

## **Drill Traffic Preface (ICS 213 Messages)**

Tonight's drill message will be in ICS-213 format. Please prepare to copy. Blank ICS-213 forms are available on the CCAR website.

All stations, please standby.

(Transmit the message...)

Stations requiring fills, please call now.

(Service any fill requests received.)

All stations – please acknowledge receipt of the message during the checkout procedure.

(Return control to the NCS station.)



Here's an example of how this message would be transmitted over the air:

ICS213 MESSAGE FOLLOWS...

Incident... THIS IS A DRILL

To ... All Net Stations

From ... Craig [AMATEUR\_CALL] WHISKEY BRAVO THREE GOLF CHARLIE KILO

Position ... [LETTER\_GROUP] CHARLIE CHARLIE ALPHA ROMEO Net Manager

Subject ... Microphone Technique

Date ... February NINE

Time ... ONE NINE TWO FIVE

[MESSAGE TEXT FOLLOWS]

Even something as simple as using your microphone correctly can make a big difference [PERIOD] For optimum performance [COMMA] hold the mic close to your cheek and just off to the side of your mouth [PERIOD] Talk across [COMMA] rather than into [COMMA] the microphone [PERIOD] This will reduce breath noises and popping sounds [PERIOD]

[END OF MESSAGE TEXT]

Signature ... Craig [AMATEUR\_CALL] WHISKEY BRAVO THREE GOLF CHARLIE KILO

Position ... [LETTER\_GROUP] CHARLIE CHARLIE ALPHA ROMEO Net Manager

END OF MESSAGE

NO MORE

THIS IS A DRILL