



File Code: 6730

Date: August 17, 2006

Subject: Preliminary(24-hour-after the accident)Briefing

To: Ruben Contreras

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PRELIMINARY AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Location: Orleans Complex - Orleans Ranger District – Six Rivers National Forest

Date of Occurrence: August 16, 2006

Time: 1944hrs

Team Leader: Charlotte Wild Jordan

Mission: Monitor fire movement in Butler Creek, & No Name Creek & complete line construction as planned.

Activity: Returning from assignment at the end of shift.

Number injured: 2

Number of fatalities: 0

Property Damage (such as to vessels, equipment, and structures): Unknown as to extent of damage to the crew vehicle at this time.

Narrative: While returning to camp from line assignment off of Antenna Ridge (Div Y), American River Handcrew was traveling on a steep, narrow, windy, native surface Rd. that had been recently watered for dust abatement. The vehicle began to slide, slid into the cut bank, then hit a stump and turned over onto its left side coming to rest on the roadbed. The crew evacuated the vehicle safely.

/s/ Dave Sinclear

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