## 18A. Functions of the Authority

The functions of the Authority under this Part are —

- (a) to manage the provision of emergency services in relation to natural disasters;
- (b) to provide for the carrying out of search and rescue operations;
- (c) to promote the safety of life and property from natural disasters, accidents and other events that may require search and rescue operations to be carried out;
- (d) to provide for the carrying out of assistance operations; and
- (e) to have general responsibility for all SES Units.

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