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## FOR YOUR IMMEDIATE ATTENTION

DATE: March 14, 1997  
TO: Judiciary Committee  
(Senator Taylor)  
FROM: Office of the Senate Secretary

Pursuant to Section 23, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Alaska, EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 98 and EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 99 become law if the legislature has not disapproved them by the sixtieth legislative day. Please return the files to the Senate Secretary's Office for transmittal to the Governor.

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 98 - RETRIEVE**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 99 - RETRIEVE**

Please give the file(s) to the page to return to the Senate Secretary's Office.

Thank you.

# FISCAL NOTE

No. 1

**STATE OF ALASKA**  
**1997 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

**BILL NO:** Bill Version: ED98  
(S) Publish Date: 1/13/97

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: Public Safety  
 Title: Executive Order - Transferring certain BRU: Alaska State Troopers  
functions of CVE to DOT/PF Component: Commercial Vehicle Enforcement  
 Sponsor: Rules  
 Requestor: Governor COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 1235

**EXPENDITURES/REVENUES: (Thousands of Dollars) (inflation not included)**

	FY 98	FY 99	FY 00	FY 01	FY 02	FY 03
<b>OPERATING</b>						
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
<b>CAPITAL EXPENDITURES</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
<b>CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-
Revenue Code						

**FUNDING: (Thousands of Dollars)**

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1006 GF/MHTIA						
Other						
<b>TOTAL</b>	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-	-0-


Estimate of current year (FY 97) impact: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**POSITIONS:**

FULL-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPORARY	0	0	0	0	0	0

**ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary.)**

Funding and positions will be transferred from the Department of Public Safety to the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities by submission of a budget amendment.

Prepared By: Sandy Perry-Provost, Special Assistant to the Commissioner Phone: 465-4322  
 Division: Commissioners Office Date: 1/6/97  
 Approved by Commissioner:  Date: 1/6/97  
 Agency: Ronald L. Otte, Dept. of Public Safety

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# FISCAL NOTE

Bill Version: EO 98

(S) Publish Date: 1/13/97

STATE OF ALASKA  
1997 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Title: Executive Order transferring the Division of  
Measurement Standards to DOT/PF  
 Sponsor: Rules Committee  
 Requestor: Governor

Department: Commerce and Economic Development  
 BRU: Measurement Standards  
 Component: Measurement Standards  
 COMPONENT SERIAL NO. \_\_\_\_\_ 349

Expenditures/Revenues

(Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 98	FY 99	FY 00	FY 01	FY 02	FY 03
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
<b>TOTAL OPERATING</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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CHANGE IN REVENUES	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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FUND SOURCE

(Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 General Fund						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1006 GF/MHTIA						
Other						
<b>TOTAL</b>	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY 97) cost: \$ 0.0

POSITIONS

FULL-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPORARY	0	0	0	0	0	0

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

This illustrates the fiscal impact of an Executive Order transferring the functions of the Division of Measurement Standards in the Department of Commerce and Economic Development to the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities (DOT/PF). The transfer of the Division of Measurement Standards will have no net fiscal impact; the full amount of funding will be transferred from DCED to DOT/PF by budget amendment.

Prepared by: Edward Moses  
 Division: Measurement Standards  
 Approved by Commissioner: William L. Hensley  
 Agency: Commerce and Economic Development

Phone: 345-7750  
 Date: 3 January, 1997  
 Date: 1-6-97

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# FISCAL NOTE

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## STATE OF ALASKA 1997 LEGISLATIVE SESSION

Revision Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Dept. Affected: DOT&PF  
 Title: Transfer of certain DPS and DCED functions BRU: Office of the Commissioner  
To DOT Component: Commissioner's Office  
 Sponsor: Rules Committee  
 Requester: Governor COMPONENT SERIAL NO. 530

### Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 98	FY 99	FY 00	FY 01	FY 02	FY 03
PERSONAL SERVICES						
TRAVEL						
CONTRACTUAL						
SUPPLIES						
EQUIPMENT						
LAND & STRUCTURES						
GRANTS, CLAIMS						
MISCELLANEOUS						
TOTAL OPERATING	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CAPITAL EXPENDITURES	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
CHANGE IN REVENUES ( )	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

### FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1006 GF/MHTIA						
Other						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY97) cost: \$ 0.0

### POSITIONS

FULL-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	0	0	0	0	0
TEMPORARY	0	0	0	0	0	0

### ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Transfer of functions is expected to occur on July 1 1997 and will involve budget amendments which will transfer the appropriate funding and positions from DPS and DCED to DOT&PF

