NWCG CURRICULUM MANAGEMENT ISSUE PAPER #82 MODIFICATION OF COURSE NAME FOR P-101, INTRODUCTION TO WILDFIRE PREVENTION July 11, 2006

BACKGROUND

Over the past several years the Wildland Fire Education Working Team (WFEWT) has had several discussions with the Training Working Team (TWT) to arrive at a plan for updating the prevention curriculum. The TWT approved the direction the WFEWT is headed with the understanding that all prevention course development and maintenance is the responsibility of the WFEWT. The TWT will still have the certification and curriculum oversight responsibility.

CURRENT STATUS

The development of the new P-101 (currently Introduction to Wildfire Prevention) course is nearing completion. This course is being developed by a contractor under the direction of the WFEWT with input from the NWCG Standards Unit. The course name, Introduction to Wildfire Prevention, needs to be updated. The course is being designed as the first in the series of three prevention courses.

RECOMMENDATION

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It is the recommendation of the WFEWT and NWCG Training that the name of the course be revised to **Fire Prevention Education 1**. This name will better align the course as the first in the three course series. The course designator, P-101, will remain the same.

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