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**TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH**

**MEMORANDUM**

**CANCELED**

**Date:** June 3, 2016

**To:** Shelley Walker, Director of Communications and Media Relations

Amber Ricks, Commissioner Office

Michelle Long, Assistant Commissioner,

Bureau of Health Licensure and Regulation

**From:** Donna G. Tidwell, Director of Emergency Medical Service

**Name of Board or Committee:** Emergency Medical Services Board

Degree Taskforce Committee

**Date of Meeting:** June 20th, 2016

**Time:** 9:00 a.m., Central Time

**Place:** Iris Room, 1st Floor

665 Mainstream Drive

Nashville, TN 37243

**Major Item(s) on Agenda:** See Attached Agenda

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**AGENDA:**

1. **Open Meeting**
2. **Introduction of Members and Roll Call**
3. **Discuss Requiring an Associate Degree for Initial Paramedic Licensure: Where we are and what we want to know**
4. **Discuss strategies relative to front-end analysis :  
   Evidence based decision**
5. **Develop list of tasks and subcommittee members**

**DEGREE TASKFORCE COMMITTEE**

**JUNE 20th, 2016**

**IRIS ROOM, FIRST FLOOR**

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