
Temporary							

Change in Revenues

1156 Rcpt Svcs (DGF)	117.5		105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0
Total	117.5	0.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0	105.0

Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2024) cost: 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*

Estimated CAPITAL (FY2025) 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 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 07/01/25

Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:

Updated to reflect new committee substitute, which removed biometric criminal background check requirement for existing Alaska license holders. Then updated from SLA 2023 to SLA 2024 fiscal note template and reference the July 1, 2024 effective date.

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FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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Analysis

This legislation would make Alaska a member state of the Interstate Physical Therapy Licensure Compact, which would allow Alaska physical therapists and physical therapist assistants with unencumbered licenses who have had no adverse action against their license within two years to apply for and work under compact privilege in any other member states; and would allow the same for physical therapists and assistants meeting the same requirements to work in Alaska. Alaska will have the ability to set fees for professionals from other member states requesting compact privilege. Those professionals will be required to follow all Alaska laws, and the Alaska Board of Physical Therapy & Occupational Therapy will retain full jurisdiction over these professionals regardless of whether they are practicing under an Alaska license or a compact privilege.

If this bill passes, a permanent Administrative Assistant 1 would be required to assist with processing fingerprint cards and other administrative tasks.

If the bill passes the following expenses will be incurred:

Personal Services:

FY25 and beyond: \$80.0 for one full-time Administrative Assistant 1 (R12)

Services:

FY25 only: \$2.5 for legal costs to amend regulations, printing, and postage

FY25 and beyond: \$25.0 for core services per position

Commodities: FY25 only: \$10.0 for one-time set up costs for the new Administrative Assistant 1 position

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