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NET PARTICIPANT PROCEDURE

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When notified by the ACS Leadership Team that PinCo ACS Activation Level 1 or 2 has been established, the general membership will perform the following actions.

- a. Monitor the appropriate repeater system or simplex frequency.
- During net establishment and re-establishment, the NCS will call for check-ins.
 When your communications team or group is called, check-in with the following information.

<u>NOTE:</u> Check into the ACS Tactical-Resource Net <u>only</u> if you are deployed or available for deployment.

- (1) FCC Call Sign
- (2) Tactical Call Sign (if applicable)
- (3) Deployment status (e.g., Currently deployed, available for deployment)
- (4) Traffic List (e.g., no traffic, priority traffic, etc.)

EXAMPLES: (1) "THIS IS (release PTT and pause for 2 seconds) WHISKEY ALPHA ONE ROMEO YANKEE QUEBEC, TACTICAL CALL SIGN IS BOCA CIEGA HIGH, CURRENTLY DEPLOYED, NO TRAFFIC, OVER".

- (2) "THIS IS (release PTT and pause for 2 seconds) WHISKEY ALPHA ONE ROMEO YANKEE QUEBEC, AVAILABLE FOR DEPLOYMENT, ONE PRIORITY, OVER".
- c. Monitor and copy all bulletins and message traffic passed by the net so that your station can assist with relays if requested to do so by the NCS.
- d. Remain on frequency until release by net control.
- e. If you must leave the net, wait for a break in traffic, call net control, and request authorization to leave the net.
- f. Continue to monitor local news outlets for updated information.

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Record of Changes

REVISION	DESCRIPTION	DATE
DRAFT REV (-)	Initial Release	09/24/2021
REV A	 Major revision. Incorporates lessons learned during Hurricane Idalia Activation. Corrected formatting and spelling errors. Deleted references to ARES®. Deleted references to Level 2 and 3 activations. Replaced references to Net Manager with ACS Leadership team throughout procedure. Added Record of Changes Page. 	10/26/2023