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Authorizes the commissioner of public safety and political subdivisions to reimburse peace officers up to \$600 for the purchase of bulletproof vests. Peace officers may receive up to \$600 from both the commissioner and the political subdivision that employs them. Currently, the reimbursement is capped at \$300 from the state and \$300 from a political subdivision. Permits reimbursement for a new vest every five years.