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

FROM: ROBERT E. LIVEZEY
CHIEF....CLIMATE SERVICES DIVISION

SUBJECT: YEAR 2002 ISSUANCE DATES FOR MONTHLY AND SEASONAL
CLIMATE OUTLOOKS

THE FOLLOWING IS THE 2002 SCHEDULE OF ISSUANCE DATES FOR THE
MONTHLY AND SEASONAL CLIMATE OUTLOOKS FROM THE NATIONAL WEATHER
SERVICE /NWS/ CLIMATE PREDICTION CENTER /CPC/. FOR EACH ISSUANCE
DATE...THE MONTHLY OUTLOOK AND 13 SEASONAL OUTLOOKS ARE SHOWN IN
THE COLUMN BELOW THAT DATE. THE 3-MONTH SEASONAL OUTLOOK PERIODS
ARE INDICATED BY 3-LETTER ABBREVIATIONS /E.G. JFM IS
JANUARY-FEBRUARY-MARCH... AMJ IS APRIL-MAY-JUNE ETC./. THE
ISSUE TIME FOR OUTLOOKS IS AROUND 3 P.M. EASTERN TIME ON EITHER
THE SECOND OR THIRD THURSDAY OF THE MONTH. THE LEAD TIME...WHICH
IS THE TIME BETWEEN ISSUANCE OF AN OUTLOOK AND THE FIRST DAY OF
ITS VALID PERIOD...IS ABOUT 1/2 MONTH FOR THE MONTHLY OUTLOOK AND
VARIES FROM 1/2 MONTH TO 12 1/2 MONTHS FOR THE 13 SEASONAL
OUTLOOKS.

2002 JAN FEB MAR APR MAY JUN JUL AUG SEP OCT NOV DEC
ISSUE DATE..17 14 14 18 16 13 18 15 12 17 14 12

LEAD TIME . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .
0.5 MONTH FEB MAR APR MAY JUN JUL AUG SEP OCT NOV DEC JAN
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7.5 MONTH SON OND NDJ DJF JFM FMA MAM AMJ MJJ JJA JAS ASO
8.5 MONTH OND NDJ DJF JFM FMA MAM AMJ MJJ JJA JAS ASO SON
9.5 MONTH NDJ DJF JFM FMA MAM AMJ MJJ JJA JAS ASO SON OND
10.5 MONTH DJF JFM FMA MAM AMJ MJJ JJA JAS ASO SON OND NDJ
11.5 MONTH DJF JFM FMA MAM AMJ MJJ JJA JAS ASO OND NDJ DJF
12.5 MONTH FMA MAM AMJ MJJ JJA JAS SAS SON OND NDJ DJF JFM
ALL CLIMATE OUTLOOKS AND RELATED INFORMATION ARE OFFICIALLY DISSEMINATED THROUGH AWIPS AND NOAAPORT.

THE FOLLOWING WMO HEADINGS/AWIPS IDS ARE FOR GRAPHICS COVERING ALL STATES EXCEPT HAWAII.

MONTHLY OUTLOOK CHARTS

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THE TEXTUAL HAWAIIAN OUTLOOK/CLIMATOLOGICAL BULLETIN IS SENT UNDER WMO HEADING FXHW40 KWBC AND AWIPS IDENTIFIER PMDHCO.

ALSO...CPC CONCURRENTLY ISSUES PROGNOSTIC DISCUSSIONS FOR THE OUTLOOKS...UNDER THE FOLLOWING COMMUNICATION HEADERS:

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IN ADDITION...CPC DISSEMINATES OUTLOOKS AND RELATED INFORMATION ON ITS HOME PAGE ON THE INTERNET. THE URL ADDRESS IS /USE LOWER CASE/:

http://www.cpc.ncep.noaa.gov

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ON THE SCHEDULE...CONTACT CPC AT:

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