

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...

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 Voice Net Manager

Subject ... Brevity and Clarity

Date ... January TWO THREE

Time ... ONE NINE TWO SIX

[MESSAGE TEXT FOLLOWS]

Each communication should consist of only the information necessary to get the message across clearly and accurately [PERIOD] Extraneous information can distract the recipient and lead to misinterpretation and confusion [PERIOD]

[END OF MESSAGE TEXT]

Signature ... Craig [AMATEUR_CALL] WHISKEY BRAVO THREE GOLF CHARLIE KILO

Position ... [LETTER_GROUP] CHARLIE CHARLIE ALPHA ROMEO Voice Net Manager

END OF MESSAGE

NO MORE

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