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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...COMMENT REQUEST
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
1145 AM EDT WED MAR 21 2007

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS...NOAA WEATHER
WIRE SERVICE /NWS/ SUBSCRIBERS...EMERGENCY MANAGERS
WEATHER INFORMATION NETWORK /EMWIN/ SUBSCRIBERS...
NOAAPORT SUBSCRIBERS...OTHER NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE
NWS/ CUSTOMERS AND PARTNERS...NWS EMPLOYEES

FROM: ROBERT E. LIVEZEY
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SUBJECT:CURRENTLY SOLICITING PUBLIC COMMENTS THROUGH APRIL 20
2007 ON PROPOSED CHANGE IN SCHEDULED RELEASE DATE FOR
THE U.S. HAZARDS ASSESSMENT.

THE CLIMATE PREDICTION CENTER /CPC/ IS SOLICITING COMMENTS ON A
PROPOSED CHANGE IN THE SCHEDULED RELEASE DATE FOR THE U.S.
HAZARDS ASSESSMENT. CURRENTLY THE SCHEDULED U.S. HAZARDS
ASSESSMENT IS ISSUED ON TUESDAY AT 3:00 P.M. EASTERN TIME WITH A
VALID PERIOD OF 3 to 14 DAYS AFTER ISSUANCE.

THIS PROPOSAL WOULD CHANGE THE SCHEDULED RELEASE DATE TO MONDAY
AT 3:00 P.M. EASTERN TIME WITH A VALID TIME 3 TO 14 DAYS AFTER
ISSUANCE. IN ADDITION TO ADDING ANOTHER DAY TO THE SET OF HAZARDS
ASSESSMENTS ISSUED EACH WEEK...THIS NEW SCHEDULED ISSUANCE TIME
WOULD IMPROVE COVERAGE OF HAZARDS BY MOVING THE FIRST VALID DAY
OF THE ASSESSMENT FROM FRIDAY TO THURSDAY. THIS CHANGE WILL
ENHANCE CPC/S ABILITY TO COORDINATE SHORTER RANGE HAZARDS WITH
THE STORM PREDICTION CENTER AND HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL PREDICTION
CENTER.

THIS PROPOSAL WOULD AFFECT THE FOLLOWING PRODUCTS:

GRAPHICS:

3- TO 14-DAY HAZARDS ASSESSMENT /CONTIGUOUS U.S. AND ALASKA/.

HAZARD	WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID
PRECIPITATION	PEIY50 KWNC	RBGTHP
TEMPERATURE/WIND	PTIY98 KWNC	RBGTHT
SOIL/WILDFIRE	PYIY88 KWNC	RBGTHS

WEB /USE LOWER CASE LETTERS/:

[HTTP://WWW.CPC.NCEP.NOAA.GOV/](http://www.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/) /USE U.S. HAZARDS ASSESSMENT LINK/

TEXT:

3- TO 14-DAY HAZARDS ASSESSMENT DISCUSSION /CONTIGUOUS U.S. AND ALASKA/.

WMO HEADING - FXUS21 KWNC AWIPS ID - PMDTHR

PLEASE SUBMIT COMMENTS /ACCEPTED THROUGH APRIL 20 2007/ REGARDING THIS PROPOSED CHANGE AT THE FOLLOWING WEBSITE /USE LOWER CASE LETTERS/:

[HTTP://WWW.CPC.NCEP.NOAA.GOV/PRODUCTS/PREDICTIONS/THREATS/HAZARDS_COMMENTS.HTML](http://www.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov/products/predictions/threats/ hazards_comments.html)

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