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INCIDENT AT THE NEVADA NATIONAL SECURITY SITE

North Las Vegas – At approximately 4 pm today, a suspicious item was identified outside the security perimeter of the Device Assembly Facility in the central portion of the Nevada National Security Site.

- It is a non-threatening item, and there is no safety or security risk at the site.
- All employees have been accounted for, and there were no injuries.
- NNSS Fire and Rescue and Security have responded.
- Off-site resources were requested and are on site to support the event.
- The NNSS Emergency Management Center (EMC) and North Las Vegas Facility Emergency Operations Center (EOC) were activated and are operational supporting the event.
- Emergency responders are in the process of wrapping up the event.

This is what we know to be the most current information at this time. Additional information will be provided as it becomes available.

- Emergency public information is posted to the NNSA/NSO web site at www.energy.doe.gov/emergency
- A Joint Information Center has been established at the National Nuclear Security Administration Nevada Site Office. Media coming to the office must report to the Building B-3 Badge Office.

Media inquiries should be directed to 702-295-1854. The public may call 702-295-1772.

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