

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1996 - 0900 MDT  
NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

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

CURRENT SITUATION: A Type I Incident Management Team was assigned to a new large fire in Southern California late last night. The Southwest Area reported large fire activity. Minimal initial attack activity was reported across the remainder of the U.S.

Southern California Large Fires:

SUR, Los Padres NF. A Type I Incident Management Team (Giachino) is assigned. Heavy fuel loading, steep terrain and erratic winds have hampered suppression efforts. Structures and campgrounds are threatened.

| INCIDENT<br>NAME | UNIT<br>LPF | ST<br>CA | SIZE<br>400 | %<br>0 | EST<br>CTN | TOTAL<br>CTN | CRW<br>PERS | ENG | HELI | STRC | EST | \$\$\$ | LOST | LOSS | C-T-D |
|------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|--------|------------|--------------|-------------|-----|------|------|-----|--------|------|------|-------|
| SUR              |             |          |             |        |            |              |             |     |      |      |     |        |      |      |       |

Southwest Large Fires:

BALES, Santa Fe NF. No information received.

| INCIDENT<br>NAME | UNIT<br>SNF | ST<br>NM | SIZE<br>350 | %<br>65 | EST<br>10/25 | TOTAL<br>4 | CRW<br>0 | ENG<br>0 | HELI<br>0 | STRC<br>0 | EST | \$\$\$ | LOST | LOSS | C-T-D |
|------------------|-------------|----------|-------------|---------|--------------|------------|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|-----|--------|------|------|-------|
| BALES            |             |          |             |         |              |            |          |          |           |           |     |        |      |      |       |

Rocky Mountain Large Fires:

One fire is in a confine or contain suppression strategy totaling 765 acres.

Northern Rockies Large Fires:

Thirty-two fires are in a confine or contain suppression strategy totaling 54,841 acres.

Eastern Great Basin Large Fires:

Two fires are in a confine or contain suppression strategy totaling 21,340 acres.

OUTLOOK:

\*\*\*\* A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN SOUTHERN NEVADA AND \*\*\*\*  
\*\*\*\* NORTHWESTERN NEW MEXICO FOR STRONG AND GUSTY WINDS \*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\* A FIRE WEATHER WATCH IS POSTED IN NORTHERN AND EASTERN ARIZONA FOR \*\*\*\*\*  
 \*\*\*\*\* GUSTY WINDS, LOW RELATIVE HUMIDITIES AND LOW FUEL MOISTURE \*\*\*\*\*

A FIRE WEATHER WARNING IS POSTED IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA FOR HIGH WINDS

A strong cold front will move across Montana, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada and central California bringing windy conditions to all of the west. Snow showers will occur across the mountains of Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Wyoming and Utah. Temperatures will range from the 30's in the northern Rockies to the 50's and 60's along the northwestern coast. The Great Basin temperatures will be in the 40's to 70's. The southwestern portion of the U.S. will be warm and dry. Desert southwest temperatures will reach the 80's.

FIRE: Yesterday

| AREA      | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | STATES | USFS | TOTAL |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------|------|-------|
| ALASKA    |     |     |     |     |        |      | NR    |
| NORTHWEST |     |     |     |     | 2      | 4    | 6     |
| CA-NORTH  |     |     |     |     | 11     | 2    | 13    |
| CA-SOUTH  |     |     |     |     | 13     | 2    | 15    |
| NORTHERN  |     |     |     |     |        |      | NR    |
| GB-EAST   |     |     |     |     |        |      | NR    |
| GB-WEST   |     | 1   |     |     |        |      | 1     |
| SOUTHWEST |     | 1   |     |     |        | 1    | 2     |
| ROCKY MTN |     |     |     |     |        |      | NR    |
| EASTERN   |     |     |     |     |        |      | 0     |
| SOUTHERN  |     |     |     | 1   |        |      | 1     |
| USA       | 0   | 2   | 0   | 1   | 26     | 9    | 38    |

ACRES BURNED: Yesterday

| AREA      | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | STATES | USFS | TOTAL |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------|------|-------|
| ALASKA    |     |     |     |     |        |      | NR    |
| NORTHWEST |     |     |     |     | 2      | 1    | 3     |
| CA-NORTH  |     |     |     |     | 8      | 2    | 10    |
| CA-SOUTH  |     |     |     |     | 7      | 400  | 407   |
| NORTHERN  |     |     |     |     |        |      | NR    |
| GB-EAST   |     |     |     |     |        |      | NR    |
| GB-WEST   |     | 140 |     |     |        |      | 140   |
| SOUTHWEST |     | 80  |     |     |        | 350  | 430   |
| ROCKY MTN |     |     |     |     |        |      | 0     |
| EASTERN   |     |     |     |     |        |      | 0     |
| SOUTHERN  |     |     |     | 1   |        |      | 1     |
| USA       | 0   | 220 | 0   | 1   | 17     | 753  | 991   |

