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Three Perspective on Preparedness

Government:

Through Chin's introduction, I found the focus of government officials is on detecting and preventing changes in detail. The most important thing is to make people aware of potential disasters and take necessary precautions. As Chin said, the alarm system will be overhauled every Tuesday afternoon. Although the weekly overhauls are frequent, it is important for the public to incorporate such awareness into their daily lives. They teach people at the operational level how to deal with disasters and respond as quickly as possible and actively cooperate with scientific researchers at the technical level to detect the probability of disasters.

Business:

The impact of a disasters on business lies in its impact on products, customers, and suppliers. All links in the commodity supply chain need to be stable to keep the company from suffering losses. Therefore, disaster preparedness and emergency response are the remedial measures for enterprises in the face of uncontrollable emergencies. For example, people's demand for commodities in the face of hurricanes or the transportation and storage of commodities in extreme weather require corresponding storage measures and staff follow-up throughout the process.

Community (individuals):

For individuals, disaster preparedness means people can make quick divisive actions when a disaster strikes to ensure their own safety, instead of first searching for what happened or relying on others. In addition, people's prediction of the consequences of disasters will also lead to different reactions of different people. Preparing in advance and evacuating in a planned way can help people reduce wrong behaviors and mental stress caused by severe panic.

The focus of these three levels of response is different for each grouping. Government officials pay more attention to overall disaster response situation, while the business level focuses on economic impacts. When dealing with individuals, people's emotional changes and cognition factor into correct responses. Comprehensive preparation for disasters needs to consider every angle.