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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 00-63
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
150 PM EDT THU JUN 8 2000

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS
NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWWS/ AND EMWIN SUBSCRIBERS
NOAAPORT SUBSCRIBERS
OTHER NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE /NWS/ CUSTOMERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: THERESE PIERCE
CHIEF...HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: NEW FORMAT FOR SOUTH CAROLINA STATE FORECAST PRODUCT...EFFECTIVE
JULY 31 2000

ON MONDAY JULY 31 2000...AT 400 PM EDT...THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE IN
COLUMBIA SOUTH CAROLINA WILL BEGIN ISSUING A NEW TYPE OF STATE FORECAST
FOR SOUTH CAROLINA. THE NEW FORECAST WILL PROVIDE MORE SPECIFIC
INFORMATION FOR VARIOUS CITIES AND TOWNS IN THE STATE IN A TABULAR FORMAT
VALID FOR FIVE DAYS. THE NARRATIVE STATE FORECAST WILL ALSO CONTINUE OUT
TO FIVE DAYS.

FORECASTS FOR ADDITIONAL CITIES OR TOWNS CAN EASILY BE ADDED TO SUIT
SPECIFIC BROADCAST AREAS.

AN ADVANTAGE OF THE NEW FORMAT IS THAT IT FACILITATES THE INCLUSION OF
SPECIFIC SNOWFALL AMOUNTS WHEN APPROPRIATE.

THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION /WMO/ HEADER WILL BE UNCHANGED AND
CONTINUE TO BE FPUS62 KCAE. THE OLD NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWWS/
HEADER OF CAESFPSC WILL ALSO BE UNCHANGED. FAMILY OF SERVICES AND NWWS
SUBSCRIBERS WILL NOT HAVE TO MAKE ANY COMMUNICATION HEADER CHANGES TO
CONTINUE RECEIVING THIS PRODUCT.

THE FOLLOWING IS AN EXAMPLE OF THE NEW STATE FORECAST:

FPUS62 KCAE 170942
SFPSC
SCZALL-172200-

STATE FORECAST FOR SOUTH CAROLINA
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE COLUMBIA SC
600 AM EDT WED MAY 17 2000

ROWS INCLUDE...

PREDOMINANT DAYTIME WEATHER
FORECAST TEMPERATURES...DAYTIME HIGH...NIGHTTIME LOW
/-/ INDICATES TEMPERATURES BELOW ZERO
SNOW ACCUMULATION /IF ANY/...TODAY...TONIGHT...TOMORROW
88 INDICATES A TRACE OF SNOWFALL
PROBABILITY OF PRECIPITATION /POP/

/ -/ INDICATES MISSING VALUES

	FCST WED MAY 17	FCST THU MAY 18	FCST FRI MAY 19	FCST SAT MAY 20	FCST SUN MAY 21
CITY					
...CENTRAL SC INCLUDING THE MIDLANDS...					
COLUMBIA SC	PTCLDY 84/63 POP 30	PTCLDY 91/65 POP 0	PTCLDY 90/65 POP 30	PTCLDY 87/64 POP 10	PTCLDY 85 POP 10
LANCASTER SC	PTCLDY 81/63 POP 30	PTCLDY 88/63 POP 0	PTCLDY 89/65 POP 30	PTCLDY 86/63 POP 10	PTCLDY 83 POP 10
ORANGEBURG SC	PTCLDY 85/63 POP 30	PTCLDY 92/65 POP 0	PTCLDY 91/65 POP 30	PTCLDY 88/64 POP 10	PTCLDY 86 POP 10
SUMTER SC	PTCLDY 83/63 POP 30	PTCLDY 90/65 POP 0	PTCLDY 90/65 POP 30	PTCLDY 87/64 POP 10	PTCLDY 85 POP 10
...NORTHEAST SC INCLUDING THE PEE DEE REGION AND NORTH COAST...					
FLORENCE SC	PTCLDY 85/63 POP 20	PTCLDY 86/64 POP 10	PTCLDY 86/64 POP 30	PTCLDY 86/63 POP 10	PTCLDY 84 POP 10
MYRTLE BEACH SC	PTCLDY 78/65 POP 20	PTCLDY 80/66 POP 10	PTCLDY 84/66 POP 20	PTCLDY 85/65 POP 10	PTCLDY 82 POP 10
...NORTHWEST SC INCLUDING THE UPSTATE AND MOUNTAINS...					
ANDERSON SC	PTCLDY 83/64 POP 30	PTCLDY 86/63 POP 0	PTCLDY 83/62 POP 20	PTCLDY 83/63 POP 20	PTCLDY 81 POP 20
GREENVILLE SC	PTCLDY 82/62 POP 30	PTCLDY 86/62 POP 0	PTCLDY 81/60 POP 20	PTCLDY 81/61 POP 20	PTCLDY 80 POP 20
...SOUTHEAST SC INCLUDING THE LOW COUNTRY AND SOUTH COAST...					
BEAUFORT SC	PTCLDY 83/65 POP 20	SUNNY 87/65 POP 10	PTCLDY 81/67 POP 10	PTCLDY 81/67 POP 10	PTCLDY 81 POP 10
CHARLESTON SC	PTCLDY	SUNNY	PTCLDY	PTCLDY	PTCLDY

	82/64	87/64	80/67	81/67	80
	POP 20	POP 10	POP 10	POP 10	POP 10
WALTERBORO SC	PTCLDY	SUNNY	PTCLDY	PTCLDY	PTCLDY
	85/62	88/62	86/63	84/63	84
	POP 20	POP 10	POP 10	POP 10	POP 10

NARRATIVE:

.WEDNESDAY...PARTLY CLOUDY WITH WIDELY SCATTERED AFTERNOON THUNDERSTORMS.
HIGHS UPPER 70S TO MIDDLE 80S.

.WEDNESDAY NIGHT...PARTLY CLOUDY. LOWS 60 TO 65.

.THURSDAY...PARTLY TO MOSTLY SUNNY. HIGHS NEAR 80 COAST TO AROUND 90
MIDLANDS.

.THURSDAY NIGHT...MOSTLY CLEAR. LOWS IN THE LOWER TO MIDDLE 60S.

.EXTENDED FORECAST...

.FRIDAY...PARTLY CLOUDY WITH WIDELY SCATTERED SHOWERS OR THUNDERSTORMS
MIDLANDS AND UPSTATE. HIGHS NEAR 80 COAST TO AROUND 90 MIDLANDS. LOWS IN
THE 60S.

.SATURDAY...PARTLY CLOUDY. HIGHS IN THE 80S. LOWS IN THE 60S.

.SUNDAY...PARTLY CLOUDY. HIGHS IN THE 80S. LOWS IN THE 60S.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS ABOUT THIS NEW PRODUCT...PLEASE CALL
803-765-5501 FOR STEVE NAGLIC EXT. 223 OR BERNARD PALMER EXT. 222.

NATIONAL SERVICE CHANGE NOTICES ARE ONLINE AT /USE LOWER CASE/:

[HTTPS://WWW.WEATHER.GOV/NOTIFICATION/ARCHIVE](https://www.weather.gov/notification/archive)

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