

INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT  
 SUNDAY, MAY 23, 1999 - 0900 MDT  
 NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION:

Moderate initial attack activity was reported in Southern Area, with minimal initial attack fire activity being reported elsewhere. Large fire activity increased in Northern California due to low humidities and strong north winds. Mobilization of resources through the National Interagency Coordination Center included aircraft and miscellaneous overhead. Very high and extreme fire indices were reported in Arizona, Texas and New Mexico.

SOUTHERN AREA LARGE FIRES:

FRIENDLY, Osceola National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Owen) is assigned. The fire is located within the Pinhook swamp. Ground access to the fire is limited.

ISOLATED FIRE, Florida Division of Forestry. This fire is located in Broward County and is accessible by air boat only. This will be the last report unless new information is received.

CHARLEY, Big Cypress National Park. Heavy rain yesterday helped with suppression efforts. Aerial reconnaissance showed a few interior smokes.

| INCIDENT NAME | ST | UNIT | SIZE  | % CTN | EST CTN | TOTAL PERS | CRW | ENG | HELI | STRC LOSS | EST LOSS | \$\$\$ C-T-D |
|---------------|----|------|-------|-------|---------|------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|--------------|
| FRIENDLY      | FL | FLS  | 340   | 10    | 6/5     | NR         | 0   | 4   | 1    | 0         | NR       | 500K         |
| ISOLATED      | FL | FLS  | 1,000 | NR    | NR      | NR         | NR  | NR  | NR   | NR        | NR       | NR           |
| CHARLEY       | FL | BCP  | 1,000 | 95    | 5/25    | 3          | 0   | 0   | 1    | 0         | NR       | 20K          |

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA LARGE FIRES:

PASS, Mendocino National Forest. A Type II Incident Management Team (Jansen) is assigned. This fire is located thirty miles southwest of Paskenta.

BELL WEST, Modoc National Forest. This fire is located thirty miles west of Canby. Fire was originally pushed by strong north to northeast winds. Last evening the winds subsided, aiding suppression efforts. No estimates of containment is given at this time.

| INCIDENT NAME | ST | UNIT | SIZE | % CTN | EST CTN | TOTAL PERS | CRW | ENG | HELI | STRC LOSS | EST LOSS | \$\$\$ C-T-D |
|---------------|----|------|------|-------|---------|------------|-----|-----|------|-----------|----------|--------------|
| PASS          | CA | MNF  | 200  | 40    | NR      | 250        | 9   | 6   | 1    | 0         | NR       | NR           |

BELL WEST |CA| MDF| 80| 90| NR| 180| 0| 0| 0| 0| NR| NR

ALASKA AREA LARGE FIRES:

| INCIDENT<br>NAME | ST | UNIT | SIZE | %<br>CTN | EST<br>CTN | TOTAL<br>PERS | CRW | ENG | HELI | STRC<br>LOSS | EST<br>LOSS | \$\$\$<br>C-T-D |
|------------------|----|------|------|----------|------------|---------------|-----|-----|------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|
| EKLUTNA          | AK | MSS  | 300  | 100      | ----       | 243           | 11  | 0   | 4    | 0            | 0           | 222K            |

OUTLOOK:

Alaska will be cloudy with showers across the southern mainland. Partly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms across the western mainland and central interior. High temperatures will range from 55 to 68 in the interior.

Florida will be partly cloudy with scattered afternoon thunderstorms. High temperatures in the mid 80's to near 90 with minimum humidities 45 to 60 percent.

New Mexico will be partly cloudy with scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms. High temperatures will be in the upper 60's and 70's in the mountains and north, with 80's to near 90 in the lower elevations in the south. Minimum humidities will range from 15 to 25 percent, except 30 to 40 percent in the northeast. South to southeast winds 10-20 MPH.

West Texas will be partly to mostly cloudy with widely scattered afternoon thunderstorms. Highs will range from the upper 80's to near 100. Minimum humidities 10 to 20 percent. Southeast winds 10 to 20 MPH.

Southern California will be partly cloudy in the southern mountains with a slight chance of a shower or thunderstorm. Highs will range from the 60's in the mountains, and 70's to lower 80's in the valleys. Minimum humidities 25 to 40 percent in the mountains and 15 to 25 percent in the valleys. Northeast to northwest winds 10 to 20 MPH in the valleys.

FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

| AREA      | BIA   | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS | TOTAL |
|-----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-------|------|-------|
| ALASKA    | FIRES |     |     |     | 2     |      | 2     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     | 1     |      | 1     |
| NORTHWEST | FIRES |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |       |      | 0     |
| CA-NORTH  | FIRES |     |     |     |       | 3    | 3     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |       | 280  | 280   |
| CA-SOUTH  | FIRES |     |     |     | 9     |      | 9     |

|           |       |    |   |   |       |    |     |       |
|-----------|-------|----|---|---|-------|----|-----|-------|
|           | ACRES |    |   |   |       | 5  |     | 5     |
| NORTHERN  | FIRES |    |   |   |       |    |     | 0     |
|           | ACRES |    |   |   |       |    |     | 0     |
| GB-EAST   | FIRES |    |   |   |       |    |     | 0     |
|           | ACRES |    |   |   |       |    |     | 0     |
| GB-WEST   | FIRES |    |   |   |       |    |     | 0     |
|           | ACRES |    |   |   |       |    |     | 0     |
| SOUTHWEST | FIRES | 5  | 3 |   |       | 13 | 10  | 31    |
|           | ACRES | 50 | 4 |   |       | 13 | 34  | 101   |
| ROCKY MTN | FIRES |    | 1 |   |       |    |     | 1     |
|           | ACRES |    | 0 |   |       |    |     | 0     |
| EASTERN   | FIRES |    |   |   |       |    |     | 0     |
|           | ACRES |    |   |   |       |    |     | 0     |
| SOUTHERN  | FIRES |    |   |   | 1     | 3  | 4   | 8     |
|           | ACRES |    |   |   | 1,000 | 1  | 344 | 1,345 |
| TOTAL     | FIRES | 5  | 4 | 0 | 1     | 27 | 17  | 54    |
|           | ACRES | 50 | 4 | 0 | 1,000 | 20 | 658 | 1,732 |

FIRES AND ACRES YEAR-TO-DATE:

| AREA      |       | BIA    | BLM   | FWS    | NPS    | ST/OT   | USFS   | TOTAL   |
|-----------|-------|--------|-------|--------|--------|---------|--------|---------|
| ALASKA    | FIRES |        |       | 1      |        | 116     | 5      | 122     |
|           | ACRES |        |       | 0      |        | 1,166   | 1      | 1,167   |
| NORTHWEST | FIRES | 37     | 11    |        |        | 63      | 11     | 122     |
|           | ACRES | 1,918  | 23    |        |        | 189     | 247    | 2,377   |
| CA-NORTH  | FIRES | 13     | 4     | 4      | 1      | 369     | 35     | 426     |
|           | ACRES | 2      | 5     | 32     | 25     | 222     | 317    | 603     |
| CA-SOUTH  | FIRES | 3      | 18    | 4      | 1      | 610     | 124    | 760     |
|           | ACRES | 0      | 286   | 0      | 1      | 3,981   | 2,769  | 7,037   |
| NORTHERN  | FIRES | 2      |       |        |        |         | 2      | 4       |
|           | ACRES | 2      |       |        |        |         | 874    | 876     |
| GB-EAST   | FIRES |        | 17    |        | 3      | 14      | 5      | 39      |
|           | ACRES |        | 268   |        | 6      | 123     | 26     | 423     |
| GB-WEST   | FIRES | 1      | 16    | 1      | 3      | 11      | 3      | 35      |
|           | ACRES | 1      | 418   | 116    | 3      | 26      | 0      | 564     |
| SOUTHWEST | FIRES | 290    | 36    | 6      | 13     | 447     | 297    | 1,089   |
|           | ACRES | 4,194  | 4,866 | 3      | 317    | 57,645  | 1,740  | 68,765  |
| ROCKY MTN | FIRES | 42     | 20    | 8      | 3      | 214     | 40     | 327     |
|           | ACRES | 420    | 858   | 7      | 4      | 2,258   | 889    | 4,436   |
| EASTERN   | FIRES | 513    |       |        | 46     | 9,375   | 251    | 10,185  |
|           | ACRES | 2,947  |       |        | 338    | 75,594  | 3,696  | 82,575  |
| SOUTHERN  | FIRES | 34     |       | 47     | 80     | 24,891  | 668    | 25,720  |
|           | ACRES | 626    |       | 18,735 | 12,081 | 491,414 | 24,324 | 547,180 |
| TOTALS    | FIRES | 935    | 122   | 71     | 150    | 36,110  | 1,441  | 38,829  |
|           | ACRES | 10,110 | 6,724 | 18,893 | 12,775 | 632,618 | 34,883 | 716,003 |

