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

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4 * Section 1. AS 14.40 is amended by adding a new section to read:

5 Sec. 14.40.043. UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA OFFICE OF PUBLIC SAFETY. The board
6 of regents may establish an office of public safety and prescribe the conditions of employment
7 of public safety officers employed by the office. University of Alaska public safety officers have
8 general police powers to enforce state and local laws in connection with offenses committed on
9 property of the university.

10 * Sec. 2. AS 18.65.290(5) is amended to read:

11 (5) "police officer" means

12 (A) a full-time employee of the state or a local police department with the
13 authority to arrest and issue citations; detain a person taken into custody until that person
14 can be arraigned before a judge or magistrate; conduct investigations of violations of and
15 enforce criminal laws, regulations, and traffic laws; search with or without a warrant

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1 persons, dwellings, and other forms of property for evidence of a crime; carry a concealed
2 weapon; and take other action consistent with exercise of these enumerated powers when
3 necessary to maintain the public peace;

4 (B) an officer or employee of the Department of Transportation and Public
5 Facilities who is stationed at an international airport and has been designated to have the
6 general police powers authorized under AS 02.15.230(a);

7 (C) a University of Alaska public safety officer with general police
8 powers authorized under AS 14.40.043;