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SUBJECT: Acknowledging Units Arriving on the Scene	EFFECTIVE DATE: 08/26/2011
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PURPOSE: To establish a procedure for properly acknowledging units marking on the scene.

BACKGROUND:

DEFINITIONS: None.

POLICY:

When the first unit marks on the scene, the dispatcher shall echo that unit in the following manner: “(unit) On scene, (condition),(time).” The (condition) shall be echoed every time one is given.

The subsequent arrival of other units will be echoed by the Dispatcher in the following manner: “OK (unit)”

The arrival of the first chief officer on the scene will be announced when marking on the scene.