



# Santa Cruz Consolidated Emergency Communications Center

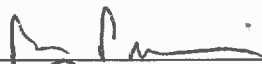

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**9-1-1** FIRE  
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## COMMUNICATIONS OPERATIONS FIRE SERVICE POLICY

<b>Policy No.</b> 6815	Date Issued:	February 2, 1998
Section: 6800 -- Specific Procedures	Date Revised:	June 28, 2005
Accreditation Standards: None		
<b>SUBJECT: REQUESTS FOR ADDITIONAL AMBULANCES</b>		
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Peace officers or firefighters on the scene of a medical emergency may request a second (or additional) ambulance(s) prior to the arrival of the first ambulance.

Dispatch the requested ambulance(s) immediately and notify the responding units of the request. Once on the scene, the unit can provide updates and cancel the additional ambulance(s) if necessary.

If a reporting party (RP) requests more than one ambulance be dispatched, dispatch the normal response. Advise the responding unit(s) of the situation so that they can determine the appropriate response.

Medic 100 shall be notified on any multiple unit response.