

# Fiscal Note

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 Title: CRIMES; SENTENCING;DRUGS;THEFT;  
 REPORTS  
 Sponsor: RLS BY REQUEST OF THE GOVERNOR  
 Requester: (S) FIN

Department: Department of Public Safety  
 Appropriation: Village Public Safety Officer Program  
 Allocation: Village Public Safety Officer Program  
 OMB Component Number: 3047

**Expenditures/Revenues**

Note: Amounts do not include inflation unless otherwise noted below. (Thousands of Dollars)

	FY2020	Included in	Out-Year Cost Estimates				
	Appropriation Requested	Governor's FY2020 Request	FY 2021	FY 2022	FY 2023	FY 2024	FY 2025
<b>OPERATING EXPENDITURES</b>	<b>FY 2020</b>	<b>FY 2020</b>					
Personal Services							
Travel							
Services							
Commodities							
Capital Outlay							
Grants & Benefits							
Miscellaneous							
<b>Total Operating</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

**Fund Source (Operating Only)**

None							
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

**Positions**

Full-time							
Part-time							
Temporary							

**Change in Revenues**

None							
<b>Total</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>	<b>0.0</b>

**Estimated SUPPLEMENTAL (FY2019) cost:** 0.0 *(separate supplemental appropriation required)*

**Estimated CAPITAL (FY2020) 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 If yes, by what date are the regulations to be adopted, amended or repealed? 01/01/21

**Why this fiscal note differs from previous version/comments:**

Not applicable, initial version based on 2.13.19 Governor's request.

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## FISCAL NOTE ANALYSIS

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## Analysis

This bill amends AS 18.65.670 relating to the Village Public Safety Officer (VPSO) program by including "Alaska Native organizations" as entities eligible to receive grant funds from the Department of Public Safety (DPS) to participate in and administer the VPSO program within their region, and defines "Alaska Native organization" as an organization listed under AS 47.27.070(a).

Under AS 18.65.670(b) funds are appropriated to DPS to provide grants to eligible entities for village public safety officers. Most of the organizations listed under AS 47.27.020(a) currently receive VPSO grants. Though this bill would expand the organizations eligible to participate in the VPSO program, DPS does not anticipate a fiscal impact as a direct result of its passage. Therefore, a zero fiscal note is being submitted.

VPSO Program regulations under 13 AAC 96.010 - 13 AAC 96.900 would need to be amended to make conforming changes related to entities eligible to participate in the VPSO Program as well as other necessary updates. DPS estimates the regulation process would take no longer than 18 months from the effective date of July 1, 2019, to complete. Therefore, a January 1, 2021, date has been identified as the date by which the regulations would be adopted by.