RESOURCE STATUS: Committed Resources

| AREA      | CREWS |     | ENGINES |     | HELICOP. |     | AIRTNK. |     | OVERHEAD |     |
|-----------|-------|-----|---------|-----|----------|-----|---------|-----|----------|-----|
|           | FED   | NON | FED     | NON | FED      | NON | FED     | NON | FED      | NON |
| ALASKA    |       |     |         |     |          |     |         |     |          |     |
| NORTHWEST |       |     | 5       |     |          |     |         |     |          |     |
| CA-NORTH  |       |     | 3       |     |          |     |         |     |          |     |

|           |    |   |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |
|-----------|----|---|----|----|---|---|---|---|----|----|
| CA-SOUTH  | 15 | 4 | 50 | 10 | 7 | 2 |   |   | 36 | 15 |
| NORTHERN  |    |   |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |
| GB-EAST   |    |   |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |
| GB-WEST   |    | 2 |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |
| SOUTHWEST |    |   | 9  |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |
| ROCKY MTN |    |   |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |
| EASTERN   |    |   |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |
| SOUTHERN  |    |   |    |    |   |   |   |   |    |    |
| USA       | 15 | 6 | 67 | 10 | 7 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 36 | 15 |

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

NON = NON FEDERAL RESOURCES

NR = NO REPORT

FIREs: Year to date

| AREA      | BIA   | BLM   | FWS | NPS | STATES | USFS   | TOTAL  |
|-----------|-------|-------|-----|-----|--------|--------|--------|
| ALASKA    | 7     | 45    | 34  | 6   | 572    | 17     | 681    |
| NORTHWEST | 216   | 471   | 16  | 40  | 1,827  | 1,551  | 4,121  |
| CA-NORTH  | 61    | 105   | 2   | 26  | 2,591  | 954    | 3,739  |
| CA-SOUTH  | 10    | 323   | 3   | 279 | 4,130  | 1,049  | 5,794  |
| NORTHERN  | 785   | 106   | 47  | 29  | 706    | 1,503  | 3,176  |
| GB-EAST   | 54    | 1,003 |     | 27  | 500    | 1,001  | 2,585  |
| GB-WEST   |       | 874   | 3   | 61  | 117    | 238    | 1,293  |
| SOUTHWEST | 1,265 | 362   | 13  | 107 | 1,473  | 2,313  | 5,533  |
| ROCKY MTN | 960   | 884   |     | 74  | 1,189  | 734    | 3,841  |
| EASTERN   | 256   |       |     | 61  | 13,029 | 357    | 13,703 |
| SOUTHERN  | 2     |       | 109 | 94  | 47,556 | 1,203  | 48,964 |
| USA       | 3,616 | 4,173 | 227 | 804 | 73,690 | 10,920 | 93,430 |

ACRES BURNED: Year to date

| AREA      | BIA     | BLM       | FWS     | NPS     | STATES    | USFS      | TOTAL     |
|-----------|---------|-----------|---------|---------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| ALASKA    | 16      | 179,029   | 138,906 | 4,379   | 273,281   | 166       | 595,777   |
| NORTHWEST | 133,156 | 230,086   | 5,557   | 5       | 29,497    | 261,255   | 659,556   |
| CA-NORTH  | 247     | 9,188     | 272     | 384     | 16,378    | 127,368   | 153,837   |
| CA-SOUTH  | 2,072   | 40,866    | 31      | 59,683  | 165,958   | 196,965   | 465,535   |
| NORTHERN  | 27,861  | 15,123    | 9,414   | 5,266   | 113,526   | 69,667    | 240,857   |
| GB-EAST   | 406     | 1,057,381 |         | 8,055   | 120,060   | 117,931   | 1,303,833 |
| GB-WEST   |         | 429,149   | 885     | 288     | 90,593    | 83,965    | 604,880   |
| SOUTHWEST | 36,688  | 9,611     | 3,155   | 5,492   | 73,475    | 209,895   | 338,316   |
| ROCKY MTN | 19,992  | 189,887   |         | 10,642  | 31,355    | 41,551    | 293,427   |
| EASTERN   | 1,068   |           |         | 533     | 157,732   | 18,310    | 177,643   |
| SOUTHERN  | 45      |           | 30,331  | 12,773  | 1,059,407 | 42,873    | 1,145,429 |
| USA       | 221,511 | 2,160,320 | 188,551 | 107,500 | 2,131,262 | 1,169,946 | 5,979,090 |

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