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<b>SITUATION REPORT # 6</b>		LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES
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MISSION #99-2371	DATE: December 1, 1999	TIME: As of 1600 hours

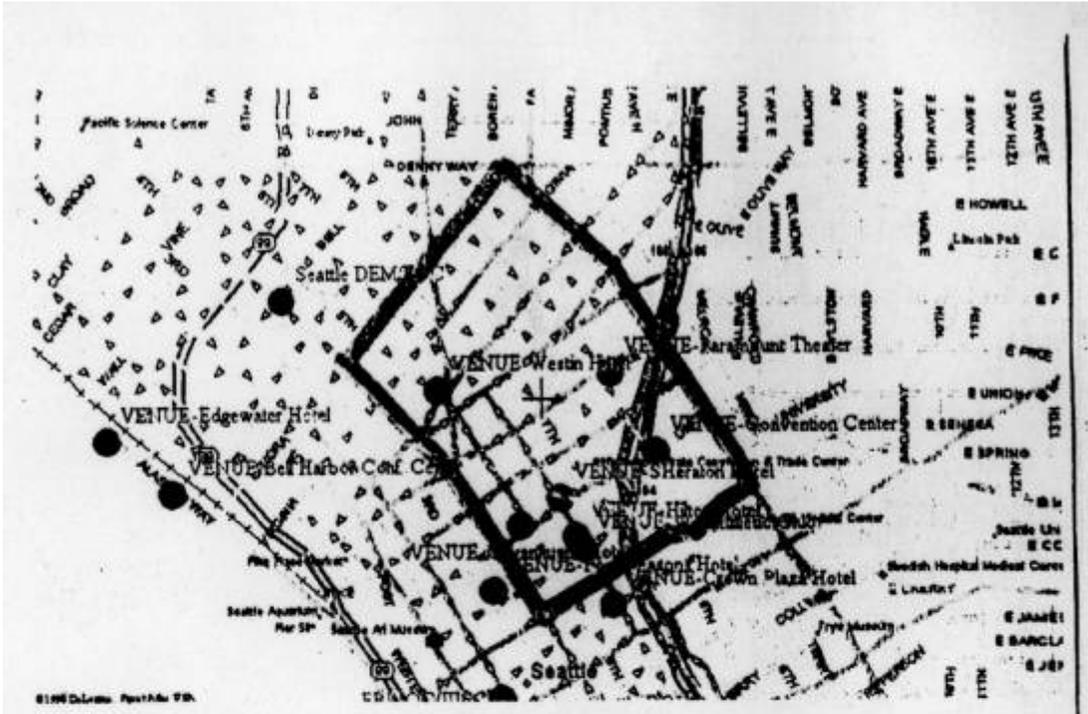
- AFFECTED JURISDICTIONS:** King County and City of Seattle. Both Seattle and King County EOCs are open and activated on a 24-hour basis in support of WTO activities.
- DETAINEE STATUS:** King County is presently using the former Sand Point Naval Facility to house approximately 240 detainees. The facility is capable of housing up to 700.
- GENERAL SITUATION:** The State EOC is at Phase III Full Operations with two State EMD Liaisons deployed to Seattle. One Liaison, in the FBI's Joint Operations Center, will interface with the FBI and city Law Enforcement representatives. The other Liaison will interface with Seattle DEM at the City Emergency Operations Center. The liaisons will provide situation updates as the conference progresses and facilitate any resource and mission requests for affected jurisdictions.

Fire Mobilization resources remain positioned in three staging areas to support the City of Seattle during WTO activities. Island, Skagit, and Snohomish County Task Forces stage out of Shoreline Center. Thurston, Chelan, and Yakima County Task Forces stage out of Auburn Federal General Services Administration Facility. The third base camp is being developed within King County. Task Forces position from those staging areas to support local stations throughout King County. A Tri-Cities Command and Control team provides Incident Command support from the King County EOC.

The Governor signed a Proclamation of Emergency at 4:57 p.m. on Tuesday, November 30, 1999. The National Guard activated approximately 300 personnel and began positioning units in the Seattle area. The State EOC initiated Phase III, Full Operations, at 4:15 p.m. on November 30, 1999.

The U.S. Secret Service imposed a seven-mile no-fly zone from 18,000 feet mean sea level to the surface around downtown Seattle from 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. daily through Friday, December 3, 1999.

Previously ordered Riot Control Agents (non-military) were delivered this afternoon to Seattle and King County. Based on the Mayor's declaration, no demonstrators will be allowed to enter an area of downtown, bounded by 4<sup>th</sup> Ave on the West, Lenora on the North, Seneca on the South and Boren on the East. Additionally, the Mayor amended the existing proclamation, prohibiting the sale of "Gas Masks" and similar types of equipment with the city of Seattle. The exclusionary zone will be enforced through 0730 this morning, which is the termination of the curfew, and may be adjusted as necessary throughout the WTO conference.



4. WESTERN WASHINGTON WEATHER SUMMARY: as of 330 PM PST WED DEC 1 1999

SEATTLE METROPOLITAN AREA-TACOMA AREA-EVERETT AND VICINITY-  
 HOOD CANAL/KITSAP PENINSULA-  
 BREMERTON-SHELTON-BELLEVUE-EDMONDS-ISSAQUAH-PUYALLUP

TONIGHT...RAIN...LOCALLY HEAVY NEAR THE OLYMPICS. LOWS 40 TO 45.  
 SOUTHEAST WIND 15 TO 25 MPH.

