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Subject: Soliciting Comments until December 31, 2011 on Experimental
Probabilistic Winter Precipitation Forecasts for CONUS

The NWS is soliciting comments through December 31, 2011, on its
experimental Probabilistic Winter Precipitation Forecasts (PWPFs) for the
contiguous U.S. (CONUS) only. Please submit comments via the following
link:

<http://www.weather.gov/survey/nws-survey.php?code=PROBWPF>

The experimental Probabilistic Winter Precipitation Forecasts depict the
probability of 24-hour amounts of snow or freezing rain for several
thresholds in inches. The forecasts are produced for three consecutive
24-hour periods out to 72 hours and are based on the deterministic
Hydrometeorological Prediction Center (HPC) Winter Weather Desk (WWD)
accumulation forecasts. They are, however, automatically generated using
an ensemble of model forecasts along with WWD forecasts.

The products are available online at:

http://www.hpc.ncep.noaa.gov/pwpf_24hr/wwd_24hr_probs_sn.php

A Product Description Document (PDD) is available online at:

<http://products.weather.gov/detaile.php?selrow=420>

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