

WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 6 Nov 06 to 12 Nov 06

PEP Region	Se	arch and	l Rescue	Dangerous Goods and		Other (floods	General Enquiries	
FEF Region	Air	Land	Inland Water	Oil Spills	Accidents	fire etc.)	and Info	
Van Island	0	2	0	34	6	5	44	
South West	0	3	4	39	4	14	139	
Central	0	2	0	5	30	6	54	
South East	0	1	0	4	15	0	26	
North East	1	1	0	4	9	1	19	
North West	0	1	0	2	1	0	8	
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	0	601	
Provincial Weekly Totals	1	10	4	88	65	26	891	
Provincial Year to Date	75	470	179	2191	1317	461	26853	
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			Oil Spills	Accidents	fire etc.)	and Info		

	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	194	4693
Protection Order Registry	169	5665
Problem Wildlife	319	19605
Wildlife Enforcement	153	2871

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 6 NOV 06 TO 12 NOV 06

DATE/TIME	PEP		ELT/	# PEP	L	OCATE	D	
INCIDENT #	REGION	INCIDENT	#VICTIMS	VOL				COMMENTS
05 18:03 600708 UPDATE	SWE	LAND			2		-2	Lions Bay, North Shore, Sunshine Coast SAR teams continued the search for two teenagers missing on the Lions Trail. The teenagers were located in good condition.
06 11:35 600710	SWE	LAND	7	27	7			27 Chilliwack SAR members responded to rescue a person trapped in a slide in the Chilliwack Valley. Team was stood down when the Fire Department was able to recover the individual from his roof top. The team was in the process of standing down when they were redeployed for other flood related duties. In the process they rescued 7 individuals.
06 18:37 600711	NWE	LAND	2	3	2			3 Terrace SAR members responded to search for 2 missing skiers on Shames Mountain. Team was stood down while mustering when the subjects were found by police.
08 12:18 600712	CTL	LAND	1	10	1			10 CORD SAR members responded to assist BCAS with rescue of an injured male in the area of Brenda Mines, west of Peachland and Westbank. BCAS paramedics were able to recover the subject and SAR members were stood down.
09 21:46 600713	NEA	AIR	ELT	1				1 PEP Air member responded to search for an ELT sounding south of Williams Lake. PEP Air drove out to the Spring House Airport but did not find the ELT and were stood down by JRCC when it was determined that the signal was lost by the satellite.
09 14:24 600714	SWE	LAND	1	8	1			8 Squamish and Lions Bay SAR members responded to rescue an injured logger out near Furry Creek. Teams were stood down when BC Air Ambulance were able to land and transport the subject to hospital.
09 17:16 600715	VIR	LAND	1	12	1			12 Powell River SAR members responded to search for a missing mushroom picker. The subject was located uninjured and was returned home.
10 11:21 600716	SWE	INLAND WATER	2	6	2			6 members of Hope SAR responded to an RCMP request to rescue the occupants of a vehicle in the river off of Highway 5. Team responded and rescued 2 people from the vehicle.
10 12:15 600717	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	12		1		12 Members of Chilliwack SAR responded following a report of a fisherman swept into the river at Slesse Creek. Teams were stood down when the body of the deceased subject was located by RCMP.
10 15:04 600718	CTL	LAND	1	22	1			22 Vernon SAR members were stood down while responding to rescue the occupant of a vehicle that went over a 75 foot embankment on a logging road near Monty Lake Road. RCMP rescued the person and stood down the SAR team.
10 20:14 600719	SWE	LAND	1	8	1			8 Pemberton SAR members responded along with members of Mt. Currie Fire Department to rescue an individual who was crying for help in the New Site area of Mt. Currie. The subject was located and

