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Finance Committee considered CS FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 380(L&C)

"An Act relating to contributions to the Alaska Fire Standards Council and to an insurer tax credit for those contributions; and providing for an effective date.

and recommends:

- be replaced with _____ CS
- adopt previous _____ CS
- attached amendment(s)
- adopt Letter of Intent by _____
- further referral to the _____ Committee

SB 380 (L&C)

Further coming
CS

- Senate Bill: same title
- new title
- House Bill: same title
- technical title
- new SCR

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NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department Date Zero Fiscal

#1 DCED	3/29/00	✓	

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):*

Department Date Zero Fiscal

Public Safety	2/19/00	✓	

APPROPRIATION --no fiscal note

*include fiscal notes accompanying Governor's bill

FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA
2000 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

No. 4
 Bill Version: CSHB 380 (LAC)
 (S) Publish Date: 4/13/00

Revision Date March 28, 2000 Dept. Arcted Community & Economic Development
 Title An Act relating to contributions to the Alaska Fire Standards Council and to an insurer tax credit . . . BRU Insurance/AFSC
 Sponsor Representative Therriault Component Insurance/AFSC
 Requester H(FIN) Component No. 354

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006
Personal Services	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
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						
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CHANGE IN REVENUES (1108)	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0	70.0
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FUND SOURCE (Thousands of Dollars)

1002 Federal Receipts						
1003 GF Match						
1004 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1037 GF/Mental Health						
Other (AFSC)						
TOTAL						

Estimate of any current year (FY2000) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

Full-time	0	0	0	0	0	0
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)
 The bill allows a limited tax credit for contributions to the Alaska Fire Standards Council. The contributions would partially offset premium taxes that insurance companies pay on coverage for losses due to fire collected under AS 21.09.210 (general premium tax). The contributions would become designated program receipts under Sec. 2 of the bill. It is impossible to know how many insurance companies may choose to make a contribution and take the limited tax credit against their premium tax obligation to the state. The amount assumed in this fiscal note is consistent with the Governor's proposed budget, which assumes \$220.0 funding for the AFSC. The net increase in revenue to the state is assumed to be \$70.0, since a corresponding general fund reduction of \$150.00 will offset the statutory designated program receipt increase.

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House Bill 380

"An Act relating to contributions to the
Alaska Fire Standards Council and to an
insurer tax credit for those contributions."

SPONSOR: Representative Gene Therriault

SPONSOR STATEMENT:

House Bill 380 creates an insurance tax credit for contributions to the Alaska Fire Standards Council for fire services training programs. Development of fire standards that address the unique challenges posed by Alaska's climate will benefit Alaskans as the incidence of casualty and property loss goes down, including fatalities.

The Alaska Fire Standards Council will be established on July 1, 2000 as directed in legislation passed by the 20th Alaska State Legislature. It will adopt minimum standards for employment and curriculum requirements for firefighters and fire instructors and their certification. It will establish and maintain firefighter and fire instructor training programs. The certification of firefighters will be optional. While national standards already exist, they do not take into account many of the unique qualities Alaska's climate presents.

FISCAL NOTE

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BILL NO. SCS for CSHB 380(FIN)

Revision Date 4/21/00 Dept. Affected Public Safety
 Title Contributions to the Alaska Fire Standards Council BRU Ak. Fire Standards Council
and to an insurer tax credit ... Component: Ak. Fire Standards Council
 Sponsor Representative Therriault
 Requester Senate Rules Committee Component No. 2428

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

OPERATING EXPENDITURES	FY 2001	FY 2002	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005	FY 2006
Personal Services						
Travel						
Contractual						
Supplies						
Equipment						
Land & Structures						
Grants & Claims						
Miscellaneous						
TOTAL OPERATING						

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 GF						
1005 GF/Program Receipts						
1108 Stat. Des/PR	(220.0)	(220.0)	(220.0)	(220.0)	(220.0)	(220.0)
1152 AFSC receipts	220.0	220.0	220.0	220.0	220.0	220.0
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2000) 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)

Technical fiscal note to reflect new fund source established with the passage of this legislation.

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