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AN ACT

RELATING TO PUBLIC EMPLOYEES; REQUIRING THE STATE TO SUBMIT
INSURANCE CLAIMS FOR PERSONAL PROPERTY OF SEARCH AND RESCUE
VOLUNTEERS DAMAGED IN THE COURSE OF AN AUTHORIZED MISSION.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

SECTION 1. Section 24-15A-5 NMSA 1978 (being Laws 1978,
Chapter 107, Section 5, as amended) is amended to read:

"24-15A-5. STATE SEARCH AND RESCUE RESOURCE OFFICER--
POWERS AND DUTIES.--The state search and rescue resource
officer shall, with the approval of the director:

A. compile, maintain and disseminate an inventory
of resources available in the state;

B. compile, maintain and disseminate rosters of
persons, agencies and organizations available for search and
rescue purposes;

C. develop a training program for the
certification of search and rescue instructors and, by
regulation, adopt a system of certification of search and
rescue persons;

D. act as contact agent for the state in search
and rescue matters;

E. develop and periodically review requirements
for insurance coverage for search and rescue volunteers;

F. coordinate the training of mission initiators

