

## INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT

MONDAY, JULY 13, 1998 - 0530 MDT

### NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL III

#### CURRENT SITUATION:

Large fire activity continued in the Southern area. The National Interagency Coordination Center continued to process orders for miscellaneous overhead. Very high and extreme fire indices were reported in Florida, Georgia, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, Utah, California and Nevada.

#### SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

**FLAGLER/ST. JOHNS COMPLEX**, Florida State, Flagler and St. Johns Counties. A Type I Incident Management Team (Hutchinson) is assigned. Unburned areas inside the fire continue to smoulder, keeping reburn potential high. Mop-up within the interface remains the highest priority. This complex received widespread rain showers and the KBDI index has fallen from extreme to high.

**JACKSONVILLE II COMPLEX**, Florida State, Nassau, Duval and Clay Counties. A Type I Incident Management Team (Monahan) is assigned. Fire management is under Unified Command with Florida State (Caullette). Approximately two inches of rain fell over portions of the complex on Saturday, 7/11.

**SUWANNEE OAK COMPLEX**, Florida State, Columbia, Union, Bradford and Baker Counties. A Type I Incident Management Team (Dague) is assigned. Unified command is in effect with Florida State (Crow). Scattered thunderstorms and showers over most of the complex assisted in mop-up. One new lightning fire of less than an acre was detected and suppressed.

**PERRY COMPLEX**, Florida State, Taylor County. A Type II Incident Management Team (Gauger) is assigned. Good progress was made by utilizing two Type I helicopters for mop-up. Transition of the complex to the district is planned for today.

**WITHLACOCHEE**, Florida State, Hernando, Pasco, Lake Sumter and Citrus Counties. A Type II Incident Management Team (Kennedy) is assigned. Additional acreage is due to remapping of the fire. The district has assumed responsibility for eleven of the thirteen fires within the complex.

**HONEY SCRUB**, Okefenokee NWR. This fire is burning in dry scrub and grass in the Okefenokee Refuge. A Type I Incident Management Team (Dubois) is assigned. Fire behavior has been extreme as KBDI's reach above 770. Convection cells in the area provided strong winds, some rain and one new fire. The threat to Stephan C. Foster Park continues. Forty-eight thousand gallons of retardant were dropped on the fire. Over

twenty miles of plow line have been established in the southwest portion of the swamp between the fire and the town of Fargo, GA. The community itself is not threatened at this time. However, residents are being asked to prepare for evacuation should it become necessary. Current concerns are for commercial timberlands near the west side of the fire.

**FT. DAVIS COMPLEX**, Texas State, Jeff Davis County. This complex consists of the Arabella and the Black Mountain fires. The Arabella fire is contained. The Black Mountain fire became more active last night. Active suppression is continuing with the use of three helicopters.

| INCIDENT NAME          | UNIT | ST | SIZE    | %<br>CTN | EST<br>CTN | TOTL<br>PERS | CRW | ENG | HELI | STRC<br>LOST | EST<br>LOSS | \$\$\$<br>CTD |
|------------------------|------|----|---------|----------|------------|--------------|-----|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| FLAGLER/ST.JOHN        | FLS  | FL | 92,986  | NR       | UNK        | 1,619        | 27  | 123 | 13   | 51           | 6.3M        | 8.7M          |
| VOLUSIA COMPLEX        | FLS  | FL | 111,130 | 100      | UNK        | 1,253        | 24  | 77  | 12   | 20           | 54M         | 9.1M          |
| PERRY COMPLEX          | FLS  | FL | 20,400  | 95       | 7/13       | 219          | 1   | 18  | 4    | 0            | 3M          | 1.8M          |
| JACKSONVILLE II        | FLS  | FL | 16,163  | 90       | UNK        | 489          | 8   | 25  | 0    | 1            | UNK         | 4M            |
| SUWANEE OAK CMPX       | FLS  | FL | 36,508  | 90       | UNK        | 329          | 5   | 13  | 3    | 1            | UNK         | 361K          |
| WITHLACOCHEE           | FLS  | FL | 3,134   | 95       | 7/14       | 45           | 1   | 5   | 0    | 0            | NR          | 946K          |
| HONEY SCRUB            | OKR  | FL | 3,100   | 0        | UNK        | 81           | 0   | 8   | 5    | 0            | UNK         | 278K          |
| FT. DAVIS CMPLEX       | TXS  | TX | 1,350   | 92       | 7/13       | 10           | 0   | 0   | 3    | 0            | UNK         | UNK           |
| GARDEN VALLEY<br>CMPLX | TXS  | TX | 2,500   | 100      |            | 27           | 0   | 8   | 2    | 3            | UNK         | UNK           |

