# CAL FIRE NEWS RELEASE

## California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection

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**TIME:** 2:00 P.M.

## LIMITED CLOSURE OF HIGHWAY 1 DUE TO THE SOBERANES FIRE

ROAD CLOSURE will take place at 10:00 P.M. on August 8, 2016 and stay in effect until 6:00 A.M. August 9, 2016.

**The following road will be closed**

- Due to an increase in wind and fire activity in the Big Sur area over the last two days, a limited closure of HIGHWAY 1 will occur at 10:00 P.M. August 8, 2016.
- HIGHWAY 1 will be closed to all traffic in both directions between Palo Colorado Road and North Coast Ridge Road.
- It is scheduled to be re-opened at 6:00 A.M. August 9, 2016, but the closure will be continually re-evaluated based on fire conditions, and the threat to public safety.

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