

Team Leaders,

I am your Lead Robot Inspector (LRI) for the Northeast Utilities Connecticut Regional Competition (NUCTR). I was also LRI at the WPI Regional.

At WPI, we robot inspectors did our best to work the plan outlined in my presentation to teams document located here: <http://www.slideboom.com/presentations/141648>

Please have a responsible team member review this document.

Although we fell short of our stated goal of having all teams pass inspection by lunchtime, we were successful in clearing many teams early in the day allowing us to concentrate on teams requiring assistance later in the day.

I intend to work the same plan at the NUCTR event. To that end, I will be inviting all teams who have participated in a previous FRC Regional to begin their robot inspection at 8AM on Thursday.

I know that many of you have, no doubt, exercised your right to bring some robot components home IAW the withholding allowance rules. I only ask that you come to the NUCTR ready to quickly re-install those systems on your robot and begin inspection as quickly as possible.

With your help, I will do my best to make our event as painless as possible for you.

To that end, I have renamed and preloaded BOMs for all WPI competitors into the inspection computer for Hartford. You need resubmit your BOM only if you have made changes.

I would like to invite all other NUCTR teams to send me your BOMs via email for preloading.

Please be sure you have used the naming convention outlined in Team Update #12 and the FIRST template located here:

http://usfirst.org/uploadedFiles/Community/FRC/Game_and_Season_Info/2010_Assets/2010%20Inspection%20BOM%20Template.xls

Hopefully, this should save both of us time in Hartford.

Thank you and I'll see you next Thursday!

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