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## RESOLUTION 2014-01

A RESOLUTION OF THE **ALASKA COUNCIL ON EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES** SUPPORTING THE AMMENDMENT OF ALASKA STATUTE 08.64.010 CREATION AND MEMBERSHIP OF THE STATE MEDICAL BOARD TO INCLUDE ONE MOBILE INTENSIVE CARE PARAMEDIC.

**WHEREAS**, Mobile Intensive Care Paramedics (MICP) are critical to providing advanced level EMS care to the residents of the State of Alaska, and

**WHEREAS**, the MICP licensure, regulation, and discipline are frequent topics of discussion by the State Medical Board, and

**WHEREAS**, participation by an MICP would strengthen and support the State Medical Board decision making process, and

**WHEREAS**, MICPs provide care to patients from all regions of the State of Alaska which represent many different ethnic and socioeconomic demographics, and

**WHEREAS**, pre-hospital emergency medicine is identified as an aspect of the healthcare safety net which is expected to rise dramatically in the coming years, and

**WHEREAS**, an MICP as licensees of the State Medical Board will contribute valuable opinions regarding pre-hospital emergency medicine which will provide an additional perspective of medical practitioners in Alaska.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that Alaska Council on Emergency Medical Services (ACEMS) supports the addition of a Mobil Intensive Care Paramedic to the State Medical Board.

**Approved and passed by the Alaska Council on Emergency Medical Services during their Fall Meeting on November 5, 2014.**

*Danita Koehler, MD*

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