

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT
MONDAY, JUNE 17, 1996 - 0530 MDT
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL III

*** ALL FIREFIGHTERS HAVE THE RIGHT TO A SAFE ASSIGNMENT ***

CURRENT SITUATION: No significant problems were reported on any large fires yesterday. Numerous units throughout the Southwestern United States continue to experience very high and extreme fire indices. Resource mobilization was minimal through NICC. The Canadian Provinces of Ontario and Quebec continue to experience multiple large fires and initial attack activity.

Rocky Mountain Area Large Fires:

DIPPING VAT COMPLEX, Southern Ute Agency, BIA. A Type I Incident Management Team (Birch) is assigned. The fires are burning approximately 15 miles southeast of the community of Chimney Rock, CO. The complex is comprised of the Archuleta and Dipping Vat fires. The fire experienced drier conditions yesterday, however, activity was limited to hot spots in heavy fuels. Acreage increase is due to more accurate mapping.

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	SSS
NAME					CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS
DIPPING VAT CPX	SUA	CO	16,456	80	6/17	1,031	41	11	6	0	200K	1.8M

Southwest Area Large Fires:

LL COMPLEX, Gila NF. A Type I Incident Management Team (Lente) is assigned. The complex is burning in the Gila Wilderness approximately 40 miles northwest of Silver City, NM. The complex is comprised of the Langstroth and Lookout fires. The size of the Lookout fire increased slightly on the east perimeter, otherwise minimal activity was reported yesterday. Retardant drops were made on the Langstroth fire to halt spread onto steep slopes. Hazard reduction of dead and down fuels continued on National Forest land near homes in the Willow Creek area.

The Gila NF has 1 fire under confinement strategy for 2,200 acres.

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NAME					CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS
LL COMPLEX	GNF	NM	6,998	0	NONE	335	12	0	3	0	NR	436K

Eastern Area Large Fires:

SOUTH TEMPERANCE, Superior NF. A Type II Incident Management Team (Bonde) is assigned. This fire is burning in the Boundary Waters Canoe Area Wilderness 25 miles north of the town of Tofte, MN. A modified confine/contain suppression strategy is employed with crews using water, natural barriers and line construction to meet containment objectives. Fireline explosive will be used to tie in control lines. "Light hand on the land" tactics will be utilized, pushing the containment date to 6/20/96.

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NAME					CTN	CTN	PERS			LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
S TEMPERANCE	SUF	MN	1,800	5	6/20	151	5	2	3	0	NR	83K

Alaska Large Fires:

TETLIN, Alaska State. A Type II Incident Management Team (Harper) is assigned. This fire is burning approximately 22 miles southeast of Tok. The fire was declared contained and demobilization has begun.

100 MILE CREEK, Alaska State. A Type II Incident Management Team (Stires) is assigned. The fire is located on military land near the community of Delta Junction approximately 100 miles southeast of Fairbanks. An estimated containment date is not applicable as a portion of the fire is burning in a limited suppression area on the military arms range. All crews were demobilized from the fire yesterday and the remaining overhead and helicopters will be demobilized today. The fire will be placed in a monitor status and this will be the last report unless significant activity occurs.

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NAME					CTN	CTN	PERS			LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
TETLIN	AKS	AK	6,710	100	---	271	13	2	4	0	NR	645K
100 MILE CREEK	AKS	AK	66,560	15	NONE	36	0	0	2	3	NR	806K

Eastern Great Basin Large Fires:

LONG RIDGE, Richfield District, BLM. A Type II Incident Management Team (Casey) is assigned. This fire is located 10 miles northwest of Nephi, UT. Powerlines and electrical substations remain threatened, along with structures one mile from the fire. The fire increased by 300 acres yesterday.

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NAME					CTN	CTN	PERS			LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
LONG RIDGE	RID	UT	3,200	60	6/17	359	12	11	4	0	NR	506K
GRINDSTONE	BOD	ID	1,300	100	---	0	0	0	0	0	NR	NR

BOD = Boise District, BLM

Western Great Basin Large Fires:

MULE SPRINGS, Toiyabe NF. This fire is burning west of Las Vegas, five miles from the community of Mountain Springs, NV. Extreme fire behavior was reported yesterday. Spotting, erratic winds, extremely dry fuels and steep terrain are hampering control efforts.

