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Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:

Thank you for your help and visible management support of the Root Cause Analysis/Incident Investigation course last week. Your presence and participation made it plain to all the value of our common efforts.

We appreciate also your individual support. Marc's kickoff set the proper tone for a productive week.

Copies of my summary evaluations of the teams' written reports and copies of the participants' evaluations have been sent to Chad McCormick and to John Ricci at the TTC in Chattanooga. I am sure they will be glad to share the information with you.

Again, thank you for all your help.

Cordially,



Kenneth J. Elsea
President

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P.S. Marc, thank you for the suggestions on creating case studies. I will talk soon with John Ricci.