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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 03-18
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
1115 AM EST THU MAR 13 2003

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...AND NWS EMPLOYEES

FROM JAMES E. LEE
CHIEF...FIRE AND PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT CHANGE OF CODED CITIES FORECAST /CCF/ SITE IDENTIFIER
ISSUED BY THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE LOS
ANGELES/OXNARD CALIFORNIA...EFFECTIVE MAY 1 2003

EFFECTIVE THURSDAY...MAY 1 2003 AT 0000 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL
TIME /UTC/...500 PM PACIFIC DAYLIGHT TIME...NOAA/S NATIONAL
WEATHER SERVICE /NWS/ IN LOS ANGELES/OXNARD CA /LOX/ WILL CHANGE
THE CODED CITIES FORECAST /CCF/ SITE IDENTIFIER FROM THE CURRENT
LOS ANGELES AIRPORT SITE /LAX/ TO THE DOWNTOWN LOS ANGELES SITE
/CQT/. THE CQT IDENTIFIER REPRESENTS THE DOWNTOWN LOS ANGELES
AUTOMATED SURFACE OBSERVING SITE /ASOS/...LOCATED AT THE
UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA /USC/.

THE WMO HEADING /FPUS46 KLOX/ AND AWIPS IDENTIFIER /CCFLAX/ FOR
THE WFO LOS ANGELES/OXNARD CCF WILL REMAIN THE SAME. SOME NWS
CUSTOMERS MAY NEED TO CHANGE THE CCF SITE IDENTIFIER IN THEIR
SOFTWARE TO PROCESS THE CQT CCF.

TABLE 1. CURRENT AND NEW CODED CITES FORECAST SITE ALONG WITH
WMO HEADING AND AWIPS ID.

CURRENT SITE	NEW SITE	WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID
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LAX	CQT	FPUS46 KLOX	CCFLAX

TABLE 2. EXAMPLES OF CURRENT AND NEW CODED CITIES FORECAST /CCF/
FROM WFO LOX.

CURRENT CODED CITIES FORECAST

FPUS46 KLOX XXXXXX
CCFLAX
LAX BB 062/046 061/047 063 16022
BBUBB 049/062 049/066 050/065 049/064 00222000000

NEW CODED CITIES FORECAST...EFFECTIVE MAY 1 2003

FPUS46 KLOX XXXXXX

CCFLAX

CQT BB 062/046 061/047 063 16022

BBUBB 049/062 049/066 050/065 049/064 00222000000

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS...PLEASE CONTACT

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NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE

LOS ANGELES/OXNARD CA

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THIS NOTICE AND OTHER NWS SERVICE CHANGE NOTICES ARE AVAILABLE AT
THE FOLLOWING URL ADDRESS /USE LOWER CASE LETTERS/.

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/notif.htm>

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