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AN ACT to amend the general municipal law, in relation to volunteer
wilderness/inland search and rescue teams

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, REPRESENTED IN SENATE AND ASSEM-
BLY, DO ENACT AS FOLLOWS:

1 Section 1. Section 209-bb of the general municipal law is amended by
2 adding a new subdivision 3 to read as follows:

3 3. WHENEVER A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY OR OTHER STATE AGENCY IS ENGAGED
4 IN A SEARCH OR RESCUE OPERATION, ANY VOLUNTEER WILDERNESS/INLAND SEARCH
5 AND RESCUE TEAM INVOLVED IN SUCH OPERATION SHALL BE SUBJECT TO THE
6 COMMAND AND CONTROL OF THE LAW ENFORCEMENT OR OTHER STATE AGENCY
7 CONDUCTING SUCH OPERATION.

8 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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