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**TO: ALL LICENSEES LICENSED PURSUANT TO THE BAIL BONDSMAN
LICENSING LAW, NMSA 1978, §§ 59A-51-1 et seq.**

**RE: PRE-LICENSING PURSUANT TO NMSA 1978, § 59A-51-4.1 AND § 13.20.2
NMAC**

**THE FOLLOWING BULLETIN is issued pursuant to NMSA 1978, §§ 59A-2-8,
59A-51-1 et seq. and 13.20.2 NMAC.**

Effective immediately the educational requirements for pre-licensing described in the Bail Bondsman Licensing Law, will include:

1. Ten (10) hours of formal classroom education;
2. form and content of the classroom education shall be subject to approval by the Superintendent of Insurance;
3. an applicant shall complete 30 hours of on the job training:
 - a. under the direct supervision of a licensed bail bondsman;
 - b. the licensed bail bondsman shall certify in writing to Office of Superintendent of Insurance that applicant has been taught the subjects pertinent to the duties and responsibilities of a bail bondsman, including:
 - i. ethics;
 - ii. all laws and rules related to the bail bond business; and
 - iii. the applicant is prepared to take the exam.

Before the end of 2015, the Office of Superintendent of Insurance will formalize these educational requirements in § 13.20.2 NMAC.

For the remainder of 2015, and until § 13.20.2 NMAC has been revised and finalized, the time lines for prior approval for the curriculum as described in § 13.20.2.11(B) NMAC, and for on the job training as described in § 13.20.2.12(A) will be twenty (20) days prior to the commencement of the class room instruction or the on the job training.

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