

8100 PROCEDURE 502

CAL FIRE Frequency Management

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[\(See Policy 8021.1 - Frequency Management\)](#)

Radio frequency management is the responsibility of the Unit ECCs, the Region OCCs, and Sacramento HQ Frequency coordinators. Incident Communications Unit Leaders will coordinate their incident frequency assignments with the local ECC. Each Unit and Region has pre-allocated frequencies for incident use.

Responsibilities and Action

ECC

1. Utilize pre-allocated frequencies until exhausted.
 - a. Use of CDF Command frequencies require Region OCC approval
2. Generate request for frequencies in the Resource Ordering System of Record. Document specific frequency name(s) and tone(s) in special needs.
3. Place requests to the Region OCC.

Region OCC

1. Receive requests.
2. Fill requests with pre-allocated frequencies until exhausted.
3. Contact the Sacramento Headquarters Frequency Coordinator (916-327-8652) and request additional frequencies as needed.
4. Fill requests for frequencies in the Resource Ordering System of Record.
5. Place any requests for additional Federal Frequencies to the National Interagency Coordination Center (NICC).

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