



National Wildfire Coordinating Group
Incident and Position Standards Committee

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To: Dave Burley, Chair, Incident Business Committee
From: Jim Shultz, Chair, Incident and Position Standards Committee
Subject: Approval of Incident and Position Standards Committee Request for Change 2022-01, removal of INJR and CLMS from PMS 310-1 position catalog

Purpose: This memorandum approves the content of Incident and Position Standards Committee (IPSC) Request for Change (RFC) 2022-01 received from the Incident Business Committee.

Action: The Compensation-for-Injury Specialist (INJR) and Claims Specialist (CLMS) positions will be removed from the position catalog of the PMS 310-1 in January 2023. Those currently qualified in these positions who wish to continue to perform on incidents in a similar capacity should consult with their Training Officer to open a Compensation/Claims Unit leader (COMP) Position Task Book (PMS 311-47). NWCG member entities are responsible for notification of those responders who may be impacted by this change.

Background and Coordination: In November of 2016 the duties of the INJR and CLMS positions were incorporated into the COMP position. With this change, the prerequisite experience requirement for COMP, of INJR and CLMS was removed. These changes have resulted in minimal use of the INJR and CLMS positions. Questions may be directed to Dave Burley, dburley@blm.gov Chair Incident Business Committee

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