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AN ACT to amend the criminal procedure law, in relation to granting peace officer status to supervisors and members of the fire investigation bureau of the Syracuse fire department and supervisors and fire investigators of the Onondaga county department of emergency management

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 83 to read as follows:

83. SUPERVISORS AND MEMBERS OF THE FIRE INVESTIGATION BUREAU OF THE SYRACUSE FIRE DEPARTMENT AND SUPERVISORS AND FIRE INVESTIGATORS OF THE ONONDAGA COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT WHEN ACTING PURSUANT TO THEIR SPECIAL DUTIES IN MATTERS ARISING UNDER THE LAWS RELATING TO FIRES, THEIR PREVENTION, EXTINGUISHMENT, INVESTIGATION THEREOF, AND FIRE PERILS; PROVIDED, HOWEVER, THAT NOTHING IN THIS SUBDIVISION SHALL BE DEEMED TO AUTHORIZE SUCH EMPLOYEES TO CARRY, POSSESS, REPAIR, OR DISPOSE OF A FIREARM UNLESS THE APPROPRIATE LICENSE THEREFORE HAS BEEN ISSUED PURSUANT TO SECTION 400.00 OF THE PENAL LAW.

S 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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