#### NORTHWEST LARGE FIRES:

**AVERY**, Dungeness NWR. A vehicle catalytic converter started this grass fire. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

| INCIDENT<br>NAME | UNIT | ST | SIZE  | %<br>CTN | EST<br>CTN | TOTAL<br>PERS | CRW | ENG | HELI | STRC<br>LOST | EST<br>LOSS | \$\$\$<br>CTD |
|------------------|------|----|-------|----------|------------|---------------|-----|-----|------|--------------|-------------|---------------|
| AVERY            | DNR  | WA | 3,500 | NR       | NR         | NR            | NR  | NR  | NR   | NR           | NR          | NR            |
| BIG<br>MUDDY     | PRD  | OR | 1,570 | 100      |            | 3             | 0   | 1   | 0    | 0            | UNK         | UNK           |

#### OUTLOOK:

Florida and southern Georgia will be mostly cloudy with numerous showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures will be in the upper 80's to lower 90's.

Southern Nevada, Utah, Arizona, New Mexico and western Texas will be mostly sunny and hot. Eastern Arizona will have isolated afternoon thunderstorms. New Mexico and west Texas will have scattered afternoon thunderstorms. High temperatures will range from the upper 70's in the mountains to 112 in the valleys and deserts.

Oregon will be sunny and warm with areas of morning clouds in the southwest. Temperatures will range from the 70's to the lower 90's.

NR = NOT REPORTED UNK = UNKNOWN

**FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:**

| AREA      |       | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT  | USFS | TOTAL  |
|-----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|--------|------|--------|
| ALASKA    | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 0      |      | 0      |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 11,130 |      | 11,130 |
| NORTHWEST | FIRES |     |     |     |     |        | 12   | 12     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |        | 1    | 1      |
| CA-NORTH  | FIRES | 3   |     |     |     | 16     |      | 19     |
|           | ACRES | 4   |     |     |     | 17     |      | 21     |
| CA-SOUTH  | FIRES |     |     |     |     |        | 3    | 3      |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |        | 0    | 0      |
| NORTHERN  | FIRES |     | 2   |     |     | 11     | 4    | 17     |
|           | ACRES |     | 28  |     |     | 0      | 0    | 28     |
| GB-EAST   | FIRE  |     | 1   |     |     | 1      | 5    | 7      |
|           | ACRES |     | 0   |     |     | 22     | 1    | 23     |
| GB-WEST   | FIRES |     | 3   |     | 1   |        |      | 4      |

|           |       |   |    |   |   |        |    |        |
|-----------|-------|---|----|---|---|--------|----|--------|
|           | ACRES |   | 4  |   | 0 |        |    | 4      |
| SOUTHWEST | FIRES | 2 | 2  |   |   | 3      | 5  | 12     |
|           | ACRES | 1 | 0  |   |   | 38     | 10 | 49     |
| ROCKY MTN | FIRES |   | 5  |   |   |        | 3  | 8      |
|           | ACRES |   | 2  |   |   |        | 0  | 2      |
| EASTERN   | FIRES |   |    |   |   |        |    | 0      |
|           | ACRES |   |    |   |   |        |    | 0      |
| SOUTHERN  | FIRES |   |    |   |   | 66     | 16 | 82     |
|           | ACRES |   |    |   |   | 4,173  | 76 | 4,249  |
| TOTAL     | FIRES | 5 | 13 | 0 | 1 | 97     | 48 | 164    |
|           | ACRES | 5 | 34 | 0 | 0 | 15,380 | 88 | 15,507 |