								walked out of the area. He was then transferred to BCAS for transport to hospital.
11 14:57 600720	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	17	1			17 members from PEP Air, Surrey SAR and Central Fraser Valley SAR responded following report of cries for help on the Fraser River near Langley. The area was searched but no signs of person(s) in distress were found.
11 18:20 600721	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	20	1			20 Chilliwack SAR members responded following report of a vehicle that went into the Fraser River near Bellam. The SAR group located 1 person in the vehicle, provided CPR and turned person over to BCAS for monitoring.
12 14:01 600722	NEA	LAND	1	13	1			13 Central Cariboo SAR and PEP Air members responded to search for a lost quad rider in the Twan Lake area, 37 miles northwest of Williams Lake. The individual was located by SAR members and returned to safety without incident.
12 19:46 600723	SEA	LAND	2				2	Arrow Lake SAR members responded to search for two missing hikers overdue in the Fish River area of Nakusp.*****ONGOING
12 20:37 600724	VIR	INLAND WATER	2				2	Campbell river SAR members responded to search for 2 missing kayakers on the Oyster river. ONGOING*********************************
WEEK TOTAL		15	24	159	21	1	2	ELT - 1
YEAR TO DATE		724	972	6953	897	39	36	ELT - 65

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BODY RECOVERY

On 10 Nov 06, Vernon SAR were called out to recover a deceased individual from a vehicle that went over an embankment on Shuswap River Road.

DANGEROUS GOODS

On 09 Nov 06 a cargo vessel measuring 198 metres in length struck the #2 berth at the south end of the Squamish Terminals in Squamish. The vessel sustained a 30 foot by 5 foot gash in the starboard side of the bow. The Ministry of Environment (MOE) Response Officer (RO) raised the incident to urgent status (Code 2) due to the potential for environmental damage and media interest as this was the same location as a significant oil spill earlier in the year. MOE RO and Conservation Officers (COs) attended the site along with Environment Canada Environmental Response Officers and determined there was no spill of materials and no impact to the environment. Transport Canada and MCTS also responded to the scene. The rupture was blocked and the bunker C fuel was transferred into another tank. Burrard Clean responded and placed a containment boom around the vessel while the damaged tank was cleaned. The incident was downgraded when it was confirmed that there had been no impact to the environment and no remaining threat of pollution.

On 10 Nov 06 a Superior Propane tanker truck carrying 18,000 litres of liquid propane rolled over onto the driver's side in front of a townhouse complex in the District of Whistler. An evacuation order was issued to encompass the area within a 100 metre radius of the vehicle until the material could be offloaded into another truck. The MOE RO raised the incident to urgent status (code 2) due to the risk of explosion and evacuation order. Environment Canada, MOE HQ, OFC, PEP RM and EPC were advised and monitored the situation until the material was safely offloaded and stabilized. The evacuation order was rescinded and the incident was downgraded to code 1.

MISCELLANEOUS

On November 12, 2006 RCMP had to evacuate up to 37 people due to a bomb threat and hostage taking incident at the Days Inn on King George Highway in Surrey. Evacuees were sent to a nearby hotel for the night and were provided with breakfast in the morning.

SEVERE WEATHER

An intense Pacific frontal system which arrived late Sunday evening, November 5, 2006 on the South Coast and Vancouver Island resulted in heavy rain, flooding, slides, evacuations and road closures throughout a wide area of Southern Vancouver Island, Greater Vancouver and the Fraser Valley. Local government emergency operation centres were activated in Fraser Valley RD, Squamish, Abbotsford, Hope and Richmond. The Fraser Valley Regional District declared a State of Local Emergency for an area in the Chilliwack River Valley. Provincial Regional Emergency Operations Centres in Surrey, Victoria and Kamloops and the Provincial Emergency Coordination Centre in Victoria were activated in support of the local governments affected by storm related incidents. Please refer to the PEP website for further details: http://www.pep.bc.ca/hazard_preparedness/Flood_Information.html

URBAN FIRE (S):

DATE	LOCATION	<u>IMPACTED</u>
06 Nov 06 07 Nov 06	Pemberton	6 people
07 Nov 06	Langley Chilliwack	1 person 2 people
08 Nov 06 09 Nov 06	Victoria Fort St John	4 people 4 people