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TO: ORANGE COUNTY EMS AGENCY DISTRIBUTION LIST

FROM: SAM J. STRATTON, MD, MPH
ORANGE COUNTY EMS AGENCY MEDICAL DIRECTOR

SUBJECT: RETIREMENT

This memorandum is to announce to the Orange County EMS Community my retirement from the Orange County Health Care Agency.

It has been an honor to serve as the Orange County EMS Medical Director. The Orange County EMS System is represented by community members with the greatest passion for the health and safety of all persons. It has been humbling to be part of such a progressive, high quality program. I appreciate the advice and support provided by all participants in the EMS System.

Dr. Carl Schultz has accepted the position as the incoming Orange County EMS Medical Director. Many of you already know Dr. Schultz from his years as a Professor of Emergency Medicine at the University of California, Irvine. He is internationally recognized as an expert in disaster health and medicine as well as having more than three decades of experience in EMS. Dr. Schultz has served this past 18 months as the Orange County EMS Agency Associate Medical Director, which will allow for a smooth transition into the Medical Director position.

CC: California EMS Authority

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