



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

Shenandoah National Park
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IN REPLY REFER TO

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June 8, 1989

Ms. Cady Soukup, President
Appalachian Search and Rescue Conference
P. O. Box 440
Newcomb Station
Charlottesville, Virginia 22904

Dear Ms. Soukup:

The staff of Shenandoah National Park continues to recognize the contributions of volunteer organizations, such as the Appalachian Search and Rescue Conference, in carrying out successful search and rescue missions within the Park.

The success of these activities heavily depends upon reliable communications among participating agencies. To provide emergency and safety communications support for both the Park staff and cooperating agencies, the National Park Service authorizes the the Appalachian Search and Rescue Conference to use the Park's radio frequencies, 166.300 MHz, 166.900 MHz, 167.150 MHz, 164.575 MHz, and 164.675 MHz, during Park emergencies. Should the FCC require you to license your radios, you may include this letter with your application for up to 20 mobile/portable units.

Thank you for your continuing contributions to the visitors of Shenandoah National Park.

Sincerely,


J. W. Wade
Superintendent