



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 16 Mar 09 to 22 Mar 09

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		21	7	2	52
South West	1	2	1	27	2	3	125
Central		3		10	9	2	41
South East		5		2	7		48
North East		5		11	12	2	77
North West				2	1		20
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	0	337
Provincial Weekly Totals	1	16	1	73	38	9	700
Provincial Year to Date	73	688	208	3487	2197	674	31782
	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	138	7327

Protection Order Registry	181	9316
Problem Wildlife	161	27628
Wildlife Enforcement	83	5090

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 16 MAR 09 TO 22 MAR 09

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
15 15:25 800951 UPDATE	SWE	LAND		20				20 Squamish and Whistler SAR members participated in rescuing the injured skier at Brohm Ridge.
16 00:21 800952	NEA	LAND	1	3	1			3 McBride SAR volunteers responded to rescue an injured skier with cardiac issues at the ski lodge in Valemount. Subject was successfully transferred to the care of BCAS.
16 06:58 800953	SEA	LAND	4	10	4			10 Fernie SAR members responded to search for four snowmobilers missing in the Flathead area. The snowmobilers had left from the Alberta side on 15 Mar and were due back that night. The subjects were located unharmed on the Alberta side of the mountain and escorted out by the Pincher Creek SAR Team.
16 12:48 800954	NEA	LAND	1	6	1			6 Mackenzie SAR volunteers responded to rescue a mining prospector after he sent out a number of medical distress signals. The subject was airlifted out, having suffered a dislocated shoulder, and was turned over to BCAS.
17 05:30 800955	VIR	LAND	1	10	1			10 Campbell River SAR and Vancouver Island North SAR members were called out to search for a male missing from his residence in the Coal Harbour area. RCMP stood down SAR after learning the subject had been reported travelling in a vehicle.
17 10:18 800956	SWE	LAND	1	14	1			14 Whistler SAR members participated in a search for a snowboarder reported overdue from his tour on Black Tusk Mountain. The subject, who was located in good condition, continued on with his tour.
17 15:38 800957	SWE	LAND	3	7	3			7 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue three individuals who became stranded on an icy cliff on Bowen Island while there to repair E-COMM's antenna system. The three subjects were picked up by helicopter and dropped off at Bowen School.
17 18:58 800958	SWE	INLAND WATER	ELT	16				16 North Shore Rescue and Squamish SAR members responded at the request of JRCC to search for an EPIRB signal picked up near Britannia Beach. SAR was stood down when JRCC advised a boat had been found and the EPIRB was shut off.
18 03:14 800959	CTL	LAND	1	11			1	11 Shuswap SAR volunteers responded to search for an occupant missing from a vehicle involved in an accident west of Salmon Arm. SAR members were stood down by RCMP after an unsuccessful search.
18 15:56 800960	NEA	LAND	1	20			1	20 members from 100 Mile House and Central Cariboo SAR teams responded to search for victims following an avalanche on Mica Mountain. One deceased snowmobiler was recovered on 19 Mar.
19 09:12 800961	SWE	AIR	ELT	2				2 PEP Air SWE members responded to search for an ELT sounding at or near Abbotsford Airport. The

								ELT was located at Bakerview Aviation and was shut down.
19 23:22 800962	CTL	LAND	1	7	1			7 Nicola Valley SAR volunteers responded to search for a snowmobiler who left the Elkhart Lodge in Merritt and failed to check in on his return. The snowmobiler was located uninjured and had since returned home.
20 12:35 800963	NEA	LAND	1	0	1			BCAS requested assistance from the MacKenzie Fire Department and asked that a SAR team be called to assist following report of a male in distress at the snowmobile trail on the 10 Mile Loop. The Fire Department carried out the medical rescue and SAR team was not required.
20 16:29 800964	SEA	LAND	1	8	1			8 Revelstoke SAR members and 1 Golden SAR Manager assisted BCAS in rescuing an injured snowmobiler on the Vetterman Trail. The subject was brought out and transferred to BCAS.
20 22:03 800965	SEA	LAND		1				1 Rossland SAR member was contacted to search for two skiers overdue in the back-country at the Plewman Ridge. SAR was stood down when it was learned that the couple had been planning to stay at a cabin in the area.
21 16:30 800966	NEA	LAND	3	5	2	1		5 Robson Valley SAR members were stood down while en route to rescue 3 victims of an avalanche at Thunder Creek near Valemount. A private heli-skiing company that had spotted the individuals, set down and picked up two survivors and one deceased individual.
21 18:02 800967	SEA	LAND	1	11	1			6 Parks Canada and 5 Canadian Mountain Holidays personnel assisted in rescuing a male who had fallen into a crevasse on the Blanket Glacier near Revelstoke. Visual contact was made, however, due to stability concerns in the area the rescue was not carried out until the following day. The individual was sling-rescued from a ledge 60' down and taken to hospital.
21 21:46 800968	SEA	LAND	2	18	2			4 members of Central Okanagan SAR, 3 Amateur Radio volunteers and 11 PEP Air members participated in the search for two snowboarders reported out-of-bounds at Big White. The pair were spotted by RCMP Air 3 on 22 Mar and SAR members went in and brought them out. The subjects were assessed by BCAS and were released to their families.
22 17:52 800969	CTL	LAND	1	24	1			24 Oliver and Penticton SAR members were called out to rescue a stranded climber on McIntyre Cliff near Gallagher Lake between Okanagan Falls and Oliver. A helicopter was used to insert Rope Rescue Teams above the climber and they brought him up and hiked out of the area.
WEEK TOTAL		18	23	193	20	2	1	ELT - 2
YEAR TO DATE		968	1333	9687	1200	89	44	ELT - 66

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URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
16 Mar 09	Vancouver	8 people
18 Mar 09	Williams Lake	3 people
19 Mar 09	Kelowna	3 people
20 Mar 09	Delta	90 people
20 Mar 09	Columbia Valley	5 people
21 Mar 09	Clearwater	6 people
21 Mar 09	View Royal	3 people
21 Mar 09	Taylor	2 people
22 Mar 09	Powell River	12 people