

Fiscal Note

State of Alaska
2023 Legislative Session

Bill Version:	SB 96
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Identifier: 0072-EED-SSA-3-6-23
Title: SEX/REPRODUCTION EDUCATION; SCHOOLS
Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR
Requester: Governor

Department: Department of Education and Early Development
Appropriation: Education Support and Admin Services
Allocation: Student and School Achievement
OMB Component Number: 2796

Expenditures/Revenues

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

(Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2024 Appropriation Requested	Included in Governor's FY2024 Request	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2024	FY 2024	FY 2025	FY 2026	FY 2027	FY 2028	FY 2029
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services	6.0						
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
Total Operating	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Fund Source (Operating Only)

1004 Gen Fund (UGF)	6.0						
Total	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

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

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If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 03/01/24

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 bill adds to the list of parental rights regarding their student(s) participating in activities or classes, specifically activities involving gender identity, human reproduction, or sexual matters. It directs districts to create procedures and timelines for parental notification in order for the parent to “opt in” to the activity or classes involving gender identity, human reproduction, or sexual matters. In addition, parental consent is required for any name change or pronoun. The bill also provides remedies for parents regarding the violation of these district policies.

Additionally, this bill prohibits a school district or regional educational attendance area from selectively withholding information regarding their child’s physical, medical, or mental health from parents or legal guardians unless it is determined that the information may result in child abuse or neglect.

Finally, the bill requires districts to create policies and procedures to ensure the safety and privacy for students in locker rooms and restrooms by providing a separation by biological sex.

The effective date of this legislation is July 1, 2023 (FY2024).

The fiscal impact of this bill is a one-time cost of \$6.0 legal services costs associated with regulation development.