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To: State Directors
From: Director, Office of Fire and Aviation
Subject: State Level Severity Fund Project Numbers

State Directors' delegated authority to expend up to \$100,000 for state "short term" severity needs was addressed in 1997. The National Office of Fire and Aviation agreed to provide project numbers to use in implementing these state level severity funding activities.

As in the past, State Directors have the responsibility and accountability to ensure these funds are only used to meet the objectives of severity and that amounts are not exceeded. Each State Office is responsible for establishing a process to document needs, what is approved, and how the funds are used. (A sample State Level Severity Fund Form is attached.) All of this information should be maintained in a State Office severity file.

The following are the project numbers for FY2000:

State Office	Project Number	Amount Approved
Alaska	AK-910-2821-HU-7287	\$100,000
Arizona	AZ-910-2821-HU-7288	\$100,000
California	CA-910-2821-HU-7289	\$100,000
Colorado	CO-910-2821-HU-7290	\$100,000

State Office	Project Number	Amount Approved
Idaho	ID-910-2821-HU-7291	\$100,000
Montana	MT-910-2821-HU-7292	\$100,000
Nevada	NV-910-2821-HU-7293	\$100,000
New Mexico	NM-910-2821-HU-7294	\$100,000
Oregon	OR-910-2821-HU-7295	\$100,000
Utah	UT-910-2821-HU-7296	\$100,000
Wyoming	WY-910-2821-HU-7297	\$100,000

If you have any questions or comments, please contact Ron Dunton at 208-387-5154.

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1- Attachment
1 - Sample State Level Severity Fund Form (1 p.)

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State Level Severity Fund

Request

Office:

Date:

Events requiring Severity Funds:

Resources requested and costs:

Dollars requested:

Requesting Official

Date

Approval

As described above

With the following modification:

Charge Code:

Approving Official

Date