STATE OF NEW YORK

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IN SENATE

April 1, 2026

Introduced by Sen. FERNANDEZ -- read twice and ordered printed, and when printed to be committed to the Committee on Codes

AN ACT to amend the criminal procedure law, in relation to granting peace officer status to certain employees of the Parkchester police department of public safety

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

Section 1. Section 2.10 of the criminal procedure law is amended by adding a new subdivision 88 to read as follows:

88. (a) Employees of the Parkchester police department of public safety, in the borough of the Bronx, city of New York, who patrol the Parkchester North and South condominium area consisting of one hundred seventy-one residential buildings and the supportive commercial district on approximately one hundred twenty-nine acres within Bronx county and the public roadways therein and appointed by such police department as peace officers; provided, however, that the exercise of such powers shall be limited to (i) such employees' actual performance of their duties, and (ii) the geographical area of the Parkchester North and South condominiums including ingress and egress roadways commonly used by residents and visitors for access to such property; and provided further that nothing in this subdivision shall be deemed to authorize such employees to carry, possess, repair or dispose of a firearm unless authorized and trained pursuant to section 2.30 of this article and other applicable law.

(b) Prior to performing the duties permitted under this subdivision, a person shall have successfully completed the training requirements set forth in section 2.30 of this article and any additional peace officer training required by the municipal police training council in accordance with section eight hundred thirty-nine of the executive law.

§ 2. This act shall take effect immediately.

EXPLANATION--Matter in *italics* (underscored) is new; matter in brackets [-] is old law to be omitted.

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