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PUBLIC INFO. STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 03-19...CORRECTED
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
255 PM EST FRI MAR 14 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...NWS EMPLOYEES

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

SUBJECT CORRECTED: MODIFICATIONS TO SELECTED NWS TEXT PRODUCTS...
EFFECTIVE APRIL 15 2003 AT 10 AM EDT

REFER TO SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE /SCN/ 02-59...DATED
NOVEMBER 27 2002 AND CORRECTED ON DECEMBER 2 2002 AND
UPDATED ON JANUARY 31 2003

CORRECTED TO CHANGE EST TO EDT IN SUBJECT LINE...FIRST PARAGRAPH...
AND TABLE 1

IN ACCORDANCE WITH SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE /SCN/ 02-59...ON
TUESDAY...APRIL 15 2003...AT 10 AM EDT...THE NATIONAL WEATHER
SERVICE /NWS/ WILL MODIFY THE TEXT PRODUCTS IDENTIFIED IN
TABLE 1. THE FOCUS OF THE CHANGE WILL BE IN THE MASS NEWS
DISSEMINATOR /MND/ HEADER BLOCK...THE INCLUSION OF AWIPS IDS FOR
ALL PRODUCTS...CHANGES TO TWO AWIPS IDS /ABNA26 KWBC TPTINT
BECOMES ABNA26 KWBC TPTNAM...AND ABXX06 KWBC TPTEUR BECOMES
ABXX06 KWBC TPTINT/...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/

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TABLE 1. NWS TEXT PRODUCTS WHOSE FORMAT WILL BE MODIFIED AT
10 AM EDT APRIL 15 2003

PRODUCT	WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID
LATIN AMERICAN TEMP/WEATHER TABLE	ABXX07 KWBC	TPTLAT

HOURLY TEMP/WX FOR N. AMER. CITIES ABNA26 KWBC TPTNAM
/OLD TPTINT/

HOURLY TEMP/WX FOR WESTERN U.S. ABUS23 KWBC TPTWRN

HOURLY TEMP/WX FOR EASTERN U.S. ABUS24 KWBC TPTERN

HOURLY TEMP/WX FOR CENTRAL U.S. ABUS25 KWBC TPTCRN

FOREIGN TEMP & WEATHER TABLE ABXX06 KWBC TPTINT
/OLD TPTEUR/

CANADIAN TEMP & PRECIP TABLE ABCN01 KWBC TPTCAN

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

ANDY NOEL ART THOMAS
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE
PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES OR PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES
SILVER SPRING MD SILVER SPRING MD
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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/

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