\* = NO REPORT

#### FIRE AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

| AREA      |       | BIA    | BLM    | FWS   | NPS | ST/OT  | USFS | TOTAL   |
|-----------|-------|--------|--------|-------|-----|--------|------|---------|
| ALASKA    | FIRES | 2      | 24     | 3     | 3   | 295    | 3    | 330     |
|           | ACRES | 1      | 63,063 | 7     | 22  | 63,911 | 1    | 127,005 |
| NORTHWEST | FIRES | 92     | 50     | 2     | 5   | 277    | 203  | 629     |
|           | ACRES | 11,418 | 13,204 | 4,500 | 0   | 485    | 425  | 30,032  |
| CA-NORTH  | FIRES | 51     | 7      |       | 2   | 425    | 89   | 574     |
|           | ACRES | 59     | 0      |       | 0   | 393    | 77   | 529     |
| CA-SOUTH  | FIRES | 29     | 85     |       | 7   | 772    | 154  | 1,047   |

|                        |       |        |         |        |        |           |        |           |
|------------------------|-------|--------|---------|--------|--------|-----------|--------|-----------|
|                        | ACRES | 211    | 1,342   |        | 3      | 5,610     | 611    | 7,777     |
| NORTHERN               | FIRES | 502    | 16      | 28     |        | 170       | 148    | 864       |
|                        | ACRES | 2,664  | 1,642   | 7,123  |        | 4,455     | 1,882  | 17,766    |
| GB-EAST                | FIRES | 17     | 137     |        | 5      | 76        | 102    | 337       |
|                        | ACRES | 66     | 28,461  |        | 14     | 1,704     | 549    | 30,794    |
| GB-WEST                | FIRES |        | 75      |        | 11     | 17        | 30     | 133       |
|                        | ACRES |        | 1,428   |        | 1      | 66        | 5      | 1,500     |
| SOUTHWEST              | FIRES | 1,396  | 76      | 16     | 43     | 750       | 647    | 2,928     |
|                        | ACRES | 6,740  | 5,243   | 2,706  | 5,982  | 83,231    | 9,288  | 113,190   |
| ROCKY MTN              | FIRES | 274    | 111     | 23     | 9      | 364       | 140    | 921       |
|                        | ACRES | 1,432  | 1,391   | 126    | 288    | 3,096     | 2,468  | 8,801     |
| EASTERN                | FIRES | 499    |         |        | 12     | 8,245     | 349    | 9,105     |
|                        | ACRES | 9,814  |         |        | 174    | 67,043    | 5,550  | 82,581    |
| SOUTHERN               | FIRES | 8      |         | 63     | 47     | 21,982    | 794    | 22,894    |
|                        | ACRES | 35     |         | 20,017 | 8,041  | 853,517   | 77,885 | 959,495   |
| TOTALS                 | FIRES | 2,870  | 581     | 135    | 144    | 33,373    | 2,659  | 39,762    |
|                        | ACRES | 32,440 | 115,774 | 34,479 | 14,525 | 1,083,511 | 98,741 | 1,379,470 |
| TEN YEAR AVERAGE FIRES |       |        |         |        |        |           |        | 44,640    |
| TEN YEAR AVERAGE ACRES |       |        |         |        |        |           |        | 1,231,415 |

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

| AREA | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|
|------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|

|           |       |  |     |  |   |  |  |     |
|-----------|-------|--|-----|--|---|--|--|-----|
| ALASKA    | FIREs |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
|           | ACRES |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
| NORTHWEST | FIREs |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
|           | ACRES |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
| CA-NORTH  | FIREs |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
|           | ACRES |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
| CA-SOUTH  | FIREs |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
|           | ACRES |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
| NORTHERN  | FIREs |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
|           | ACRES |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
| GB-EAST   | FIREs |  | 1   |  |   |  |  | 1   |
|           | ACRES |  | 200 |  |   |  |  | 200 |
| GB-WEST   | FIREs |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
|           | ACRES |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
| SOUTHWEST | FIREs |  | 1   |  | 0 |  |  | 1   |
|           | ACRES |  | 438 |  | 5 |  |  | 443 |
| ROCKY MTN | FIREs |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
|           | ACRES |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
| EASTERN   | FIREs |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
|           | ACRES |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |
| SOUTHERN  | FIREs |  |     |  |   |  |  | 0   |

|       |       |   |     |   |   |   |   |   |     |
|-------|-------|---|-----|---|---|---|---|---|-----|
|       | ACRES |   |     |   |   |   |   |   | 0   |
| TOTAL | FIRES | 0 | 2   | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2   |
|       | ACRES | 0 | 638 | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 643 |

