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Statement on Recognition of EMS Personnel Licensure Interstate Compact (REPLICA) Status

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As of May 8, 2017, the nation has its first EMS Interstate Compact. The 10th state enactment of REPLICA moved this process into the Compact administration and operations phase. It is important at this juncture to note that although the Commission has been established, the Compact is not fully operational. There is still work to be done to complete the initial rule making process so that the EMS Interstate Compact becomes operational.

Key points to understand and share:

- 1) Yes! There is a compact!
- 2) At this point, REPLICA is NOT active for licensed EMS personnel to cross state lines under the authority of the Compact to provide medical care. The Commission must adopt rules related to the functions of the Compact in order for the Compact to become fully operational.
- 3) The Interstate Commission for EMS Personnel Practice has officially assembled, adopted bylaws and Chapter One: Rule on Rulemaking. An Executive Committee and Rules Committee have been established. The Commission members are actively working on developing the rules and policies necessary to make the Compact operational.
- 4) Notices for Commission meetings, proposed rulemaking and all related activities are available through REPLICA states as well as at <http://www.emsreplica.org/commission/>.

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