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1 administration be requested to study the dangers of
2 firefighting and the adequacy and suitability of disability
3 and death benefits under the New Mexico Occupational Disease
4 Disablement Law or other statutory or common law provisions;
5 and

6 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the state fire marshal, the
7 department of health and the university of New Mexico health
8 sciences center be requested to participate in the study to
9 provide medical, epidemiological and other technical
10 assistance to the workers' compensation administration; and

11 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the study consider the need
12 for additional equipment and training to protect firefighters
13 and the need for and elements of a medical monitoring program
14 for firefighters; and

15 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the workers' compensation
16 administration keep the interim legislative health and human
17 services committee apprised of the study's progress and its
18 final findings and recommendations; and

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be
20 transmitted to the workers' compensation administration, the
21 state fire marshal, the department of health and the
22 university of New Mexico health sciences center.