

NATIONAL WILDFIRE COORDINATING GROUP

Curriculum Management Issue Paper # 150

ASSIGNMENT OF COURSE TITLE AND NUMBER TO S-320, INTRODUCTION TO INCIDENT MANAGEMENT TEAMS COURSE

BACKGROUND

To support the implementation of Complex Incident Management, the NWCG Executive Board tasked (23-001-AMENDED II) the Incident and Position Standards Committee (IPSC) to establish a new Incident Management Team (IMT) Course Steering Committee (IMTCSC) to establish a three-tiered training course system to support the development of Complex Command & General Staff (C&G) trainees. The intent is to have a systems approach to IMT training that facilitates progression from basic to intermediate and from intermediate to advanced. A single steering committee will oversee all three courses to ensure curriculum alignment.

CURRENT STATUS

IPSC has reviewed and approved the new basic IMT course that the NWCG IMT CSC has developed. The course is intended to equip students with the necessary introductory knowledge and skills to effectively function as members of an IMT. The course is blended with a self-directed online component and an in-person component.

RECOMMENDATION

Assign the following course number and title to the new IMT training course:

S-320, Introduction to Incident Management Teams (Blended)

Stewardship for the course is assigned to the NWCG Incident Management Team Course Steering Committee (IMTCSC). The effective date will be the date of certification for the new course.

APPROVED		
Incident and Position Standards Committee Chair	Date	
Distribution:		
NWCG Committee Chairs		

NWCG Staff
Others as appropriate (e.g. GATRs, IQCS/IQS leads)