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## FISCAL IMPACT REPORT

ORIGINAL DATE 2/16/07

SPONSOR Cravens LAST UPDATED \_\_\_\_\_ HB \_\_\_\_\_

SHORT TITLE State Defense Force Training Programs SB 1172

ANALYST Peery-Galon

### APPROPRIATION (dollars in thousands)

Appropriation		Recurring or Non-Rec	Fund Affected
FY07	FY08		
	\$50.0	Non-Recurring	General Fund

(Parenthesis ( ) Indicate Expenditure Decreases)

Duplicates House Bill 1019 Defense Force Division Training Programs

### SOURCES OF INFORMATION

LFC Files

Response Received From

Department of Military Affairs (DMA)

### SUMMARY

#### Synopsis of Bill

Senate Bill 1172 appropriates \$50.0 from the general fund to the Department of Military Affairs for the purpose of developing and implementing in-service training programs for the members of the State Defense Force Division.

### FISCAL IMPLICATIONS

The appropriation of \$50.0 contained in this bill is a non-recurring expense to the general fund. Any unexpended or unencumbered balance remaining at the end of fiscal year 2008 shall revert to the general fund.

### SIGNIFICANT ISSUES

Section 20-5-1 NMSA 1978 established the New Mexico State Defense Force as an element of the militia in the Department of Military Affairs. The State Defense Force consists of persons between the ages of 18 and 64 years voluntarily appointed or voluntarily enlisted and additional member of the unorganized militia as may be appointed, enlisted, enrolled or inducted as provided by law. The officers of the State Defense Force are appointed by the governor and

serve at his pleasure. Currently there are approximately 100 members in the New Mexico State Defense Force. The Department of Military Affairs' strategic plan for fiscal year 2008 states the State Defense Force provides a second militia to respond to the governor's call for aid in the event the New Mexico National Guard is unavailable due to serving out of state in the national interest.

**CONFLICT, DUPLICATION, COMPANIONSHIP, RELATIONSHIP**

The proposed legislation is a duplication of House Bill 1019, which has a different title of Defense Force Division Training Programs.

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