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MEMORANDUM

TO: McLean County Area EMS System Providers

FROM: Gregory Scott, R.N., M.S., EMT-P
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DATE: December 18, 2007

SUBJECT: Smoke Free Law (P.A. 95-0017)

Please be advised that with the implementation of Public Act 95-0017 law, effective January 01, 2008 the McLean County Area EMS System facility will be smoke-free. Effective this date, smoking will not be allowed on the McLean County Area EMS System premise.

Please also be reminded that according to Section 515.830 (j) of the Administrative Code, "Patients, individuals who accompany a patient and emergency services personnel may not smoke while inside an ambulance or SEMSV. The Department of Public Health shall impose a civil penalty on an individual who violates this subsection in the amount of \$100."

Thank you for observing this new smoke-free law that is effective January 01, 2008. If you should have any questions pertaining to this matter, please contact the EMS System office at (309) 827-4348.

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