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To Whom it May Concern:

My name is Lori Klein, and I am the Student Conduct Officer and Director of the Student Resource Center at the University of Alaska Southeast. In my roles, I am dedicated to student success, which includes creating a safe environment for students to live, learn and thrive. In my role as Student Conduct Officer, I enforce the University of Alaska, Board of Regent's Student Code of Conduct (SCC). Included in the SCC are guidelines for acceptable and unacceptable behavior. Within the University of Alaska system, hazing is included under a heading of harassment as a violation of the UA Student Code of Conduct.

I am writing today to support the inclusion of hazing in the bill proposed by Representative Kreiss-Tomkins. While we have very few reports of hazing on the UAS campus, we believe that hazing should not be tolerated in any institution of learning. Thank you for your attention to this important issue.

Sincerely,



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