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The Honorable Arnold Schwarzenegger
Governor, State of California
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

RE: AB 941/Torrico – **Request for Signature**

Dear Governor Schwarzenegger:

The Emergency Medical Services Administrators Association of California (EMSAAC) represents the local emergency medical services agencies (LEMSA's) that coordinate and regulate the delivery of emergency medical services in California. The Medical Directors of LEMSA's are responsible for the medical control of emergency medical services and for ensuring that the public receives medical care from competent and medically qualified emergency medical

I am very pleased to report that the latest version of this bill reflects the needs of EMSAAC and the consensus points of the EMS Commission Subcommittee on EMT-1 Certification. In this light, we are moving our position on this bill to "support".

We believe that the final language is in the best interest of protecting public and patient safety statewide, and we urge your signature of AB 941.

Very truly yours,

Bruce H. Lee
EMSAAC President

Santa Clara County
EMS Agency Director