



# CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL

## HPM 50.1 Emergency Incident Management Planning and Operations Manual





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EMERGENCY INCIDENT  
MANAGEMENT PLANNING AND  
OPERATIONS MANUAL

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## **FOREWORD**

The responsibility for emergency preparedness rests with all levels of government. Each state agency has basic responsibilities assigned by executive and administrative orders based upon the agency's regular functions or related activities.

Emergency incident management is one of the Department's most critical functions. Providing life-saving services and mitigating the effects of natural or human-caused disasters are essential elements of the Department's responsibility to the residents of California. This manual provides policies and procedures for planning, coordinating, and professionally managing emergency incidents using the Incident Command System and serves as the Department's emergency operations plan.

The Emergency Incident Management Planning and Operations Manual is divided into nine chapters with numerous supporting annexes. This format is intended to provide the manager or planner a clear, concise guide with easy reference.

Commands shall use this manual when preparing their local emergency operations plans and facility-specific emergency action plans. Inquiries or comments relating to this manual should be directed to Emergency Operations and Safety Services Section.

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