

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
 FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1998 - 1000 MST  
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL I

CURRENT SITUATION: Initial attack fire activity increased in the Southern Area, mainly in Mississippi and the Carolinas. The Southern and Southwest Areas each reported one large fire. No significant fire activity was reported elsewhere.

OUTLOOK: The Carolinas will have a few showers and thunderstorms through Saturday, with rain and a few thunderstorms Saturday night through Monday. Dry conditions are expected Tuesday through Thursday. High temperatures will be in the 60's through Sunday. Monday and Tuesday will be cooler with highs from 50 to 60 degrees, then warming back into the mid 50's and 60's by Thursday.

Mississippi will be dry today with a chance of rain Saturday and Sunday. Dry conditions will return Monday through Thursday. High temperatures will be in the mid 40's to mid 50's warming to near 60 by Thursday.

New Mexico will be breezy through next week. A few snow showers are expected through Saturday. Sunday and Monday will be dry with a chance of rain and snow again Wednesday and Thursday. High temperatures will be in the 30's in the north and mountains to the 50's in the southeast, warming to the 50's to lower 70's by Tuesday, then cooling again on Wednesday and Thursday.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
JED JOHNSON LK	WMR	OK	2,308	100	---	5	0	2	0	0	NR	NR

WMR = Wichita Mountains NWR

SOUTHWEST LARGE FIRES:

KING, New Mexico State. This fire destroyed a barn and private vehicle near Roswell, NM.

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				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D
KING	NMS	NM	1,345	100	---	4	0	1	0	1	220K	78K

FIRES: 2/20 through 2/26

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR

NORTHWEST							0
CA-NORTH							NR
CA-SOUTH							NR
NORTHERN							NR
GB-EAST							NR
GB-WEST							NR
SOUTHWEST					1		1
ROCKY MTN							NR
EASTERN						2	2
SOUTHERN			1		207	4	212
USA	0	0	1	0	208	6	215

ACRES BURNED: 2/20 through 2/26							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							NR
NORTHWEST							0
CA-NORTH							NR
CA-SOUTH							NR
NORTHERN							NR
GB-EAST							NR
GB-WEST							NR
SOUTHWEST					1,345		1,345
ROCKY MTN							NR
EASTERN						12	12
SOUTHERN			2,308		1,328	29	3,665
USA	0	0	2,308	0	2,673	41	5,022

RESOURCE STATUS:					Committed Resources					
AREA	CREWS		ENGINES		HELICOP.		AIRTNK.		OVERHEAD	
	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O
ALASKA										
NORTHWEST										
CA-NORTH										
CA-SOUTH										
NORTHERN										
GB-EAST										
GB-WEST										
SOUTHWEST			1						1	
ROCKY MTN										
EASTERN										
SOUTHERN			2		1				1	
USA	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	0	2	0

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

ST/O = STATE OR OTHER RESOURCES

NR = NO REPORT

FIRES: Year to date							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							0
NORTHWEST		2				4	6

CA-NORTH							0
CA-SOUTH					28	1	29
NORTHERN							0
GB-EAST							0
GB-WEST							0
SOUTHWEST					1		1
ROCKY MTN					1		1
EASTERN				2		14	16
SOUTHERN			6	3	1,498	73	1,580
USA	0	2	6	5	1,528	92	1,633

ACRES BURNED: Year to date							
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
ALASKA							0
NORTHWEST		500				1	501
CA-NORTH							0
CA-SOUTH					0	0	0
NORTHERN							0
GB-EAST							0
GB-WEST							0
SOUTHWEST					1,345		1,345
ROCKY MTN					3,500		3,500
EASTERN				87		100	187
SOUTHERN	0		2,393	30	13,448	558	16,429
USA	0	500	2,393	117	18,293	659	21,962

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