**WILDLAND FIRE USE FOR RESOURCE BENEFIT (WFURB) FIRES AND ACRES  
YESTERDAY:**

| AREA      |       | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|-----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|
| ALASKA    | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| NORTHWEST | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| CA-NORTH  | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| CA-SOUTH  | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| NORTHERN  | FIRES |     |     |     | 1   |       |      | 1     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     | 0   |       |      | 0     |
| GB-EAST   | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| GB-WEST   | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| SOUTHWEST | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |

|            |       |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
|------------|-------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
|            | ACRES |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 0 |
| ROCKY MTN  | FIRES |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 0 |
|            | ACRES |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 0 |
| EASTERN    | FIRES |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 0 |
|            | ACRES |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 0 |
| SOUTHERN   | FIRES |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 0 |
|            | ACRES |   |   |   |   |   |   |   | 0 |
| USA TOTALS | FIRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
|            | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

#### CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

| PROVINCES           | FIRES<br>YESTERDAY | HECTARES<br>YESTERDAY | FIRES<br>YEAR-TO-DATE | HECTARES<br>YEAR-TO-DATE |
|---------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| BRITISH COLUMBIA    |                    |                       | 741                   | 6,107                    |
| YUKON TERRITORY     | 0                  | 10,342                | 140                   | 115,098                  |
| ALBERTA             | 22                 | 4,614                 | 949                   | 386,141                  |
| NORTHWEST TERRITORY | 13                 | 15,855                | 276                   | 228,239                  |
| SASKATCHEWAN        | 25                 | 6,402                 | 916                   | 324,159                  |
| MANITOBA            | 10                 | 266                   | 320                   | 30,671                   |
| ONTARIO             | 37                 | 11,430                | 1,178                 | 110,606                  |
| QUEBEC              | 10                 | 1,443                 | 538                   | 146,082                  |
| NEWFOUNDLAND        | 2                  | 0                     | 164                   | 31,568                   |
| NEW BRUNSWICK       |                    |                       | 161                   | 262                      |

|                      |     |        |       |           |
|----------------------|-----|--------|-------|-----------|
| NOVA SCOTIA          |     |        | 247   | 301       |
| PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND |     |        | 16    | 66        |
| NATIONAL PARKS       | 0   | 4,000  | 54    | 15,265    |
| TOTALS               | 119 | 54,352 | 5,700 | 1,394,565 |

#### RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES:

| AREA      | CREWS FED | CREWS ST/OT | ENGS FED | ENGS ST/OT | HELI FED | HELI ST/OT | AIRT FED | AIRT ST/OT | OVRHD FED | OVRHD ST/OT |
|-----------|-----------|-------------|----------|------------|----------|------------|----------|------------|-----------|-------------|
| ALASKA    | 3         | 5           |          |            |          |            |          |            |           |             |
| NORTHWEST | 10        |             | 19       |            | 5        | 1          |          |            | 118       |             |
| CA-NORTH  |           |             |          | 4          |          |            |          |            |           |             |
| CA-SOUTH  | 2         |             | 9        |            | 2        |            | 1        |            |           |             |
| NORTHERN  | 1         |             | 3        |            |          |            |          |            |           |             |
| GB-EAST   | 1         |             | 7        | 2          | 1        |            |          |            | 3         |             |
| GB-WEST   |           |             |          |            |          |            |          |            |           |             |
| SOUTHWEST | 6         |             | 2        |            | 3        | 1          |          |            |           | 9           |
| ROCKY MTN | 2         |             |          |            | 1        |            |          |            |           |             |
| EASTERN   |           |             |          |            |          |            |          |            | 5         |             |
| SOUTHERN* | 66        | 18          | 281      | 201        | 37       | 61         | 4        | 8          | 1039      | 493         |
| TOTAL     | 91        | 23          | 321      | 207        | 49       | 63         | 5        | 8          | 1,165     | 502         |

\*Resource commitments were not reported from many fires in the Southern Area.

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