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Subject: Migration of glider BUFR messages to the glider BUFR template
Effective August 25, 2026

Effective August 25, 2026, the NOAA/NWS/NDBC will migrate the glider BUFR messages from a modified drifting buoy template TM315009 to the glider template TM315012. These messages are currently being released under the WMO header IOSX05 KWNB and will continue under this header after the migration. Please ensure that your decoders can handle the new template.

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