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(Jackson) – The Mississippi Emergency Management Agency is in constant contact with the Governor's office and all the State agencies. MEMA will continue to relay information from the local county levels to the Governor's office and staff. MEMA also continues to maintain open communication lines with the Federal Emergency Management Agency and other federal officials.

Currently MEMA has a Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan (CEMP) in place to deal not only with preparedness and response of natural disasters and emergencies but also incidents involving weapons of mass destruction or terrorism. "We are working with State and local agencies to review these plans to ensure they address every need in light of the recent events," said Robert Latham, Director of MEMA. MEMA encourages all elected officials and emergency services personnel to review their emergency management plans to ensure a cooperative response.