



# WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 20 Jun 05 to 26 Jun 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                 | 0    | 1            | 15                             | 3                       | 0                        | 22                         |
| South West               | 3                 | 6    | 2            | 25                             | 3                       | 6                        | 59                         |
| Central                  | 0                 | 3    | 2            | 7                              | 13                      | 1                        | 24                         |
| South East               | 0                 | 0    | 0            | 4                              | 4                       | 1                        | 20                         |
| North East               | 0                 | 2    | 0            | 10                             | 5                       | 1                        | 28                         |
| North West               | 0                 | 0    | 0            | 6                              | 2                       | 0                        | 9                          |
| Headquarters             | 0                 | 0    | 0            | 0                              | 0                       | 0                        | 500                        |
| Provincial Weekly Totals | 3                 | 11   | 5            | 67                             | 30                      | 9                        | 662                        |
| Provincial Year to Date  | 20                | 154  | 75           | 854                            | 337                     | 112                      | 8165                       |
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|                          | Search and Rescue |      |              |                                |                         |                          |                            |

|                           | Weekly | Year to Date |
|---------------------------|--------|--------------|
| Total Number of Incidents | 125    | 1552         |
| Protection Order Registry | 166    | 2349         |
| Problem Wildlife          | 469    | 4492         |
| Wildlife Enforcement      | 59     | 826          |

**SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 20 JUN 05 TO 26 JUN 05**

| DATE/TIME<br>INCIDENT #             | PEP<br>REGION | INCIDENT        | ELT/<br>#VICTIMS | # PEP<br>VOL | LOCATED |      |    | COMMENTS   |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------|---------|------|----|--|
|                                     |               |                 |                  |              | ALIVE   | DEAD | NO |  |
| 19 22:45<br>500230<br><b>UPDATE</b> | VIR           | LAND            |                  | 8            | 2       |      | -2 | 8 Metchosin SAR members responded to search for 2 missing boys from a local recreation centre. SAR was stood down after it was reported that the subjects had walked home.   |
| 21 21:46<br>500231                  | VIR           | OCEAN           | 3                | 25           | 3       |      |    | 18 Comox Valley and 7 Arrowsmith SAR members responded to search the shoreline for 3 missing boaters. All 3 individuals were located after they spent 2 hours in the water and were able to swim to shore. They were taken to hospital for medical assessment. |
| 21 20:14<br>500232                  | CTL           | INLAND<br>WATER | 4                | 3            | 4       |      |    | 3 Kelowna Fire Rescue members responded to investigate boaters in distress at Shelter Bay on Okanagan Lake. Four uninjured individuals were rescued and their boat was towed to shore.   |
| 21 22:25<br>500233                  | CTL           | LAND            | 1                | 21           | 1       |      |    | 21 Vernon SAR members responded to search for a missing female near Sugar Lake. She was located wet and cold on a remote logging road after she was caught in a thunderstorm.  |
| 21 23:52<br>500234                  | NEA           | LAND            | 1                | 15           | 1       |      |    | 15 SAR members from 100 Mile House and Williams Lake responded to search for a missing male. The members were stood down when the male was located at a friend's home.   |
| 22 19:30<br>500235                  | SWE           | LAND            | 4                | 14           | 4       |      |    | 14 Chilliwack SAR members responded to search for 4 missing females in the Chilliwack Lake Provincial Park. SAR was stood down while members were en route. RCMP located the individuals when they arrived at their destination.                               |
| 23 14:46<br>500236                  | CTL           | INLAND<br>WATER |                  | 6            |         |      |    | 6 Peachland Marine Rescue members responded to investigate report of an overturned boat on Okanagan Lake. The SAR group discovered a white post that had been mistaken for a boat. The post was towed to shore.  |
| 23 20:13<br>500237                  | SWE           | LAND            | 1                | 9            | 1       |      |    | 9 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue an injured mountain biker on the south aspect of Mount Seymour Provincial Park. The SAR group located the injured biker who suffered undisclosed injuries. He was taken to hospital by BCAS                   |
| 24 00:36<br>500238                  | NEA           | LAND            | 1                | 32           |         |      | 1  | 32 Quesnel, Williams Lake and Prince George SAR members responded to search for a missing male in the area of Beaver Mouth Park near Quesnel. Subject was located deceased in the creek and turned over to the coroner.  |
| 24 09:50<br>500239                  | SWE           | AIR             | ELT              | 3            |         |      |    | 3 PEP Air members were flying to Salmon Arm for an exercise when they were diverted for an ELT sounding at the Langley Airport. They were able to quickly locate and shut down the transmitter.  |
| 24 14:23<br>500240                  | CTL           | LAND            | 1                | 3            | 1       |      |    | 3 Salmon Arm Highway Rescue members were called out after an aircraft rolled over at the Salmon Arm Airport. They were cancelled on scene as the pilot had climbed out without assistance prior to the   |

