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Six Rivers
National Forest

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File Code: 5100/5130

Date: September 12, 2013

Route To:

Subject: Utility Vehicle Roll Over; Preliminary 24-hour Briefing

To: Regional Forester

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION IS PRELIMINARY AND SUBJECT TO CHANGE

Location: Six Rivers National Forest, California

Date of occurrence: September 11, 2013

Time of occurrence: Approximately 1715 hours

Mission: In route to Green Fire, Orleans Ranger District on the Six Rivers NF.

Activity: Fire Suppression

Number injured: None

Number of fatalities: None

Property damage: Major Damage to Utility Pickup

Narrative: While responding to the Green Fire on the Orleans Ranger District, a utility vehicle trailing the Hotshot Crew Hauls lost control along a sharp corner traveling North on South Fork Mt. road (Route 1) at mile post 30. The vehicle went over the embankment approx. 80 ft. striking a large tree. The driver was found by another agency module with no noticeable injuries. The driver was taken to Redwood Memorial Hospital in Fortuna California for precautionary reasons. The driver was cleared and released. The incident is under review by CHP and FS LE&I.

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