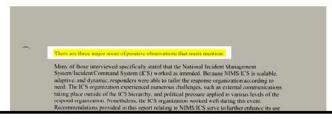
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There are three major areas of positive observations that merit mention:

cooperative in assisting the Incident Specific Preparedness Review (ISPR) Team in the research

Media reports often left viewers with the impression that the Coast Guard and the responsible party (RP) were at odds periodically during the response. To the contrary, the team observed that personnel provided by the RP and Coast Guard personnel worked effectively together, and that there was "unity of effort" throughout the response organization. Moreover, BP has been openly cooperative in assisting the Incident Specific Preparedness Review (ISPR) Team in the research for this report.

