United States Arctic Search and Rescue

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US COAST GUARD

HH-60 x 7
2 litter/12 ambulatory
300 NM radius

HC-130 x 4
66 litter/86 ambulatory
AKANG RESOURCES

210 RQS HH-60 x 6
2 litter/12 ambulatory

211 RQS HC-130 x 4
12 litter/20 ambulatory

212 RQS CRO/PJ x 30

ARCTIC SUSTAINMENT PACKAGE
72 hours life support for up to 25 survivors
ACTIVE/AKANG RESOURCES

517/249AS C-17 x 8
36 litter/54 ambulatory
AKARNG RESOURCES

ARNG UH-60 x 18
2 litter/12 ambulatory
250 NM radius
US ARMY RESOURCES

MEDCO UH-60 x 12
2 litter/12 ambulatory
250 NM radius

4 / 123 CH-47 x 10
16 litter/16 ambulatory
250 NM radius
8 litter/8 ambulatory
350 NM radius
CIVIL AIR PATROL

36 Aircraft around the state + Member owned aircraft
NORTH SLOPE BOROUGH SAR

Lear 31A

2 x Bell 412

Beech King Air 350
Challenges

- Few forces assigned dedicated to Search and Rescue
- Great distances require specialized capability
ARCTIC Sustainment package

25 Person Survival/Transport Increments Up to 100

ALASKA SAREX ’13
IVO Bethel, AK
Questions?
Overview

- SAR Organization
- Protocols for Int’l Coordination
- Arctic SAR Capabilities
- Challenges
- Initiatives
- TTX Expectations

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**SAR Organization**

- National Responsible Agency
- Regional Components (if any)
- Arctic Responsible RCC
Coordination Protocols

- Do you have formal plans?
- When do you request assistance?
- Who do you contact?
- How do you contact them?
- What authorities apply?
- What conditions apply?
Arctic SAR Capabilities

- Ports
- Ships
- Icebreakers
- Helicopters
- Airplanes
- Other Capabilities

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TTX Expectations

• Learning Objectives?
• Training Objectives?
• Procedural Objectives?
• Policy Objectives?
• Other?

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