|                         |     |                 |            |             |            |           |           |  |
|-------------------------|-----|-----------------|------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|--|
|                         |     |                 |            |             |            |           |           | rescue team's arrival.   |
| 24 17:08<br>500241      | SWE | LAND            | 1          | 20          |            |           | 1         | 20 Central Fraser Valley, Chilliwack and Kent Harrison SAR members were called out to search for a missing 5 year old child in the Vedder area of Chilliwack River Valley. SAR was stood down pending further investigation by RCMP.   |
| 24 17:41<br>500242      | SWE | AIR             | ELT        | 3           |            |           |           | 3 PEP Air responded to assist RCC in locating an ELT that was sounding in the vicinity of the Langley Airport. The ELT was located and turned off.   |
| 24 18:15<br>500243      | SWE | LAND            | 1          | 9           | 1          |           |           | 9 Kent Harrison SAR members responded to search for a male who went missing in the area of Mount Cheam near Agassiz. RCMP located male in good health and the SAR team was stood down prior to mustering.  |
| 24 19:07<br>500244      | SWE | AIR             | 1          | 1           | 1          |           |           | 1 PEP Air member was called out to search for an overdue USA aircraft. They were stood down prior to responding when RCC advised the pilot had called in.  |
| 24 23:36<br>500245      | SWE | LAND            | 1          | 17          |            |           | 1         | 17 North Shore Rescue members responded to search for a subject after a backpack was found near Twin Bridges in Lynn Canyon. The deceased was located in a canyon. SAR members assisted RCMP dive team members with the recovery.  |
| 25 16:30<br>500246      | CTL | LAND            | 1          | 5           | 1          |           |           | 5 Logan Lake SAR members responded to rescue a male who was injured when his ATV flipped over on a trail outside of Logan Lake. SAR members brought the patient out to waiting ambulance.  |
| 25<br>500247            | SWE | INLAND<br>WATER | 5          | 8           | 5          |           |           | 8 Ridge Meadows SAR members responded to assist a 6 individuals from a boat that was stranded on Pitt Lake. SAR rescued 5 individuals including a 5 month old baby. The boat owner was left on board to wait for high tide when the boat could be refloated and returned to shore. |
| 26 14:19<br>500248      | VIR | LAND            | 1          | 11          | 1          |           |           | 9 North Shore Rescue and 2 Coquitlam SAR members responded to rescue a male who was injured by a falling tree while clearing a trail on Mount Seymour. The individual was brought out to BCAS and transported to hospital.   |
| 26 20:27<br>500249      | SWE | LAND            |            | 9           |            |           |           | 9 Ridge Meadows SAR members responded to investigate report of a boat in distress on Pitt Lake. On SAR teams arrival, the beached boat had already been assisted off the shore by another passing boater.  |
| <b>WEEK<br/>TOTAL</b>   |     | 19              | 27         | 222         | 26         | 2         | -1        | ELT - 2  |
| <b>YEAR TO<br/>DATE</b> |     | <b>249</b>      | <b>343</b> | <b>2854</b> | <b>312</b> | <b>14</b> | <b>17</b> | <b>ELT - 18</b>  |

## **WEEKLY INCIDENT REPORT 20 – 26 June**

### **MISCELLANEOUS**

On 22 Jun 05, Squamish SAR and Emergency Social Services (ESS) volunteers responded to assist residents who were evacuated from their homes due to a police situation in downtown Squamish. A reception centre was established and one night's accommodation was provided for those who were displaced.

On 24 Jun 05, a US tour bus caught fire on Highway 99 between Whistler and Squamish. ESS personnel arranged to have critical incident stress counseling provided to the 12 stranded occupants who had escaped from the burning bus.

### **URBAN FIRE (S):**

| <b><u>DATE</u></b> | <b><u>LOCATION</u></b> | <b><u>IMPACTED</u></b> |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| 21 Jun 05          | Slocan                 | 2 people               |
| 23 Jun 05          | Surrey                 | 5 people               |
| 24 Jun 05          | Williams Lake          | 3 people               |
| 25 Jun 05          | Vancouver              | 3 people               |
| 25 Jun 05          | Kelowna                | 4 people               |
| 25 Jun 05          | Richmond               | 5 people               |
| 26 Jun 05          | Surrey                 | 3 people               |