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Subject: *Prehospital Care Policy 619*

The 4th Court of Appeal granted the California Attorney General's motion to stay the Riverside County Superior Court ruling which had overturned the End of Life Option Act. The statute is again the law in the state of California. Consistent with *Santa Clara County Emergency Medical Services Prehospital Care Policy #109: Policy Development and Implementation*, the EMS Agency is rescinding AO 2018-004 for *Santa Clara County Prehospital Care Policy 619*. The policy is effective once again and can be found on the EMS Agency website at the following link:

Policy Name/Effective Date
619: End of Life Option Effective: July 18, 2016 https://www.sccgov.org/sites/ems/Documents/pcm600/Policy619.pdf

If you should have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at david.sullivan@ems.sccgov.org