STAMPEDE, Ely District, BLM. The fire was contained within the first burning period and control is expected today.

WINNEMUCCA MOUNTAIN, Winnemucca District, BLM. The fire was declared controlled yesterday.

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NAME					CTN	CTN	PERS			LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
MULE SPRINGS	TOF	NV	400	10	6/17	93	2	11	0	0	10K	40K

SOUTHERN		0	18	0	0	1	37	28	1	83
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ACRES BURNED: Yesterday								
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL	
ALASKA		25			13		38	
NORTHWEST		6,350				100	6,450	
CA-NORTHERN					44	0	44	
CA-SOUTHERN								
NORTHERN					0	0	0	
GB-EASTERN		306			5	4	315	
GB-WESTERN		700			0	400	1,100	
SOUTHWEST						6	6	
ROCKY MTN							0	
EASTERN							0	
SOUTHERN					1		1	
USA		0	7,381	0	0	63	510	7,954

RESOURCE	RESOURCE		STATUS:		Committed Resources				OVERHEAD	
	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON	FED	NON
ALASKA	10	23		14	3	11			198	199
NORTHWEST	1		6	2	2				13	
CA-NORTHERN		11	3	7		2		5		
CA-SOUTHERN										
NORTHERN			5							
GB-EASTERN	13	1	24	7	3		1		65	2
GB-WESTERN	4	3	17	2	4		1		13	1
SOUTHWEST	35		35		16		1		77	5
ROCKY MTN	43	1	4	11	7		5		181	11
EASTERN	3	2	2		3				35	25
SOUTHERN									64	1
USA	109	41	96	43	38	13	8	5	646	244

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

NON = NON FEDERAL RESOURCES

* = No information received.

FIRES: Year to date							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA	1	16	4		390	8	419
NORTHWEST	20	17	5	1	52	41	136
CA-NORTHERN	4	3		9	425	69	510
CA-SOUTHERN	1	114	1	14	1,546	251	1,927
NORTHERN	89	1	24		41	37	192
GB-EASTERN	8	123		3	120	50	304
GB-WESTERN		122		25	34	19	200
SOUTHWEST	572	108	8	23	1,030	696	2,437
ROCKY MTN	231	123		3	535	122	1,014
EASTERN	273			46	11,459	309	12,087

SOUTHERN	77	81	60	41,054	1,062	42,334
USA	1,276	627	123	56,686	2,664	61,560
5 YEAR AVERAGE						38,103

AREA	BIA	ACRES BURNED:			Year to date		TOTAL
		BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	
ALASKA	6	83,180	5,208		88,082	141	176,593
NORTHWEST	1,095	8,756	1,538	1	169	124	11,683
CA-NORTHERN	3	720		5	2,279	71	3,078
CA-SOUTHERN	161	27,063	25	5	56,770	5,575	89,599
NORTHERN	526	20	1,678		48	91	2,363
GB-EASTERN	152	15,490		5	14,852	448	30,947
GB-WESTERN		44,022		18	86	408	44,534
SOUTHWEST	30,839	40,770	3,053	4,610	70,204	117,623	230,406
ROCKY MTN	3,028	1,230			15,207	23,868	43,340
EASTERN	909			526	153,250	11,220	165,905
SOUTHERN	1,781		28,678	8,057	992,680	40,015	1,071,211
USA	38,500	175,423	40,180	13,230	1,393,535	199,007	1,859,875
5 YEAR AVERAGE							574,632

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES

PROVINCES	YESTERDAY		YEAR TO DATE	
BRITISH COLUMBIA	0	0	195	587
YUKON TERRITORY	2	1	32	117
ALBERTA	0	29	148	975
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	0	0	30	809
SASKATCHEWAN	6	3	171	7,340
MANITOBA	1	6,001	152	30,375
ONTARIO	15	68,331	693	210,815
QUEBEC	29	25,124	709	50,748
NEWFOUNDLAND	0	0	44	113
NEW BRUNSWICK	5	13	207	1,575
NOVA SCOTIA	5	3	204	594
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	0	0	17	172
NATIONAL PARKS	1	124	27	2,948
TOTALS	64	99,629	2,629	307,168

A hectare is equivalent to 2.47 acres.

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