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Mr. Berg-

Per our conversation earlier today, I am looking for a letter of interpretation on the following:

Does the Public Safety diving exemption, reference 6050 (a)(1)(B), apply in a dive operation to search and/or recover a victim beyond the time when the potential to execute a rescue has passed? The dive in question is a *recovery dive* versus a *rescue dive*? The search and/or recovery dive may be hours or days after a victim has submerged.

Thank you in advance for your help.



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