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Subject: Kern Incident This Morning

Valerie,

I have some terrible news. At approximately 6:30 a.m. today, a serious incident occurred at the Kern Power Plant. In the process of taking down the boilers through an explosive demolition, a piece of shrapnel from the explosion escaped the perimeter, crossed a street and landed in the Lowes shopping center parking lot, injuring a customer severely.

We have notified General Hagan and I understand that someone from SED is on their way to the site.

You may already be aware of these developments, but I wanted to reach out to you directly to be sure. Our thoughts and prayers are with those who were injured.

Erik