- HIGH WIND WARNING - PACIFIC COUNTY
- WINTER STORM WARNING - FOR THE MOUNTAINS OF SKAGIT, SNOHOMISH, KING, PIERCE, LEWIS, SKAMANIA, COUNTIES AT 2500 FOOT LEVEL BY THURSDAY AFTERNOON. FOR THE EAST SLOPES OF SOUTHERN WA CASCADES IN YAKIMA, KICKITAT, SKAMANIA AND KITTITAS COUNTIES. FOR THE BLUE MOUNTAINS IN COLUMBIA AND WALLA WALLA COUNTY.
- GALE WARNING - CAMANO ISLAND TO POINT ROBERTS
- HIGH WIND WATCH- EAST COLUMBIA RIVER GORGE, KITTITAS VALLEY, YAKIMA VALLEY
- FLOOD WATCH - FOR THE SKOKOMISH RIVER IN MASON COUNTY

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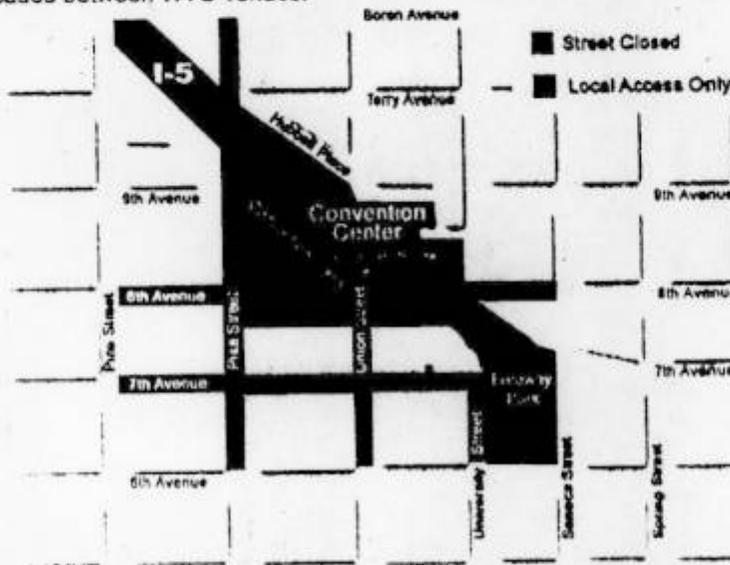
THURSDAY...RAIN TURNING TO SHOWERS BY AFTERNOON WITH SUNBREAKS POSSIBLE SOUTH OF SEATTLE. HIGHS 45 TO 50. SOUTHWEST WIND 15 TO 25 MPH EXCEPT BECOMING VARIABLE 15 MPH NORTH OF SEATTLE AFTERNOON.

THURSDAY NIGHT...SHOWERS ENDING AND BECOMING PARTLY CLOUDY. LOWS AROUND 35.

FRIDAY...MOSTLY CLOUDY. A CHANCE OF RAIN DEVELOPING IN THE AFTERNOON. HIGHS 45 TO 50

5. TRANSPORTATION:

**Weeklong road closures:** The southbound Union Street off-ramp from I-5 is closed through midnight Friday, December 3<sup>rd</sup>. Motorists will need to use other exits and should expect heavier traffic than usual at these alternate exists. Pike Street is closed to all traffic between Seventh and Boren Avenues. Pike Street is closed to all westbound traffic between Ninth and Boren Avenue, and open to eastbound traffic via Ninth Avenue access or Express Lane ramp access. Convention Place under the Convention Center is closed. Eighth Avenue between Seneca and Pine Streets is closed. Pike Street is closed between Sixth and Seventh Avenues, except for local access to the parking garage. Seventh Avenue is closed between Pine and Union Streets, except for local access to the parking garages between Pine and Pike Streets. Lastly, some streets will close intermittently throughout the week for heads-of-state motorcades between WTO venues.



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6. UTILITIES: N/A
  - (a) Electricity:
  - (b) Natural Gas:
  - (c) Telephones:
  - (d) Water:
7. RIVER STATUS AND FORECAST: N/A
8. STATE AGENCY ACTIVITIES: State Agencies currently supporting this activation are WSDOT, WSP, and the Military Department.
9. CURRENT SHELTERING/EVACUATION STATUS: N/A
10. CURRENT PRIORITY NEEDS: NONE
11. FUTURE OUTLOOK/PLANNED ACTIONS: The State EOC is at Phase III, Full Operations, and will monitor events throughout the conference and respond, as necessary, to requests from the affected jurisdictions and on-scene state liaisons. The Fire Mobilization Commander, in consultation with Seattle and King County officials, felt it appropriate to release two West Side Strike Teams which are easily recallable within two hours.

**The WTO schedule for Wednesday, December 1, 1999**

All Day -- Plenary Session at the Washington State Convention and Trade Center.

2:00 pm-4:00 pm -- Information Session on Trade and Health: Food Safety

Evening -- Director General Reception. Cancelled.

Additional information is available at <http://www.usia.gov/topical/econ/wto99/calendar.htm>

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