

				DO STATE LEVEL EMERGENCY MANAGERS SHOW EVIDENCE OF USING ORGANIZED AMATEUR RADIO GROUPS?
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///// DRAFT DOCUMENT /////				
State EMA	State RACES	ARES	ACS	State Agency Web Link or Comments
ME	Yes	Yes		http://www.maine.gov/mema/mema_news_display.shtml?id=62513
VT	Yes	No		http://www.dps.state.vt.us/vem/races/
NH	Yes	Yes		http://www.nh.gov/safety/divisions/hsem/newsletters/documents/09_jan.pdf (Page 2)
MA	Yes	Yes		http://www.mass.gov/?pageID=eopsterminal&L=5&L0=Home&L1=Homeland+Security+%26+Emergency+Response&L2=Planning+%26+Preparedness&L3=Natural+Hazards&L4=Earthquakes&sid=Eeops&b=terminalcontent&f=mema_earthquakes&csid=Eeops
RI	No	No		RI ARES web site shows all open billets; 2006 RIEMA hurricane annex cites intention to use amateur radio
CT	No	Yes		http://www.ct.gov/demhs/lib/demhs/communications/plans/2008_fema_ct_annex_050908.pdf (page 2)
NJ	No	No		but numerous ARES groups in northern NJ; at least one RACES group
NY	Yes	Yes		http://www.semo.state.ny.us/community/RACES/races.cfm
PA	Yes	No	Yes	http://www.pema.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/programs_and_services/4547/pa_auxiliary_communications_services_program/567377
DE	No	No		There is county level RACES activity and various ARES groups
MD	No	No		There is some county level RACES/ARES activity
VA	Yes	Yes		http://www.vaemergency.com/emupdate/archives/update99/emup10-1199.pdf (Page 2)
NC	Yes	Yes		http://www.nccrimecontrol.org/div/EM/documents/NCEOP-2009-PublicVersion.pdf
SC	Yes	Yes		http://www.scemd.org/Plans/EQ%20Plan%202010/Annex-02-final-EarthQuake.pdf