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**SUBJECT :** FAA AIRCRAFT FIRE AND RESCUE TRAINING FILM, "BLANKET FOR SURVIVAL"

1. PURPOSE. This advisory circular provides information on the purpose, content, and availability of the subject training film.
2. THE FILM, "BLANKET FOR SURVIVAL." This 22-minute color film shows firefighting procedures which the FAA tested and found to be the most effective in providing safety to occupants of an aircraft involved in a major ground fire. In addition, the film covers various factors which should be taken into consideration in developing an effective firefighting and rescue unit. Much of the action footage used in the film was taken for documentary rather than dramatic purposes. Errors made during the firefighting have been retained in the film to show what happens when these occur.
  - a. Suggested Use. Primarily, the film is intended as a training aid for personnel who participate in the actual firefighting and rescue operations. In addition, it provides guidance to airport management in developing an effective aircraft firefighting and rescue unit and to supervisors in establishing a training program. The film may also be used to stimulate the interest of individuals or groups that are either directly or indirectly responsible for providing fire protection or in improving the effectiveness of existing units.
  - b. Availability. The FAA will make this film available to airport management, airline operating units, municipalities, and other groups interested in aircraft firefighting and rescue operations. Requests for showing the film should be made to the nearest FAA area office.
  - c. Acquisition of Copies by the Public. Anyone may purchase copies of this film from the Capital Film Laboratories, Inc., 470 E Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20024. The cost per copy is \$57.45; including reel and carrying case, excluding postage, shipping costs, and

taxes as applicable. A prospective purchaser should make any and all arrangements with that corporation.

3. FILM BROCHURE. A limited number of brochures will be available from the FAA area offices when the film is loaned. This brochure, which contains much of the film narration, may be retained for reference in training sessions held subsequent to the film showing. The brochure can also be used as a training aid without viewing the film.
4. HOW TO OBTAIN THIS PUBLICATION. Obtain additional copies of this publication, AC 150/5210-4, FAA Aircraft Fire and Rescue Training Film, "Blanket for Survival," from Federal Aviation Agency, Printing Branch, HQ-438, Washington, D. C. 20553.

  
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