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State Fire Marshal Appoints New EMS Director

Baton Rouge, LA – State Fire Marshal H. “Butch” Browning, Jr. is pleased to announce the appointment of Susan Fisher Bailey as the new director of the Louisiana Bureau of Emergency Medical Services.

Bailey, a nationally registered paramedic with nearly three (3) decades of rural and urban EMS experience, is a member of two (2) prestigious national organizations: the National EMS Management Association and the National Association of Educators, where she serves on a committee with a focus on cultural issues.

Additionally, Bailey sits on the Board of Directors of the National Association of Emergency Medical Technicians (NAEMT) as Director of Region 2, which encompasses states situated in the southeastern United States, as well as the District of Columbia. She also serves on a number of NAEMT committees and presently represents the organization on the Commission on Accreditation of Prehospital Continuing Board of Directors.

A past recipient of the NAEMT/Nasco Paramedic of the Year and Education Service awards, Bailey, a magna cum laude graduate in management from Southeastern University, is currently pursuing a Master’s Degree in Emergency Management.

“We are pleased to announce the appointment of a true EMS professional to the position of Director,” Browning said, “and we will continue to support the efforts of the dedicated men and women who serve our state as frontline emergency medical professionals.”

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