Prepared by: Sam Kito III Phone: 465-3900  
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 Division: Office of the Commissioner Special Assistant Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Approved by: \_\_\_\_\_ Commissioner Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Agency: Department of Transportation and Public Facilities

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Official Business

# Alaska State Legislature

## SENATE

State Capitol  
Juneau, AK 99801-1182

January 14, 1997

### MEMORANDUM

TO: Senator Taylor, Chair  
Judiciary Committee

FROM: Nancy Quinto  
Secretary of the Senate

RE: Executive Order No. 98

The President has referred the above Executive Order 98 (Transferring enforcement of size and weight standards for vehicles, inspection of scales and other measuring and weight devices used in trade and commerce and monitoring of commercial practices relating to the measuring of various products; and enforcement of air carrier financial responsibility requirements, and administration of commercial motor vehicle safety inspection programs and of the state's commercial motor vehicle financial responsibility program to the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities) to your committee.

Section 23, Article III of the Constitution states:

The governor may make changes in the organization of the executive branch or in the assignment of functions among its units which he considers necessary for efficient administration. Where these changes require the force of law, they shall be set forth in executive orders. The legislature shall have sixty days of a regular session, or a full session if of shorter duration, to disapprove these executive orders. Unless disapproved by resolution concurred in by a majority of the members in joint session, these orders become effective at a date thereafter to be designated by the governor.

Executive Orders are treated differently than bills. If you wish to report any recommendations to the body, please do so with a memo or in accordance with Section 23, Article III of the Constitution within the sixty day limit.

Attachment

Senate Secretary's  
Transmittal Letter

TONY KNOWLES  
GOVERNOR



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STATE OF ALASKA  
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR  
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January 13, 1997

The Honorable Mike Miller  
President of the Senate  
Alaska State Legislature  
State Capitol  
Juneau, AK 99801-1182

Dear President Miller:

The state of Alaska has various responsibilities in managing its highway system, some of which require compliance with federal standards in order to ensure highway funding. But current oversight of these numerous responsibilities rests between three departments. This makes no sense. Combining all functions of highway management within the Department of Transportation and Public Facilities (DOTPF) is simply good, efficient government.

This Executive Order 98 transfers commercial highway-related functions from the Department of Commerce and Economic Development (DCED) and Department of Public Safety (DPS) to the DOTPF. Ironically, the DOTPF already is responsible for adopting vehicle size and weight standards, but the DCED enforces those standards through its Division of Weights and Measures. That division will be transferred to the DOTPF, thereby consolidating the entire size and weight standards program.

Another area of confusion concerns the financial responsibility programs for air carriers and commercial motor vehicles. They're currently split between the DCED and the DPS for no obvious organizational reason. Executive Order 98 transfers all these programs to the DOTPF. The air carrier function comes with the Division of Weights and Measures; the commercial motor vehicle safety program will be transferred from the DPS to the DOTPF, becoming an integral part of the new division.

Governor's Transmittal  
Letter

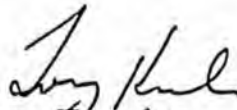
The Honorable Mike Miller

January 13, 1997

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Executive Order 98, along with the other executive order I am offering to you today (Executive Order 99) to transfer functions of the Division of Motor Vehicles from the DPS to the Department of Administration, is part of my Administration's continuing effort to deliver services to the public in the most efficient and cost-effective way possible.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Tony Knowles". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "T".

Tony Knowles  
Governor

**ALASKA TRUCKING ASSOCIATION, INC.**

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January 23, 1997

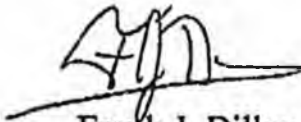
To: Members of the 20th Legislature

The Alaska Trucking Association, a 38 year old trade association with 300 member companies geographically distributed throughout Alaska, strongly urges your support of Executive Order No. 98.

The consolidation of agencies who have major responsibilities towards truck operators will improve Alaska's transportation systems efficiency and safety. It will allow for a better understanding of Federal Funding Requirements and slow the need for increased spending on the truck related matters.

Thank you for your support. Please vote to approve Executive Order 98.

Sincerely,



Frank J. Dillon  
Executive Director



**CARLILE ENTERPRISES, INC.**  
1813 East 1st Avenue • Anchorage, AK 99501 • (907) 276-7797

January 27, 1997

Senator Robin Taylor  
State Capital

Dear Senator Taylor:

Just wanted to let you know that Carlile Enterprises, Inc. and the Alaska Trucking Association support Executive Orders 98 (Consolidation of Agencies related to Truckers) and 99 which relates to moving the Department of Motor Vehicles to Administration we feel both of the orders will improve the quality of service to an organization.

Hope the session is going well.

Sincerely,

Harry McDonald  
President