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ORDINANCE NO. 99-24

AMENDMENT TO AN ORDINANCE OF THE
COUNTY OF ORANGE, CALIFORNIA
RELATING TO
EMERGENCY SERVICES

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Orange ordains as follows:

SECTION 1: Section 3-1-2 of the Codified Ordinances of the County of Orange is hereby amended to read as follows:

Definitions.

The following terms as used in this Article shall, unless the content clearly indicates otherwise, have the respective meanings herein set forth:

- (a) Day-to-day Emergencies shall mean situations which may arise in the County on a daily basis, but not serious enough to be classified as an emergency as defined in Section 3-2-1(c), "Emergency," of this Article. Local assistance may be made available within the County.
- (b) Director of Emergency Services shall mean that person designated in a resolution adopted pursuant to Government Code Section 8610 by the Board of Supervisors to provide direction and control of the Orange County Emergency Organization, during times of emergency or disaster.
- (c) Emergency shall mean the actual or threatened existence of conditions of disaster or of extreme peril to the safety of persons or property within this County caused by such conditions as air pollution, civil disturbance, sudden and severe drought, an earthquake or other conditions, the Governor's warning of an earthquake or volcanic prediction, energy shortage, epidemic, fire, flood, hazardous material release, plant or animal infestation or disease, riot, storm, complications resulting from the year 2000 problem, or war or imminent threat of war, but other than conditions resulting from a labor controversy, which conditions are, or are likely to be, beyond the control of the services, personnel, equipment, and facilities of this county, requiring the combined forces of other political subdivisions to combat.
- (d) Absence shall mean for the purposes of declaring an emergency, being incapacitated due to illness or disability that renders one incapacitated, refusing to serve, 50 miles out of the geographic boundaries of the County of Orange, or unable to be reached by telephone or other telecommunications after two attempts.

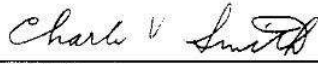
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This ordinance shall take effect and be in full force thirty (30) days from and after its passage and before the expiration of fifteen (15) days after the passage thereof, shall be published once in an adjudicated newspaper in the County of Orange.

THE FOREGOING was **PASSED** and **ADOPTED** by the following vote of the Orange County Board of Supervisors on December 14, 1999 , to wit:

AYES: Supervisors: JAMES W. SILVA, CYNTHIA P. COAD, TODD SPITZER
THOMAS W. WILSON, CHARLES V. SMITH

NOES:
EXCUSED:
ABSTAINED:



CHAIRMAN

STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
) ss:
COUNTY OF ORANGE)

I, DARLENE J. BLOOM, Clerk of the Board of Orange County, California, hereby certify that a copy of this document has been delivered to the Chairman of the Board and that the above and foregoing Ordinance was duly and regularly adopted by the Orange County Board of Supervisors.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hand and seal.



DARLENE J. BLOOM
Clerk of the Board.
County of Orange, State of California



Ordinance No.: 98-24
Agenda Date: 12/14/1999
Item No.: 39



I certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors, Orange County, State of California

DARLENE J. BLOOM, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: _____
Deputy