

STANISLAUS CONSOLIDATED FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
POLICIES & PROCEDURES

ARTICLE: C-9
SECTION: Operations Division
DATE: 9/23/96
SUPERSEDES:
TITLE: **MUTUAL AID - NOTIFICATION**

To meet compliance with OES Region IV policy, the Stanislaus Consolidated Fire Protection District will adopt the following policy guidelines:

If one or more strike teams are activated or moved within our Operational Area (county) we shall notify Region IV dispatch by telephone, radio or FAX. If, on any single incident or group of smaller incidents, we have a commitment of 10 resources (excluding chief officers) notification should also be made.

Notification should include the commitment, general type(s) of incidents and estimated time of commitment, if available.

The purpose of this notification to Region IV is to keep them informed as to the level of committed and available resources Region wide as well as give them advance warning of potentially large threats. This system is being implemented in all 6 mutual aid Regions.

The On-Call Officer, on-duty Battalion Chief, on-duty Investigator, or on-duty Captain of Station 31, 32, 36, 33, or 34 should make this notification. The person starting at the top of the proceeding list should make notification. If that person is unavailable, responsibility will go to the next person on the list.

Additionally, if a notification is made to Region IV, the same information should be forwarded to the Chief or, in his absence, the next person in succession of command.

To notify Region IV Emergency Dispatch (CDF Grass Valley), call 530-273-3222 (restricted).

Questions regarding this policy should be directed to OES/Stanislaus Operational Area Coordinator, SCFPD Chief and/or Operations Chief.

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