



USNRC INCIDENT RESPONSE PROGRAM UPDATE

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CURRENT PROGRAM

- **Mission**
 - Licensee Oversight & Assessment
 - Response Coordination
 - Public Information
- **When we activate**
 - Licensee events
 - Non-licensee events
- **Developing Improvements to be implemented in mid-2020**
 - Improved internal processes
 - Incorporation of Incident Command System (ICS) concepts
 - Better external coordination

PROGRAM CHANGES

- No changes to licensee event reporting or HQ Operations Officers
- Terminology updates
 - NRC Response Mode title changes
 - Organization and function name changes
- More flexibility of NRC staffing & deployment
- Future exercise participation
 - NRC will still participate in licensee exercises
 - Considering participation in non-graded exercises
 - Will no longer distinguish between region and region+HQ NRC participation