

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.)

GENERAL MESSAGE (ICS 213)

1. Incident Name (Optional): THIS IS A DRILL		
2. To (Name and Position): All Net Stations		
3. From (Name and Position): Craig WB3GCK, CCAR Voice Net Manager		
4. Subject: Keep Transmissions Brief	5. Date: October 15	6. Time: 1927
7. Message: Plan your message before you key the microphone. Use the fewest words necessary to convey the required information, especially on high-demand nets. Every moment you spend transmitting is a moment another station cannot use the frequency for potentially critical traffic.		
8. Approved by: Name: Craig WB3GCK Signature: _____ Position/Title: CCAR Voice Net Manager		
9. Reply:		
10. Replied by: Name: _____ Position/Title: _____ Signature: _____		
ICS 213	Date/Time:	

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 Voice Net Manager

Subject ... Keep Transmissions Brief

Date ... October ONE FIVE

Time ... ONE NINE TWO SEVEN

[MESSAGE TEXT FOLLOWS]

Plan your message before you key the microphone [PERIOD] Use the fewest words necessary to convey the required information [COMMA] especially on high [HYPHEN] demand nets [PERIOD] Every moment you spend transmitting is a moment another station cannot use the frequency for potentially critical traffic [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

THIS IS A DRILL