THIS IS A DRILL

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A Unified Command consisting of the US Coast Guard, the California Department of Fish and Wildlife and Chevron is responding to a marine incident 17 miles off the coast, west of Oceanside, California.

The focus of the Unified Command is the protection of people and the environment.

At approximately 1:30am this morning, a container ship and a Chevron vessel collided, resulting in the release of a yet to be determined quantity of oil.

All personnel are currently accounted for and more updates will be released to PIER (URL to come) and calspillwatch.dfg.ca.gov when relevant new information is available.