

National Wildfire Coordinating Group Operations and Training Committee

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To: Leslie Casavan, Chair, Interagency Airtanker Base Subcommittee
Marley Marshall, IQCS Business Steward
Patty Correia, IQS Representative
Sean Cross, NWCG Program Manager
Garth Fisher, NWCG Executive Board Chair

From: Steve Shaw, Chair, Operations and Training Committee

Subject: Request for Change 2019-02 – PTB for RTCM/MXMS

The Operations and Training Committee (OTC) has reviewed the Interagency Airtanker Base Subcommittee Request for Change 2019-02 – PTB for for Retardant Crew Member (RTCM) and Mix Master (MXMS). OTC supports the request and would like to implement by June 1, 2019:


To achieve this, please help us accomplish the following tasks by May 31, 2019:

1. NWCG Publications Manager post the combined RTCM/MXMS Position Task Book.
2. NWCG Webmanager update the affected position pages appropriately.
3. IQCS and IQS representatives complete necessary changes.
4. NWCG member agencies provide agency-specific direction as necessary.

OTC will prepare notification to be released via NWCG MailChimp and include the new requirements in the 2019 update to the *NIMS: Wildland Qualification System Guide*, PMS 310-1.

Thank you for your work and commitment to NWCG. Please feel free to contact me directly if you have any additional questions or concerns at 208-387-5722 or srshaw@blm.gov.

Respectfully,



Chair, Operations and Training Committee

Attachments: IABS Memorandum # 19-01
RFC-2019-02_RTCM-MXMS
Implementation Plan RTCM and MXMS
NWCG Position Task Book for RTCM and MSMS

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