



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 27 Dec 04 to 2 Jan 05

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	0	4	0	14	4	2	44
South West	1	4	0	23	6	9	60
Central	0	5	0	2	30	2	31
South East	1	12	0	2	13	2	64
North East	0	2	0	10	12	1	22
North West	0	0	0	2	3	0	27
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	1	287
Provincial Weekly Totals	2	27	0	53	68	17	535
Provincial Year to Date	69	563	173	2523	1544	419	26177
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	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	167	5291

Protection Order Registry	166	15602
Problem Wildlife	110	20319
Wildlife Enforcement	35	2894

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 27 DEC 04 TO 2 JAN 05

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
27 07:37 400780	SWE	LAND	1	36		1		21 Surrey SAR and 15 Central Fraser Valley SAR members responded to search for a despondent male in the White Rock area. Individual was located deceased and turned over to the Coroner.
27 14:37 400781	SEA	LAND	1	8	1			8 Golden SAR members were called out to rescue an injured snowmobiler from the Quartz Creek area. The individual was airlifted out by BCAS and the SAR Team returned to their base.
27 16:26 400782	CTL	LAND	1	6	1			6 Kelowna Fire Dept personnel assisted BCAS in bringing the occupant of a vehicle up an embankment for transport to hospital.
27 16:47 400783	NEA	LAND	1	6	1			6 McBride SAR members responded to rescue an injured snowmobiler up the Renshaw Logging Road. The snowmobiler was then transported to hospital by BCAS.
27 17:22 400784	SEA	LAND	2	7	2			7 Revelstoke SAR conducted a search for two missing snowmobilers in the Frisbee Mountain area. They were located uninjured and brought out.
27 18:11 400785	SEA	LAND	1	8	1			8 Revelstoke SAR responded to search for a missing snowmobiler in the Boulder Mountain area. The SAR team was stood down when it was determined the missing person had found his way to the highway and had been picked up by a passerby.
27 19:10 400786	VIR	LAND	4	11	4			11 West Coast Inland SAR members assisted in searching for four missing hikers in the Long Beach area near Tofino. The four subjects were located by the Canadian Coast Guard in good condition.
27 19:40 400787	SEA	LAND	1	2	1			2 Revelstoke SAR responded to an RCMP request to search for a missing snowmobiler in the Hall Mountain area. Nakusp SAR were put on standby for possible assistance. SAR was stood down when the snowmobiler, whose machine had broken down, walked out of the area on his own.
27 22:04 400788	CTL	LAND	7	10	7			10 Penticton SAR members were cancelled while en route to assist with rescuing the seven occupants of a mini van that went over an embankment near Apex Mountain. The individuals were rescued by Fire Dept personnel on the scene.
28 01:18 400789	VIR	LAND	1	12	1			12 Salt Spring Island SAR members responded to search for an elderly male who went missing from the hospital. The subject was found by a passerby a short time later and returned to the hospital by the RCMP.
28 11:23 400790	CTL	LAND	1	33			1	33 CORD and Penticton SAR responded to search for a 42 year old despondent male in Westbank. The male was not located and the search was suspended pending further RCMP investigation.
28 13:11 400791	NEA	LAND	1	3	1			3 Fort Nelson SAR assisted the RCMP in bringing a suspect, who was injured and suffering from exposure, out of the bush, near Sikanni Road. Subject was then transported by BCAS.

