



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 5 Dec 05 to 11 Dec 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	0	22	4	0	20
South West	0	2	1	19	1	5	35
Central	0	3	0	5	12	0	40
South East	0	1	0	1	6	2	16
North East	0	2	0	24	13	0	23
North West	0	0	0	2	3	0	16
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	0	293
Provincial Weekly Totals	0	8	1	73	39	7	443
Provincial Year to Date	61	540	194	2551	1305	304	25476
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	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	128	4955

Protection Order Registry	185	6361
Problem Wildlife	208	16113
Wildlife Enforcement	75	3088

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 5 DEC 05 TO 11 DEC 05

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
04 19:14 500789 UPDATE	CTL	LAND		50	2		-2	50 Vernon, Shuswap, Central Okanagan and Kamloops SAR members, including members of the local snowmobile club, searched Hunters Range in Enderby for 2 snowmobilers that failed to return from riding in that area. Subjects were found alive and well where they had hunkered down for the night after they got stuck in a gully.
06 09:17 500791	NEA	LAND	2	8	2			5 Prince George SAR and 3 PEP Air members responded to search for 2 subjects that went for a quad ride in the Blackwater area and failed to return. The 2 individuals were located in good health and returned to safety after their vehicle had broken down.
07 13:45 500792	NEA	LAND	1	17		1		17 Fort St John SAR responded to a report of a vehicle over an embankment at the Kiskatnaw River Bridge near Dawson Creek. The lone occupant of the vehicle was recovered deceased and turned over to the Coroner.
09 16:03 500793	SWE	LAND	1	9	1			9 North Shore Rescue were cancelled while en route to search for a missing hiker on Mount Seymour. It was determined to be a false alarm.
10 18:41 500794	SEA	LAND	2	8	2			8 Revelstoke SAR members responded to search for two snowmobilers missing in the Boulder Mountain area near Revelstoke. The subjects were located in an area known to SAR members and escorted off of the mountain in good condition.
10 21:01 500795	CTL	LAND	2	3	2			3 Penticton SAR members were called out to rescue two cross country skiers that were lost in the Nickel Plate Cross Country Ski Trails. The subjects were within cell phone contact so rescuers were able to locate them and guide them out to their vehicles.
11 04:11 500796	CTL	LAND	1	30		1		26 Central Okanagan SAR and 4 PEP Air members responded to search for a 60 year old hunter that failed to return home from bow hunting in the Postel Lake area of Winfield. Search concluded when the subject was located deceased and turned over to the custody of the Coroner.
11 09:51 500797	CTL	LAND	2	23	2			15 NORD (Vernon) SAR, 4 Shuswap SAR and 4 PEP Air members responded to search for 2 snowmobilers reported missing in the Park Mountain area between Mabel Lake and Sugar Lake near Vernon. The two subjects were located at the Park Nelson Chalet where they sought shelter after their snowmobiles had become stuck . The subjects were assisted back to their vehicles by SAR volunteers.
11 10:24 500798	SWE	INLAND WATER		5				Mission SAR were called out to investigate a report of a boat on fire with an unknown number of persons onboard in the Fraser River near Mission. 5 SAR members responded and were stood down after they were advised boaters on the river had put out the fire and it was determined there was nobody

								onboard.
11 15:35 500799	SWE	LAND	1	20	1			20 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue a hiker that suffered a back injury on Mt. Seymour. The subject was brought off the mountain and transferred to BCAS for transport to hospital for treatment.
WEEK TOTAL		9	12	173	12	2	-2	ELT - 0
YEAR TO DATE		795	1044	10211	951	52	41	ELT - 51

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BODY RECOVERY

On 06 Dec 05, Hope SAR responded to recover a body located near Highway 3 at Berkley Creek near Hope. The body was recovered and turned over to the Coroner.

DANGEROUS GOODS

On 06 Dec 05, a pool employee at Pacific Shores Resort in Nanoose mixed hydrochloric acid and sodium hydroxide 12% which caused a chemical reaction. Eight people were sent to the hospital suffering respiratory problems and were later released. The Ministry of Environment Response Officer elevated the incident to Code 2 (urgent) status. The pool employee dumped the chemicals into the pool to dilute the mixture and stop the reaction. The facility was ventilated and reopened by early afternoon.

FLOODING

On 9 Dec 05, an ice jam formed on Toby creek near Invermere and caused water to flow over the dyke and threaten the sewage treatment plant. A flood hazard specialist responded to assess the situation. The local Emergency Program Coordinator was advised and the Southeast Provincial Regional Emergency Operation Centre (PREOC) activated to level 1 to provide support to local government.

On 10 Dec 05, an ice jam formed on the Kootenay River near the J-2 Ranch at Canal Flats. The river over banked at one location. No structures or people were impacted. The PEP Regional Manager and local Emergency Program Coordinator were advised and continue to monitor the situation.

MISCELLANEOUS

On 06 Dec 05, Emergency Social Services staff responded to provide assistance to 12 residents who were displaced from their apartments during clean up of a drug lab. Residents were relocated to the lower floor of the building and provided with meals until they could safely return to their homes.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
05 Dec 05	Burnaby	1 person
09 Dec 05	Burnaby	3 people
11 Dec 05	Chilliwack	9 people