



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 14 Jun 04 to 20 Jun 04

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	1	1	1	15	1	2	39
South West	0	8	2	22	1	3	49
Central	0	4	5	13	17	3	75
South East	0	1	0	1	6	2	19
North East	0	3	0	12	11	1	64
North West	0	0	2	1	3	1	26
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	0	536
Provincial Weekly Totals	1	17	10	64	39	12	808
Provincial Year to Date	22	144	52	700	338	127	6487
	Air	Land	Inland Water	Dangerous Goods and Oil Spills	Motor Vehicle Accidents	Other (floods fire etc.)	General Enquiries and Info
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	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	143	1383

Protection Order Registry	444	4613
Problem Wildlife	446	3318
Wildlife Enforcement	49	717

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BODY RECOVERY

On 16 June 2004, 3 Mackenzie SAR members were tasked by RCMP to recover a body that was floating in Tatcha Lake.

URBAN INTERFACE FIRE

On 18 June 2004, 4 forest fires, caused by lightning strikes, erupted near the community of Lillooet. Combined, the fires grew to 1500 hectares in size by the 20 June and threatened to impact the community of Lillooet. The Lillooet Emergency Operations Centre was activated and an Information Centre was established to field calls from the public. The Office of the Fire Commissioner (OFC) issued an evacuation alert for the Bridge River area which affected homes on the Bridge River First Nations Land. Three residences in Bridge River voluntarily evacuated due to health concerns. The Emergency Social Services team prepared for a larger scale evacuation by setting up space at the Arena in the Recreation Centre and organized busses to transport evacuees. The Provincial Regional Emergency Operation Centre (PREOC) was activated in support of the local authority.

On 19 June 2004 an urban interface fire at Mowat Bay in Powell River threatened approximately 50 homes and the RCMP communications tower. Powell River activated their Emergency Operations Centre and Emergency Social Services responded to prepare for possible evacuees and support local fire crews.

MISCELLANEOUS

On 14 June 2004, 10 Sparwood Fire Dept members responded to extricate a man who had his arm caught in a conveyor belt at a gravel pit where he was employed. The subject was successfully removed and transferred to BCAS for transport to hospital.

On 18 June 2004, the City of Maple Ridge activated the Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) in order to assist with the potential evacuation of an extended care facility when its sprinkler system activated due to a power outage. The emergency generator restored power to the facility and an evacuation was not required. The Fraser Health Authority was notified.

On 19 June 2004, a Senior Independent Care facility in New Westminster was flooded when a water main broke and 5 floors of single occupant units had to be evacuated. Emergency Social Services responded to provide personal disaster assistance for the displaced residents. Accommodations were arranged in hotels for a total of 26 residents while restoration services prepared the suites to be reoccupied.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>	<u>TASK</u>
17 June 04	Terrace	2 people	051211
17 June 04	Kamloops	3 people	051217
18 June 04	Creston	5 people	051230
19 June 04	Surrey	4 people	051265
20 June 04	Lake Cowichan	5 people	051288

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 14 JUN 04 TO 20 JUN 04

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
13 23:05 400191 UPDATE	NEA	LAND		46	1		-1	35 SAR members from Central Cariboo, Anahim Lake, 100 Mile House, Lake Cowichan, Prince George, Kamloops, Barriere, Shuswap and Clearwater continued searching for the mushroom picker missing in the Nemaiah Valley area. 11 PEP Air members from the Northeast and Central Regions assisted with transporting SAR members from their communities to airstrips in the Alexis Creek area. Assistance with searching was also provided by the RCMP's Air 4 helicopter and Dog Handler. A helicopter was used to transport SAR members in to the remote location. The individual was located cold, but otherwise unharmed, on 15 Jun.
14 17:27 400192	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	2	1			2 Kelowna Fire Dept personnel responded to boater in distress on Okanagan Lake. Upon arrival, they found that the owner of the sailboat had made it to shore and had already secured the boat to the dock.
14 18:19 400193	CTL	INLAND WATER		2				2 Kelowna Fire Dept responded to a report of a canoeist in distress between Grand and Discovery Bay. No evidence of someone having been in distress was found and task was stood down.
15 08:06 400194	NEA	LAND	1	3	1			2 Quesnel SAR and 1 PEP Air member were mustering a team to search for a missing prospector in the Barkerville area when he was located in town.
15 20:03 400195	SWE	LAND	1	18	1			18 Surrey SAR responded to search for a 6 year old boy reported missing in the area of 90th Avenue and 150th Street. He was successfully located a short distance from his residence.
16 00:32 400196	VIR	LAND	1	7	1			7 West Coast Island SAR members responded to search for a male who wandered off from his family group while hiking on the Wild Pacific Trail near Ucluelet. Subject was located in good condition.
16 14:04 400197	CTL	LAND	1	9	1			9 Shuswap SAR members were called out to assist BCAS rescue an injured male northeast of Malakwa. Task was stood down prior to responding as a Forestry Rap attack crew were able to assist BCAS.
16 17:26 400198	CTL	LAND	1	20	1			20 Vernon SAR responded to search for a downed hangglider in the Hunters Range area. SAR members located subject 6 km up a drainage in an area with poor ground access. She was transported out but did not require BCAS assist as injuries were minor.
16 19:16 400199	NWE	INLAND WATER	1	11	1			11 Terrace Water Rescue responded to a subject in the Skeena River. A helicopter was called in to transport SAR members and search the fast moving river. Subject was located stranded on a gravel bar downstream by SAR members responding by boat. He had apparently experienced problems with the boat's motor and had jumped out and swam to shore just prior to the boat colliding with a sandbar and

19 19:45 400211	SWE	LAND	1	15	1			15 Ridge Meadows SAR members responded to rescue an injured male who had fallen down a cliff on Golden Ear Mnt. The subject was rescued and transferred over to BCAS.
19 20:21 400212	CTL	INLAND WATER	3	2	3			2 Kelowna Marine Rescue members responded to a stalled vessel on Okanagan Lake with three subjects on board. The 3 subjects were rescued and towed ashore.
19 21:32 400213	SEA	LAND	7	7	7			7 Fernie SAR members responded to search for 7 hikers on the Lizard Range in the Fernie area. The subjects were located uninjured and escorted to their vehicles.
19 22:30 400214	SWE	LAND	4	14	4			14 Chilliwack SAR members responded to search for a lost mother and three children out for a walk. Task was stood down when subjects were located at their residence.
19 23:52 400215	NEA	INLAND WATER	1	3	1			3 Quesnel SAR members were stood down while mustering to respond to a report of a bridge jumper. Subject left the area on his own accord.
20 09:07 400216	SWE	LAND	1	4	1			4 North Shore SAR members responded to rescue an injured hiker on the Grouse Grind. Subject was located feeling faint and escorted out by SAR members.
20 14:40 400217	CTL	LAND	1	1	1			1 Kamloops SAR member was mustering to respond to a report of a lost hiker 10 miles south of Savona on the east side of Savona Mountain. The subject was located walking out of the area.
20 16:25 400218	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	25			1	20 Penticton SAR members and 5 Naramata Fire Rescue members responded to search for a male who went missing while boating on Okanagan Lake near Naramata. Team members were stood down after an extensive search was conducted. The subject was not located.
20 20:43 400219	NWE	INLAND WATER	5	2	5			2 Dease Lake SAR members responded to rescue 5 occupants of a boat that was stranded on Dease Lake. The occupants were rescued in good condition and transported to shore.
WEEK TOTAL		28	47	292	46	1	0	ELT - 1
YEAR TO DATE		217	282	2122	268	6	8	ELT - 20