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Gentlemen:

We have received several licensee inquiries regarding the use of the OPX (Initial Notification/Reactor Operations) system during drills. Licensees are encouraged to use the system if the drill scenario requires initial notification of the NRC; however, care should be exercised in assuring that the NRC Duty Officer is informed that such calls are drills.

Sincerely,

dBD amb for James G. Keppler Director

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