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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 03-01
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
345 PM EST FRI JAN 10 2003

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

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CHIEF...FIRE AND PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: MODIFICATIONS TO SELECTED NCEP TEXT PRODUCTS...
EFFECTIVE NO LATER THAN FEBRUARY 12 2003

REFER TO: SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE /SCN/ 02-59 DATED
NOVEMBER 27 2002 AND CORRECTED ON DECEMBER 2 2002

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE /SCN/ 02-59...BY
WEDNESDAY...FEBRUARY 12 2003...AT 100 PM EST...THE NATIONAL
CENTERS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PREDICTION /NCEP/ WILL MODIFY THE TEXT
PRODUCTS IDENTIFIED IN TABLE 1. THE FOCUS OF THE CHANGE WILL BE
IN THE MASS NEWS DISSEMINATOR /MND/ HEADER BLOCK AND THE ADDITION
OF \$\$ AT THE END OF ALL PRODUCTS. ONCE IMPLEMENTED...THE
MODIFICATIONS /PREVIOUSLY IDENTIFIED IN SCN 02-59/ WILL ENSURE
THESE PRODUCTS CONFORM TO NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE INSTRUCTION
/NWSI/ 10-1701...ENTITLED TEXT PRODUCT FORMATS AND CODES.

A WEB PAGE HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED TO ALLOW USERS TO TEST THE
CHANGES TO ENSURE THEY CAN DECODE THE MODIFIED PRODUCTS
CORRECTLY. SEE EXAMPLES AT /USE LOWER CASE LETTERS/:

www.hpc.ncep.noaa.gov/newtextformat/textprodchanges.html

TABLE 1. NCEP TEXT PRODUCTS WHOSE FORMAT WILL BE MODIFIED BY
FEBRUARY 12 2003

PRODUCT	WMO HEADER/S/	AWIPS ID/S/
MODEL DIAGNOSTIC DISCUSSION	FXUS10 KWNH	PMDHMD
SHORT RANGE PROGNOSTIC DISCUSSION	FXUS01 KWBC	PMDSPD
EXTENDED FORECAST DISCUSSION	FXUS02 KWBC	PMDEPD
CARIBBEAN DISCUSSION	FXCA20 KWBC	PMDCA
HAWAIIAN DISCUSSION	FXHW01 KWNH	PMDHI

SOUTH AMERICAN DISCUSSION FXSA20 KWBC PMDSA

CODED SURFACE FRONTAL POSITIONS ASUS01 KWBC CODSUS

CODED SURFACE FRONTAL POSITIONS FSUS02 KWBC CODSRP
FORECAST

PRELIMINARY EXTENDED FORECAST FXUS02 KWBC PREEPD
DISCUSSION

SELECTED CITIES WEATHER SUMMARY FPUS<20-23> KWNH SCS<11-14>
AND FORECASTS/ 4 PARTS/

TRAVELERS FORECAST TABLE /3 PARTS/ FPUS10/12/13 KWNH TAV10/12/13

DAYS 3--7 HEAT INDEX /ERN U.S./ FMUS23 KWNH PRBEHI

DAYS 3--7 HEAT INDEX /WRN U.S./ FMUS24 KWNH PRBWHI

STORM SUMMARIES ACUS<41-45> KWBC SCCNS<1-5>

ULTRAVIOLET INDEX FORECAST AEUS41 KWBC UVICAC

UPPER WIND FALLOUT FORECAST FDUS01 KWNO FOFUS

UPPER WIND FALLOUT FORECAST FDAK01 KWNO FOFAK

UPPER WIND FALLOUT FORECAST FDHW01 KWNO FOFHW

UPPER WIND FALLOUT FORECAST FDCA01 KWNO FOFCA

EXCESSIVE RAINFALL DISCUSSION FOUS30 KWBC QPFERD

PROBABILISTIC HEAVY SNOW FOUS11 KWBC QPFHSD
AND ICING DISCUSSION

QUANTITATIVE PRECIPITATION FXUS04 KWBC QPFPPD
FORECAST DISCUSSION

PARTNERS/CUSTOMERS SHOULD NOTIFY THE FOLLOWING POINTS OF CONTACT
IF THEY BELIEVE THE CHANGES WILL ADVERSELY IMPACT THEIR
OPERATIONS:

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PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES	OR PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES
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NWSI 10-1701 IS AVAILABLE ON THE INTERNET AT /USE LOWER CASE
LETTERS/:

www.nws.noaa.gov/directives

CLICK ON 10-OPERATIONS AND SERVICES...AND THEN SCROLL DOWN AND
CLICK ON 10-1701 TEXT PRODUCT FORMATS AND CODES.

THIS NOTICE AND OTHER SERVICE CHANGE NOTICES ARE ON THE INTERNET
AT /USE LOWER CASE LETTERS/:

www.nws.noaa.gov/om/notif.htm

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