

Appendix 6

Serious Incident Policy

In the event of a serious incident, accident, rescue or similar where the media and outside authorities are involved, the BCA Secretary shall immediately advise the Training Committee, QMC, Council members and all others who may be involved that all requests from the media shall be directed through the Executive and that, where appropriate, a spokesperson shall be nominated to speak on behalf of all parties.

A written statement/s should be prepared, in association with outside authorities where appropriate, circulated as necessary and used when speaking to the media.

The Training Committee and the QMC and their members may be asked to become involved but shall always act through the executive.