

NET PREAMBLE SCRIPT (edit and print with your personal information)

***[This is to be read at the OPENING SESSION in the morning at 07:00 ET. But if you feel more comfortable reading it at any other time at the beginning of your shift, go for it.]***

This is the **opening session** of the Intercon Net. Intercon is a directed and controlled net that meets on 14.300 MHz. from 0700 HOURS until 12-Noon Eastern Time everyday. You must have a General Class Amateur License or above to check in to this net. My call sign is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ and my name is \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. I am located in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Our website is INTERCONNET.us-I will be your Net Control for the next hour.

1) Intercon, the Intercontinental Amateur Traffic Net is here to serve and promote good will among amateurs around the world.

2) To handle third-party traffic where permitted by treaty or mutual agreement of our respective countries.

3) To provide a means of emergency communications when requested.

4) Monitoring the frequency and assisting stations to contact one another when all other means are not available.

5) For more information about the Net and to become a Net operator please go to INTERCONNET.US

AT THIS TIME IS THERE ANY EMERGENCY OR PRIORITY TRAFFIC?

(customize the rest here for your personal preferences such as...ask for any mobiles, relays, etc.)

***[When relieving an NCS operator to begin your shift please read this:]***

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-AT THIS TIME IS THERE ANY EMERGECY OR PRIORITY TRAFFIC, and you may break into the net at anytime- [customize the rest of your announcement here LIKE asking for any mobiles, *relays, your choice, etc.]*

***[CLOSING YOUR NET]***  *(In closing at the end of your scheduled hour, it is courteous to thank your relays and all stations who helped with the net.)*

*I am now turning the net over to \_\_\_[call sign/name]\_ in \_\_\_\_[town/state]\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. [Your call sign] CLEAR.*

**Marine Distress***: Atlantic area 757-398-6231 Pacific Area 510-437-3701 Main Ops Miami 800-874-7561*

NOTE: You may ad-lib as much as you like but please announce at least twice per hour our website and our hours of operation. Please engage all 1st time check ins with all the information about the net as much as possible as time allows. They could become future NCS Operators if you try to recruit them!

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