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HOUSE BILL NO. 298

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IN THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA

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FOURTEENTH LEGISLATURE - FIRST SESSION

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A BILL

6 For an Act entitled: "An Act establishing an Alaska State Trooper Auxil-  
7 iary."

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF ALASKA:

9 \* Section 1. AS 18.65 is amended by adding new sections to read:

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ARTICLE 7. STATE TROOPER AUXILIARY.

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Sec. 18.65.600. STATE TROOPER AUXILIARY ESTABLISHED. (a) There  
12 is established in the division of state troopers of the Department of  
13 Public Safety an Alaska State Trooper Auxiliary. The commissioner may  
14 appoint persons who apply to serve in the auxiliary. Members of the  
15 auxiliary serve at the pleasure of the commissioner. A member serves  
16 without compensation and may not receive travel or per diem.

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(b) The commissioner shall establish eligibility and training  
18 requirements and provide training materials for members of the auxil-  
19 iary. Members may provide additional training at their own expense.

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(c) The commissioner may permit a member of the auxiliary to  
21 assist the state troopers in duties that are not directly connected  
22 with enforcement responsibilities of the troopers. Tasks assigned to  
23 an auxiliary member may include

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(1) traffic direction at accident scenes;

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(2) disaster relief;

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(3) clerical duties;

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(4) ground search and rescue operations not connected with  
28 escaped offenders or suspects;

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(5) public relations and education;

- 1 (6) emergency medical services;  
2 (7) communications;  
3 (8) electronics repair; and  
4 (9) vehicle maintenance.

5 (d) The commissioner may establish Alaska State Trooper  
6 Auxiliary Detachments of at least five members of the auxiliary.

7 Sec. 18.65.610. LIMITATIONS. Members of the auxiliary may not

8 (1) be deputized or armed while serving;

9 (2) wear badges or uniforms while serving; however, members  
10 may wear distinctive wind breakers, jackets, winter parkas, or other  
11 outer garments as a means of identification;

12 (3) have access to confidential information.

13 Sec. 18.65.620. REGULATIONS. The commissioner may adopt regu-  
14 lations under the Administrative Procedure Act (AS 44.62) to implement  
15 AS 18.65.600 and 18.65.610.

16 Sec. 18.65.630. DEFINITION. In AS 18.65.600 - 18.65.630,  
17 "commissioner" means the commissioner of public safety.