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Texas Department of State Health Services
Office of EMS/Trauma Systems Coordination
PO Box 149347
Austin, TX 78714-9347

Re: Letter of Approval from Local Government Entity: National Emergency Management and Response (National EMR)

To Whom It May Concern,

This letter serves as official notice that National EMR has informed the City of Schertz that they will be operating Emergency Medical Services when tasked by a governmental entity.

National EMR has stated that their units are not utilized to transport patients for hire but are utilized when National EMR is operating under official governmental tasking during disasters or significant critical incidents.

It is the determination of the governing body of the City of Schertz, Texas that National EMR:

1. Will not compete with, interfere with, or adversely affect the provision of emergency medical services by the licensed emergency medical services provider(s) within Comal County, Texas.
2. The addition of another licensed emergency medical services provider will provide additional EMS capability for governmental agencies to access during times of disaster or significant incidents.
3. The addition of another licensed emergency medical services provider will not cause an oversupply of licensed emergency medical services providers in the City of Schertz, Texas, as National EMR resources will not be directly available to the public.

It is therefore APPROVED for National EMR to operate Emergency Medical Services in Schertz, Texas under official governmental tasking and/or mutual aid requests during disasters or significant incidents.

Respectfully,

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