CURRICULUM MANAGEMENT ISSUE PAPER NUMBER 27
NUMBERING OF DISPATCH COURSES

BACKGROUND

Curriculum Issue Paper Number 20 (09/23/98) stated that the numbering of dispatch courses should be changed when they are revised to more accurately follow the established numbering scheme. Issue Paper 20 established the following changes. "Entry Level Dispatcher" would be renumbered at revision from D-105 to D-110 and "Dispatch Recorder" would be renumbered from D-110 to D-210.

CURRENT STATUS

Neither course has been revised at this time so both courses remain D-105 and D-110 respectively.

RECOMMENDATIONS

The Training Working Team's Dispatch Training Steering Committee has recommended that "Dispatch Recorder" remain D-110. The Committee states that "Dispatch Recorder" is the first in the sequence of expanded dispatch courses and is an entry level course. The committee also recommends that if "Entry Level Dispatcher" is to be renumbered it be renumbered D-111. The Dispatch Training Steering Committee and the dispatch community will review the current D-105 ("Entry Level Dispatcher") over the next year to determine if the course will be recommended for deletion from the NWCG curriculum or recommended for revision.

ACTION REQUIRED

Upon approval of this recommendation, these courses will be referred to by the identified course numbers.

APPROVED:

Chair, Training Working Team

2/8/2000
Date