

WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT

PERIOD: 28 Jan 02 to 03 Feb 2002

PEP Region	Search and Rescue			Dangerous Goods and Oil Spills	Motor Vehicle Accidents	Other (floods fire etc.)	General Enquiries and Info
	Air	Land	Inland Water				
Van Island				10	4	5	50
South West		3		21	4	7	123
Central		2		3	5	4	46
South East		3		4	3	1	16
North East		2		11	3	1	58
North West		1	1	1	4		46
Headquarters							362
Provincial Totals		11	1	50	23	18	701
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1. Total Number of Incidents: 103
2. SAR Summary part 2
3. Misc Incident Summary part 3

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION – WEEKLY PERIOD: 28 JAN 02 TO 03 FEB 02

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					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
28 1846 #3000782	SEA	LAND	3	9		3		RCMP REQUESTED Kaslo SAR respond to search for 3 avalanche victims on Mount Carlyle west of Kaslo. SAR was stood down the Ski Tour Group located all of the victims deceased.
30 1506 #3000783	SWE	LAND	1	6	1			RCMP requested Coquitlam SAR respond to search for a missing 74-year-old female suffering from dementia. SAR was stood down when subject was seen with a family friend walking on a trail.
30 1509 #3000784	NEA	LAND	1	24	1			14 Central Cariboo and 10 Quesnel SAR members responded to search for a missing 46-year-old mentally challenged male who walked away from his residence in 100 Mile House without adequate clothing for weather conditions. An extensive search of the area concluded when the male was located approximately 200 yards from his residence and taken to hospital for assessment.
31 0953 #3000785	NEW	INLAND WATER		11				6 Terrace Swift Water Rescue members and 5 Prince Rupert Fire Dept responded following report of a vehicle in the Skeena River 96- km west on Hwy #16. Searchers were unable to locate a vehicle. RCMP re-interviewed the witnesses, established there was indeed no vehicle in the river, and stood down the search.
31 1356 #3000786	SWE	LAND	2	3	2			3 Hope SAR members responded to a request from BCAS to assist with rescuing 2 elderly subjects, 1 in cardiac arrest and 1 suffering from stress. Subjects were rescued

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								and transferred to BCAS who transported to hospital.
31 1530 #3000787	NEW	LAND	2	33	2			Kitimat SAR members responded to search for two 15-year-old males missing in the Greenville area 46 km west of New Aiyansh. Initial report indicated they were not equipped for the weather conditions. Snow depths of between 4 and 6 feet further hampered the search. They were located alive, though cold, hungry and wet in the search area.
02 0945 #3000788	NEA	LAND	5	3	5			3 Prince George SAR members assembled to search the Renshaw area west of McBride for 5 overdue sledders. Search was stood down after RCMP reported the sledders rode out on their own. They spent the night after one of the sleds broke down.
02 1048 #3000789	SWE	LAND		5				5 North Shore Rescue members assisted by 2 GBRD Avalanche Techs responded to Grouse Mountain following report of an avalanche on the Grouse Grind. GVRD chartered a helicopter to over fly the area, determine location and extent of the avalanche, and conduct a risk assessment. SAR was stood down after it was determined that no persons had been impacted.
02 1822 #3000790	SEA	LAND	1	7	1			7 Arrow Lakes SAR members responded to search for person believed to have been thrown from a vehicle 16 km north of Nakusp on Hwy 23. During the search, RCMP was advised that the person was already at the hospital.
02 2349 #3000791	CTL	LAND	6	11	6			11 Shuswap SAR members responded to assist RCMP in

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								locating 6 missing snowmobilers on the north side of Shuswap Lake. The snowmobilers were located in a cabin in good condition.
03 0835 #3000792	CTL	LAND	2	11	2			11 Shuswap SAR members responded to assist in the search for 2 missing snowmobiler on Quest Mountain. The subjects were located alive and in good condition.
03 2059 #3000783	SEA	LAND	2	13	2		0	13 Nelson SAR members responded to search for 2 snowboarders reported overdue at the White Water Resort area. Search was concluded when both missing individuals walked out on their own.
WEEK TOTAL		12	25	136	22	3	0	ELT – 0
YEAR TO DATE		788	1038	8593	913	49	62	ELT- 46

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MISCELLANEOUS

On 31 Jan 02, 8 Duncan/North Cowichan Search and Rescue members responded to rescue a dog stranded on a ledge on the Cowichan River near the "Swimming Holes".

On 01 Feb 02, 5 Kamloops Search and Rescue members responded to the Peterson Creek area to locate 2 missing poodles believed to be down a 200 foot cliff. They were later located near a highway in the area.

On 02 Feb 02, RCMP and Coroner requested Squamish Search and Rescue assistance on the North side of Squamish. SAR members responded with a generator and emergency lighting.

BODY RECOVERY

On 29 Jan 02, The Coroner requested Kaslo Search and Rescue to assist with recovering the bodies of three victims of an avalanche on Mount Carlyle. 9 SAR members responded.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
28 Jan 02	Campbell River	4 persons
29 Jan 02	Mission	3 persons
29 Jan 02	Chilliwack	5 persons
30 Jan 02	Kelowna	2 persons
30 Jan 02	Esquimalt	5 persons
30 Jan 02	Kelowna	2 persons
30 Jan 02	Vancouver	5 persons
30 Jan 02	Abbotsford	3 persons
31 Jan 02	Chilliwack	3 persons
31 Jan 02	Prince George	2 persons
01 Feb 02	Lake Cowichan	2 persons
02 Feb 02	Clearwater	2 persons
02 Feb 02	Courtenay	2 persons