

Louisiana House of Representatives



Committee on Homeland Security

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AGENDA

Thursday, November 17, 2005
House Committee Room 3
9:00 A.M.

Co-Chairman: Senator Robert J. Barham
Co-Chairman: Representative Francis C. Thompson

Staff: Heyward Jeffers, Senate Committee Attorney
Curry Johnson, House Committee Attorney
Kimberlee Holland, Senate Committee Secretary
Marsha Theis Jabour, House Committee Secretary

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

III. PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSION

A. COMMUNICATIONS ISSUES DURING HURRICANES KATRINA AND RITA

- Col. Jay Mayeaux, Deputy Director of Homeland Security, Louisiana Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Preparedness
- Mr. Hal Turner, Executive Director of the Louisiana Sheriff's Association
Sheriff Jeff Wiley, President of the Louisiana Sheriff's Association

B. STATEWIDE INTEROPERABLE COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

- Col. Joey Booth, Deputy Superintendent, Crisis Response/Special Operations,
Louisiana State Police

**C. PRESENTATION ON EMERGENCY RESPONSE UNITS USED DURING
HURRICANES KATRINA AND RITA**

- SOLA Communications, L.L.C.

Deryl Rice, General Manager
Layla Cottrell, Marketing Manager

IV. PUBLIC COMMENTS

V. OTHER BUSINESS

VI. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VII. ADJOURNMENT

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TESTIFY BEFORE THE COMMITTEE.