28 14:23 400792	SEA	AIR	ELT	1				RCC called to request PEP Air assistance in locating a possible helicopter crash site in the Invermere area. They were immediately stood down as RCC reported the site had been located.
28 14:37 400793	SEA	AIR	1	28		1		28 Kimberley SAR members assisted the Coroner and the Transportation Safety Board at the scene of a helicopter crash west of Canal Flats over a four day period. SAR members assisted with the removal of the body, securing the scene overnight, wilderness safety and locating and recovering portions of the helicopter.
28 21:45 400794	VIR	LAND	2	19	2			19 Nanaimo SAR were called out to search for two hikers overdue in the Mount Benson area. The pair were located unharmed and the SAR team was stood down. They had become disoriented.
29 00:42 400795	SEA	LAND	1	34	1			34 SAR members from Nelson, Castlegar and Kaslo responded to search for a 26 year old male who was last seen riding his bicycle near his home in Nelson. The SAR team located the individual's bicycle under a bridge and were organizing shoreline searches when they were advised the individual had been picked up by authorities in the United States.
29 02:16 400796	SWE	AIR	ELT	1				RCC requested PEP Air respond to locate an ELT sounding at the Boundary Bay Airport. The ELT was located in a plane and was shut off.
29 13:06 400797	SEA	LAND	1	6	1			6 Revelstoke SAR members responded to Boulder Mountain to rescue an injured skier with a fractured ankle. He was removed from the area by helicopter and taken to hospital by BCAS.
29 16:15 400798	VIR	LAND	1	16	1			16 Alberni Valley Rescue Squad members were cancelled while en route to Mount Arrowsmith to assist with the rescue of an injured person. The team was stood down as BCAS made it in prior to their arrival.
29 20:44 400799	SEA	LAND	3	10	3			10 Nelson SAR members responded to search for missing skiers in the Whitewater Ski Hill area. The three skiers were located in good condition and were transported to the Nelson Airport via helicopter.
29 23:20 400800	SEA	LAND	1	9	1			9 Rossland SAR members responded to search for a missing female who walked away from a care home in Trail. She was located unharmed inside another room at the home.
30 00:46 400801	CTL	LAND	1	2	1			2 McBride SAR responded to search for a missing 17 year old female last seen on the highway south of Blue River. The team was stood down to allow for further investigation by the RCMP and as a result of that investigation, the female was located in Kamloops on 31 Dec.
30 08:09 400802	SWE	LAND	1	5	1			5 Whistler SAR members responded to Whistler Mountain to search for a missing snowboarder. The snowboarder was located attempting to walk out of the area and was picked up by helicopter and transported off the mountain.
30 11:31 400803	SWE	LAND	2	14	2			14 North Shore SAR were called out to rescue two out-of-bound snowboarders who called for

								assistance on their cell phone after one injured his leg. They were located in a gully and, due to the dangerous terrain, they had to be long-lined out by helicopter. Coquitlam SAR had been placed on standby for possible assistance. The snowboarders were turned over to BCAS.
31 10:01 400804	CTL	LAND	1	12	1			12 Vernon SAR responded to search for a missing 90 year old Alzheimer's patient who had wandered away from his residence. He was located in good condition.
31 13:36 400805	SEA	LAND	1	14	1			14 Golden SAR members responded to retrieve an injured snowmobiler in the Gorman Lake area. The snowmobiler had fallen over an embankment and had possible back and spinal injuries. SAR team packaged the patient, brought them up and turned them over to BCAS for transport to hospital.
31 19:09 400806	SEA	LAND	1	7	1			7 Revelstoke SAR members responded to search for a missing snowmobiler in the Frisbee Mountain area. Snowmobiler was located cold, but otherwise okay.
02 07:37 400807	SEA	LAND	2	1	2			1 Castlegar SAR member responded to an RCMP request to locate 2 missing males in the Deer Park area. The SAR member used telephone networking to ascertain that the two males had been found safe and in good condition.
02 19:03 400808	SWE	LAND	1	11	1			11 Sunshine Coast SAR were called out to search for a person who could be heard yelling for assistance at Sprock Kids Park in Gibsons, but could not be located. The RCMP managed to locate the subject, but required SAR assistance to retrieve them. They were then turned over to BCAS.
26 15:30 400776 UPDATE	NEA	LAND		192				192 SAR members and volunteers continued searching for the two snowmobilers missing near Stewart Lake in the Fort St. James area. They were assisted by PEP Air and an RCMP helicopter, along with RCMP Divers and Dog Teams. The search was stood down on the 30 Dec without the pair being located.
WEEK TOTAL		29	42	524	39	2	1	ELT - 2
YEAR TO DATE		803	1077	9795	991	44	42	ELT - 62

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BODY RECOVERY

On 30 Dec 04, Chilliwack SAR members assisted the RCMP and Coroner with a body recovery at Chilliwack Lake.

EVIDENCE SEARCH

On 31 Dec 04, Chilliwack SAR members assisted the RCMP with an evidence search at Chilliwack Lake.

MISCELLANEOUS

On 28 Dec 04, 20 people were evacuated from the 8600 block of Westminster Hwy due to a police incident. Residents were provided with refreshments and allowed back in their homes at 05:00.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
28 Dec 04	Abbotsford	7 people
28 Dec 04	Langley	3 people
29 Dec 04	Creston	2 people
29 Dec 04	Chilliwack	2 people
30 Dec 04	Courtenay	1 person
30 Dec 04	Westbank	6 people
30 Dec 04	Fort Nelson	2 people
30 Dec 04	Vancouver	2 people
31 Dec 04	Castlegar	1 person
31 Dec 04	Victoria	38 people
01 Jan 05	Vancouver	1 person
02 Jan 05	Langley	5 people