

HB 1509 -- DIVISION OF FIRE SAFETY (Bruns)

COMMITTEE OF ORIGIN: Crime Prevention and Public Safety

This bill expands the duties of the State Fire Marshal in the Division of Fire Safety within the Department of Public Safety to include the training of inspectors and public or private employees or volunteers in the field of emergency response, rescue, and fire prevention or preparedness. The State Fire Marshal is also required to establish and maintain a voluntary training and certification program based upon nationally recognized standards and is authorized to promulgate rules and regulations in order to administer the provisions.

FISCAL NOTE: Estimated Income on General Revenue Fund of \$28,333 in FY 2007, \$34,000 in FY 2008, and \$34,000 in FY 2009. No impact on Other State Funds in FY 2007, FY 2008, and FY 2009.