PRESCRIBED FIRES AND ACRES YESTERDAY:

| AREA      |       | BIA | BLM | FWS | NPS | ST/OT | USFS  | TOTAL |
|-----------|-------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|
| ALASKA    | FIRES |     |     |     |     | 0     |       | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     | 30    |       | 30    |
| NORTHWEST | FIRES |     | 1   |     |     |       | 3     | 4     |
|           | ACRES |     | 5   |     |     |       | 1,468 | 1,473 |
| CA-NORTH  | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
| CA-SOUTH  | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       | 1     | 1     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       | 3     | 3     |
| NORTHERN  | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
| GB-EAST   | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
| GB-WEST   | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
| SOUTHWEST | FIRES | 1   |     |     |     |       |       | 1     |
|           | ACRES | 70  |     |     |     |       |       | 70    |
| ROCKY MTN | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
| EASTERN   | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
| SOUTHERN  | FIRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
|           | ACRES |     |     |     |     |       |       | 0     |
| TOTAL     | FIRES | 1   | 1   | 0   | 0   | 0     | 4     | 6     |
|           | ACRES | 70  | 5   | 0   | 0   | 30    | 1,471 | 1,576 |

WILDLAND FIRE USE (WFU) 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 |     |     |     |     |       |      | 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 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
|            | ACRES | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

Fires and acres reported to the National Interagency Coordination Center are for operational use. Official totals may be obtained by contacting the Agencies directly.

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES:

| Provinces            | Fires<br>Last Week | Hectares<br>Last Week | Fires<br>Year-to-date | Hectares<br>Year-to-date |
|----------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| BRITISH COLUMBIA     | 0                  | 0                     | 135                   | 1,023                    |
| YUKON TERRITORY      | 0                  | 0                     | 5                     | 2                        |
| ALBERTA              | 1                  | 0                     | 187                   | 1,644                    |
| NORTHWEST TERRITORY  | 0                  | 0                     | 0                     | 0                        |
| SASKATCHEWAN         | 0                  | 0                     | 78                    | 647                      |
| MANITOBA             | 0                  | 0                     | 201                   | 38,823                   |
| ONTARIO              | 1                  | 0                     | 313                   | 175,228                  |
| QUEBEC               | 4                  | 1                     | 319                   | 1,379                    |
| NEWFOUNDLAND         | 3                  | 1,775                 | 75                    | 3,465                    |
| NEW BRUNSWICK        | 0                  | 0                     | 214                   | 351                      |
| NOVA SCOTIA          | 0                  | 0                     | 190                   | 1,404                    |
| PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND | 0                  | 0                     | 4                     | 3                        |
| NATIONAL PARKS       | 0                  | 0                     | 7                     | 77                       |
| TOTALS               | 9                  | 1,776                 | 1,728                 | 224,046                  |

RESOURCE STATUS: COMMITTED RESOURCES

| Area      | Crews<br>Fed | Crews<br>ST/OT | Engs<br>Fed | Engs<br>ST/OT | Heli<br>Fed | Heli<br>ST/OT | Airt<br>Fed | Airt<br>ST/OT | Ovrhd<br>Fed | Ovrhd<br>ST/OT |
|-----------|--------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|----------------|
| ALASKA    | 7            | 4              |             |               |             | 4             |             |               | 29           | 33             |
| NORTHWEST |              |                | 8           |               | 1           |               |             |               | 53           |                |
| CA-NORTH  | 4            | 6              | 4           | 5             |             | 1             |             |               | 6            | 1              |
| CA-SOUTH  |              |                |             |               |             |               |             |               |              |                |
| NORTHERN  |              |                |             |               |             |               |             |               |              |                |
| GB-EAST   |              |                |             |               |             |               |             |               |              |                |
| GB-WEST   |              |                |             |               |             |               |             |               |              |                |
| SOUTHWEST | 9            |                | 6           | 2             | 1           |               |             |               | 29           | 10             |
| ROCKY MTN |              |                |             |               |             |               |             |               |              |                |
| EASTERN   |              |                |             |               |             |               |             |               | 5            |                |
| SOUTHERN  |              |                | 3           | 1             | 1           | 1             |             |               | 27           | 3              |
| TOTAL     | 20           | 10             | 21          | 8             | 3           | 6             | 0           | 0             | 149          | 47             |

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