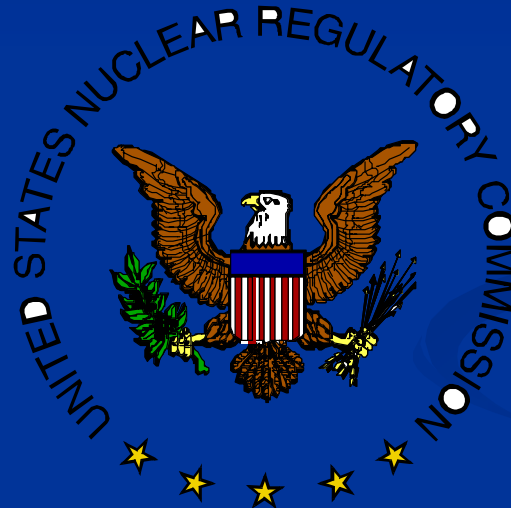


# ***NRC Lessons Learned***

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# Region II Topics

- **Hurricane Response**
  - Hurricane season starts June 1
  - Six hurricanes and three tropical storms hit the United States in 2004 – Region II was heavily involved in emergency response
  - Region II Incident Response Center activation and site presence
  - NRC expectations for Region II licensees
  - Brief description of Region II response procedures/timelines
  - Lessons learned action items

# Region II Topics

- **Program Strengths**
  - **Strong Support From Management**
  - **Good Documentation to Support PI Data (Allows for Trending & Makes NRC Review More Efficient)**
  - **Rigorous Tests of ERO Augmentation Annually**
  - **Thorough Critiques With a Focus on Improvement**

# Region II Topics

## ■ Current Issues

- NRC participation in emergency exercises
- Hatch Technical Support Center inoperability (EN 41632)
- Controller/evaluator actions during PI opportunities can lead to missed opportunities

# Region II Topics

- **Current Issues**
  - **Notice of Enforcement Discretion (NOED) vs. 10 CFR 50.54 (x)**
  - **Emergency Preparedness organizations are starting to see corporate experience retire**