INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SITUATION REPORT SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1997 - 0900 MDT NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL II

CURRENT SITUATION: Large fire activity continued in Southern California. Minor initial attack activity was reported elsewhere. Very high and extreme fire indices were reported on several units in the California, Western Great Basin and Northern Rockies Areas. Resource mobilization through NICC was minimal.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA LARGE FIRES:

MARGARITA, San Diego Ranger Unit, California Department of Forestry. This fire continues to threaten homes in Deluz Canyon, 2 miles southwest of Temecula, CA.

The fire crossed containment lines and 30 more crews have been ordered.

INCIDENT	UNIT	ST	SIZE	%	EST	TOTAL	CRW	ENG	HELI	STRC	EST	\$\$\$	
				CTN	CTN	PERS				LOST	LOSS	C-T-D	
MARGARITA	MVU	CA	1400	60	9/6	744	33	48	6	0	NR	393k	

OUTLOOK:

California will be mostly sunny and very warm with a slight chance of afternoon thunderstorms in the southern mountains and deserts. High temperatures will range from the 70's and mid 80's in the mountains, 80's and mid 90's in the coastal valleys, and mid 90's to 105 inland valleys and deserts.

Nevada will be partly sunny with scattered thunderstorms in the south and east

High temperatures in the north will range from 80 to near 90 while the south will be in the 90's to 105.

Utah will be partly cloudy with a chance of showers and thunderstorms over the mountains. High temperatures will be in the 80's to mid 90's.

Idaho will be partly sunny with isolated afternoon showers and thunderstorms in the east central portion of the state. High temperatures will be in the mid 60's and 70's in the north and 80 to 85 in the south.

Montana will be partly cloudy and locally breezy with a few showers and thunderstorms. High temperatures will be in the 70's to lower 80's in the west and 80's to near 90 in the east.

		F	IRES:	Yesterday						
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL			
ALASKA			ĺ	ĺ			NR	ĺ		

NORTHWEST		1				4	5
CA-NORTH		ĺ	ĺ		10	1	11
CA-SOUTH			ĺ	1	1	3	5
NORTHERN	2				1	5	8
GB-EAST						3	3
GB-WEST		1	ĺ		1		2
SOUTHWEST				1		6	7
ROCKY MTN		2	1				3
EASTERN						3	3
SOUTHERN						1	1
USA	2	4	1	2	13	26	48

ACRES BURNED: Yesterday

AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL	
ALASKA							NR	
NORTHWEST		0				0	0	
CA-NORTH					1	0	1	
CA-SOUTH				1	0	1	2	
NORTHERN	2				0	0	2	
GB-EAST	İ				ĺ	0	0	
GB-WEST	İ	0			0	j	0	
SOUTHWEST				0		17	17	
ROCKY MTN		2	1			ĺ	3	
EASTERN	ĺ				ĺ	49	49	
SOUTHERN	j				İ	1	1	
USA	2	2	1	1	1	68	75	

RESOURCE	STATUS:	Committed	Resources

AREA	CRI	EWS	ENG:	ENGINES		ICOP.	AIR:	ΓNK.	OVERHEA		
	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/0	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/O	FED	ST/0	
ALASKA											
NORTHWEST											
CA-NORTH		2	4	3	1	1		2			
CA-SOUTH	4	40	3	48	2	6		4			
NORTHERN											
GB-EAST					1						
GB-WEST											
SOUTHWEST	1		13		1						
ROCKY MTN	3			7	1						
EASTERN											
SOUTHERN											
USA	8	42	20	58	6	7	0	6	0	0	

FED = FEDERAL AND FEDERAL CONTRACT RESOURCES

ST/O = STATE OR OTHER RESOURCES

NR = NO REPORT

FIRES: Year to date

TIMES Teat to date										
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL			
ALASKA	6	86	52	14	530	11	699			
NORTHWEST	181	247	20	87	925	845	2,305			
CA-NORTH	73	61	1	18	2,214	731	3,098			
CA-SOUTH	37	330	3	45	3,182	755	4,352			
NORTHERN	1,006	31	27	23	320	545	1,952			

GB-EAST	26	431		13	209	466	1,145			
GB-WEST		350		16	67	179	612			
SOUTHWEST	779	172	18	80	769	1,568	3,386			
ROCKY MTN	439	354	11	29	740	313	1,886			
EASTERN	550			34	9,895	400	10,879			
SOUTHERN	4		96	56	20,299	610	21,065			
USA	3,101	2,062	228	415	39,150	6,423	51,379			
10 YEAR AVERAGE										

	ACRES BURNED: Year to date										
AREA	BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	STATES	USFS	TOTAL				
ALASKA	28	833,991	761,110	19,670	295,526	32	1,910,357				
NORTHWEST	938	19,622	6,573	344	5,107	4,742	37,326				
CA-NORTH	101	571	30	2,316	6,508	1,365	10,891				
CA-SOUTH	573	12,902	2,419	53	30,100	88,514	134,561				
NORTHERN	3,572	472	1,190	6	1,290	614	7,144				
GB-EAST	24	39,607		42	7,606	3,592	50,871				
GB-WEST		36,975		2	398	4,752	42,127				
SOUTHWEST	4,439	4,574	1,778	1,646	118,950	13,820	145,207				
ROCKY MTN	4,100	8,026	150	1,393	24,314	1,748	39,731				
EASTERN	3,191			120	47,036	5,225	55,572				
SOUTHERN	12		10,603	2,110	247,196	32,296	292,217				
USA	16,978	956,740	783,853	27,702	784,031	156,700	2,726,004				
10 YEAR AV	/ERAGE					2	2,677,792				

CANADA FIRES AND HECTARES

PROVINCES	YESTERDAY		YEAR TO	YEAR TO DATE		
BRITISH COLUMBIA	*	*	1,075	2,446		
YUKON TERRITORY	*	*	107	10,127		
ALBERTA	*	*	405	818		
NORTHWEST TERRITORY	*	*	102	46,113		
SASKATCHEWAN	*	*	476	3,867		
MANITOBA	*	*	362	33,799		
ONTARIO	*	*	1,522	29,602		
QUEBEC	*	*	810	364,934		
NEWFOUNDLAND	*	*	109	9,473		
NEW BRUNSWICK	*	*	306	131		
NOVA SCOTIA	*	*	324	522		
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND	*	*	32	93		
NATIONAL PARKS	*	*	51	298		
TOTALS	0	0	5,681	502,223		

A hectare is equivalent to 2.47 acres.

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