

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE GRANTING OF TEMPORARY AUTHORITY FOR APPLICANTS FOR CERTIFICATES OF PUBLIC CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY WHEN SUCH APPLICANTS HAVE BEEN PROVIDING MEDICAL TRANSPORTATION WITHIN ORANGE COUNTY PRIOR TO JUNE 1, 1981; PROVIDING PREMISES UPON WHICH THE RESOLUTION IS PREDICATED; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

PREMISES

1. Orange County's Emergency and Non Emergency Medical Services Ordinance (81-4), effective June 1, 1981, sets forth guidelines and procedures for the granting of certificates of public convenience and necessity to providers of emergency and non emergency medical care and transportation within Orange County.

2. Pursuant to said ordinance, all providers of emergency and non emergency medical transportation (except those exempted under Section 2 of said ordinance) must apply for and be granted a certificate of public convenience and necessity from the Board of County Commissioners prior to rendering any such medical or transportation services.

3. The Board has determined that the public safety and welfare will be best served by granting to those applicants who have been providing medical transportation within the County prior to June 1, 1981, temporary authority to continue providing such medical transportation services until such time as the Board of County Commissioners has had the opportunity to review each application submitted and to grant certificates of public convenience and necessity as provided by said ordinance.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY.

Section 1. All applicants for certificates of public necessity and convenience who have been providing emergency and non emergency medical transportation within Orange County prior to June 1, 1981 are hereby granted temporary authority to continue providing such medical transportation until such time as each applicant is granted a certificate by the Board of County Commissioners. Under no circumstances shall this grant of temporary authority exceed a period of 180 days from the effective date of this resolution unless such authority is extended by the Board in accordance with the provisions of Section 6 of said ordinance.

Section 2. Each applicant granted temporary authority to provide medical transportation services pursuant to this resolution must take all necessary measures to insure that its operations are in compliance with the requirements of Ordinance No. 81-4 and State Law.

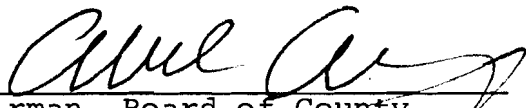
Section 3. If any provision of this Resolution or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the resolution which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this resolution are declared severable.

Section 4. This resolution shall take effect upon passage by the Board of County Commissioners.


APPROVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY  
COMMISSIONERS AT THEIR MEETING

MAY 28 1981

ADOPTED THIS 28<sup>th</sup> DAY OF May, 1981.

  
Chairman, Board of County  
Commissioners of Orange County

ATTEST:

  
Deputy Clerk to Board of  
County Commissioners