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From:         Clinton Wallace  
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Subject: Termination of the Space Weather Prediction Center (SWPC) CTIPE  
Total Electron Content Model effective on or about March 31, 2026

On or about March 31, 2026, the NWS SWPC will terminate the Coupled  
Thermosphere Ionosphere Plasmasphere Electrodynamics Model (CTIPE) Total  
Electron Content found on the SWPC website at  
<https://spaceweather.gov/products/ctipe-total-electron-content-forecast>

SWPC now provides a real-time Total Electron Content (TEC) specification  
through the GloTEC product. (<https://spaceweather.gov/products/glotec>).  
By ingesting real-time space- and ground-based data, GloTEC delivers  
significantly more accurate TEC values, which users are encouraged to  
adopt for operational use.

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