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Salmon River Hot Shot Injured

Yreka, Calif., September 22, 2009-Firefighter Rebecca Quigley, a member of the Salmon River Hot Shots, was injured on Monday, September 21, 2009 at approximately 10:30 PM. Struck by a vehicle in fire camp, Quigley received treatment at the scene and then was transferred to Enloe Medical Center in Chico, CA, where she is in critical, but stable condition.

The Salmon River Hot Shots, based out of Fort Jones, were assigned to the Silver Fire on the Plumas National Forest, where they were an instrumental part of the successful effort to protect the town of Meadow Valley, CA. The fire is now 100% contained.

An investigation of the accident is being conducted.

For additional information, please contact the Silver Fire Information at (530) 283-7882 during the office hours of 8:00 AM -4:30 PM.

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