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Hi John -

I'm reaching out just to help provide feedback from the agency. This statement is deeply upsetting to NOAA employees that have worked the hurricane and not fully accurate based on the timeline in question. Please raise this in feedback through proper channels.

<https://www.noaa.gov/news/statement-from-noaa>

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