

AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT

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Add at the end the following:

1 **SEC. 14. TERMINATION AUTHORITY.**

2 Nothing in this Act shall be interpreted to limit or
3 otherwise affect the Administrator’s authority to expedi-
4 tiously terminate the employment of any employee car-
5 rying out screening functions under section 44901 of title
6 49, United States Code, using the “one-step process” de-
7 scribed in the TSA Handbook to Management Directive
8 No. 1100.75-3 or any successor document, including ter-
9 mination for offenses where an officer engaged in sexual
10 assault or sexual harassment of a traveler, gross mis-
11 conduct, or used their official position to knowingly allow
12 or facilitate the passage of contraband or persons into the
13 secure area of an airport or onto an aircraft.

