



## FiReControl & Firelink PROJECT UPDATE Issue 31 : August 2009

### FIRECONTROL PROJECT UPDATE

#### **1 National FiReControl Project Update**

##### **Training For Data Capture Migration Toolkit 2 (DCMT2)**

A 2 day workshop to analyse training needs for DCMT2 took place on 3/4 August. Participants from CLG, EADS, FDM (sub-contracted to provide training by EADS) and representatives from six FRSs , including Derbyshire attended.

##### **Health & Safety**

Work continues to produce generic risk assessments for the FiReControl Ways of Working business processes and equipment. EADS is in the process of gathering all the required safety information on equipment to provide to the national team and RCCs.

##### **Data Management Seminars**

Four 2 day data seminars were held in July and attended by over 150 FRS members. Information was provided on support applications that are being developed by EADS, electronic interfaces and developments in the construction of Pre-determined Attendances (PDAs) and Action Plans.

#### **2 Regional FiReControl Project Update**

##### **Data Collection and Migration Toolkit 1 (DCMT1)**

Although August install dates were agreed with CLG for EADS upgrade DCMT1 toolkits in FRSs , it was subsequently decided that FRSs could perform their own upgrade on receipt of an install package from CLG. Receipt of the install package to FRSs is imminent.

##### **FRS Control Secondees to the RCC**

Two Control trainers, 1 from Derbyshire and 1 from Nottinghamshire were successful in being appointed to the roles of RCC Training Advisors and will initially work with the RCC Regional Team to assist in the development of the RCC Main System Training courseware alongside EADS and CLG. They will commence their secondments in October.

#### **3 Local Authority Controlled Company (LACC) Update**

There is no update this month.

**If you have any questions about the FiReControl Project please contact :**

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## FIRELINK PROJECT UPDATE

### 1. National Firelink Progress

#### **Phase B Rollout - Firelink Radios**

The number of vehicles installed is now 6,001 (confirmed figures as at 10/08/09) which equates to 71% of the total fleet, and the number of FRSs now using Firelink is 40.

#### **Phase C Rollout - Mobile Data Terminals (MDT)**

A National installation plan has now been issued and is currently under its final review in order to baseline the MDT1a Rollout on the 11th Sept 09.

### 2. Regional Firelink Progress

#### **Phase B Rollout**

Core rollouts are now complete at Derbyshire, Lincolnshire and Northamptonshire FRS and rollout is due to re-start in Nottinghamshire FRS from w/c 31st August 09.

Leicestershire FRS will be a combined Radio and MDT1a Rollout and is scheduled to commence during w/c 14<sup>th</sup> Sept

#### **Phase C Rollout**

Derbyshire and Lincolnshire FRSs are scheduled to commence MDT1a Rollout during w/c 9th Nov 09. Planning is currently underway to secure these dates.

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