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Personal Equipment

1.0 Introduction

Active members need to be aware of the fact that certain personal equipment is not provided and it would be prudent of all active members to set up a “grab bag” that can be quickly picked up in an emergency and contains certain essential items.

2.0 References

Nil

3.0 Detailed Information

Items that could be considered necessary, but is not limited to, the following:

- Sunscreen cream
- Hat
- Sunglasses
- Wet weather gear
- Change of clothes
- Diving shoes or suitable footwear for going ashore on coral. etc.
- Towel
- Personal medical requirements
- Warm gear in case of an unexpected extended search
- Dry bag to put above items in

4.0 Summary

Being prepared for emergencies is part of our training. It follows then, that active members personally, should be so prepared in order that we, as rescuers, are not caught out by the unexpected.