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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 03-70
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
435 PM EDT THU OCT 23 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...AND NWS EMPLOYEES

FROM GLENN AUSTIN
ACTING CHIEF...FIRE AND PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT PRODUCT CATEGORY CHANGE FOR BLOWING SNOW AND WIND CHILL
PRODUCTS...EFFECTIVE NO LATER THAN DECEMBER 23 2003

BY TUESDAY DECEMBER 23 2003 AT 1200 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL
TIME /UTC/...ALL NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE FORECAST OFFICES WILL
ISSUE BLOWING SNOW ADVISORIES...WIND CHILL WATCHES...WIND CHILL
WARNINGS...AND WIND CHILL ADVISORIES USING THE WINTER WEATHER
PRODUCT CATEGORY /WSW/ INSTEAD OF THE NON-PRECIPIATION PRODUCT
CATEGORY /NPW/.

AN EXPLICIT LIST OF AFFECTED PRODUCTS IS POSTED ONLINE AT /USE
LOWER CASE LETTERS/...

www.nws.noaa.gov/om/wsw/wswwmoid.pdf

BY NOVEMBER 3 2003...THE UPDATED WINTER WEATHER POLICY DOCUMENT
WILL BE POSTED ONLINE AT /USE LOWER CASE LETTERS/...

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/directives/010/pd01005013b.pdf>

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS ABOUT THIS CHANGE...PLEASE
CONTACT...

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