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FISCAL NOTE

**STATE OF ALASKA
2001 LEGISLATIVE SESSION**

Fiscal Note Number: 1
 Bill Version: SCR 2
 (S) Publish Date: 1/30/01

Revision Date/Time (Note if correction): _____ Dept. Affected: _____
 Title: Relating to declaring March 2001 as BRU: _____
 Sobriety Awareness Month. Component: _____
 Sponsor: Sen. Ward Component Number: _____
 Requester: _____

Expenditures/Revenues (Thousands of Dollars)

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

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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 ()						
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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 (Specify Type)						
TOTAL	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

Estimate of any current year (FY2001) cost: 0.0

POSITIONS

Full-time						
Part-time						
Temporary						

ANALYSIS: (Attach a separate page if necessary)

Prepared by: SENATE HEALTH, EDUCATION & SOCIAL SERVICES COMM Phone 465-3009

Senator: /s/ SENATOR GREEN *Lynne Green* Date 1/29/01
 Committee Chair

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**SENATE COMMITTEE REPORT
First Committee of Referral**

DATE: 1/23/01

FURTHER:

Date of 5-Day Notice: 01/25/01
(in accordance with Uniform Rule 23)

DATE TURNED
IN TO OFFICE: _____

Health, Education and Social Services Committee considered **SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2**

Relating to declaring March 2001 as Sobriety Awareness Month.

and recommends:

- be replaced with CS SCR 2 (HES)
- adopt previous CS _____
- attached amendment(s)
- adopt Letter of Intent by _____ Committee
- further referral to _____ Committee

Senate Bill:

- same title
- new title

House Bill:

- same title
- technical title
- new: SCR # _____

NEW FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Fiscal	Zero	FN#

PREVIOUS FISCAL NOTE(S):

Department	Date	Fiscal	Zero	FN#

APPROPRIATION - no fiscal note

SIGNATURES AND RECOMMENDATIONS:	DO PASS	DO NOT PASS	NO REC	AMEND
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Sponsor Statement SCR 2

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SENATE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE SENATOR LYDA GREEN, CHAIR

Bill: CSSCR 2 (HES)

Short Title: Sobriety Awareness Month

Long Title: "Relating to declaring March 2001 as Sobriety Awareness Month."

Amended: January 31, 2001

Reason Amended: SCR 2 was amended by the Senate HESS Committee to reflect the alarming increase of inhalant abuse and the devastating affects upon society. The Senate HESS Committee felt that it was important to acknowledge the problems associated with the abuse of inhalants along with the abuse of alcohol and drugs.

Changes Made:

- Page 1, line 7: Replaced "alcohol and drugs" with "alcohol, drugs, and inhalants";
- Page 1, line 14: Replaced "alcohol and drug abuse" with "alcohol, drug, and inhalant abuse";
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CONCEPTUAL CS FOR SCR 2
SOBRIETY AWARENESS MONTH

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COMMITTEE SCHEDULE

BUTROVICH 205

1:30 PM

* Today we will also be hearing ECR2 Sobriety Awareness month

Monday February 5

+*SB2 MUNICIPAL SCHOOL BOND REIMBURSEMENT

+*SB11 COMPULSORY SCHOOL AGE

+SB19 CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT/SOC SEC. #

Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Wednesday February 7

+*SB40 EDUC.OF DISABLED OR GIFTED CHILDREN

Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

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COMMITTEE SCHEDULE

BUTROVICH 205

1:30 PM

Monday February 12

+ High School Graduation Qualifying Exam Hearing:

Department of Education & Early Development

Bills Previously Heard/Scheduled

Wednesday February 14

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CS FOR SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2(HES)

IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

TWENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

BY THE SENATE HEALTH, EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SERVICES COMMITTEE

Offered:

Referred:

Sponsor(s): SENATOR WARD

A RESOLUTION

1 **Relating to declaring March 2001 as Sobriety Awareness Month.**

2 **BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:**

3 **WHEREAS** it is the policy of the State of Alaska, under AS 47.37.010, "to recognize,
4 appreciate, and reinforce the example set by its citizens who lead, believe in, and support a
5 life of sobriety"; and

6 **WHEREAS** sobriety has been defined to mean "a positive, healthy, and productive
7 way of life, free from the devastating effects of alcohol, drugs, and inhalants" by more than 50
8 profit and nonprofit organizations, community groups, and student governments throughout
9 the state; and

10 **WHEREAS** these organizations, community groups, and student governments
11 constitute what is commonly referred to as a growing "sobriety movement"; and

12 **WHEREAS** the "sobriety movement" is interpreted as "[t]he collective effort on the
13 part of individuals, families and communities, and public and private agencies, affected by,
14 concerned with, and working toward the prevention of alcohol, drug, and inhalant abuse, who
15 by example encourage and support others in leading a life of sobriety"; and

16 **WHEREAS** the practice and benefits of leading a life of sobriety to Alaska's citizens

1 are threefold:

2 (1) improvement in the quality of life and health of individuals, families, and
3 communities;

4 (2) reduction in the incidence of crimes related to alcohol, drugs, and
5 inhalants;

6 (3) reduction in the burden on government by not having to exhaust its
7 resources to pay for the pervasive problems caused by alcohol, drug, and inh^a int abuse; and

8 **WHEREAS** March has been designated "Sobriety Awareness Month" by the Alaska
9 State Legislature and Governor Knowles every year since 1995 to recognize, appreciate, and
10 reinforce the example set by citizens who lead, believe in, and support a life of sobriety;

11 **BE IT RESOLVED** that the month of March 2001 should be proclaimed as Sobriety
12 Awareness Month; and be it

13 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that Governor Tony Knowles proclaim the same and have
14 copies of the proclamation sent to all the respective departments and departmental agencies
15 within the administration that fund or have contact with youth, schools, family services, or
16 provide rehabilitation or correctional services; and be it

17 **FURTHER RESOLVED** that all Alaska citizens who lead, believe in, or support a
18 life of sobriety indicate so by wearing a white ribbon of their choosing so that they may be
19 readily recognized and appreciated during Sobriety Awareness Month 2001.



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