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From: Russell Schneider
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Subject: General Thunderstorm Information Added to Storm
Prediction Center (SPC) Day 3 Convective Outlook
Effective September 25, 2012

Effective Tuesday, September 25, 2012, at approximately
1500 Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), the SPC will add general
thunderstorm information to all SPC Day 3 Convective Outlooks.
This includes changes to:

- National Digital Forecast Database (NDFD) products
- Points (PTS) product
- Redbook Graphic product

This change is for the Continental U.S. only and will not involve
changes to World Meteorological Organization Headers or Advanced
Weather Interactive Processing System IDs.

After this change, the SPC Day 3 Convective Outlook will contain
the same information as the SPC Day 2 Convective Outlook,
including a definition of the area of general thunderstorms along
with the already existing defined area of risk of severe
thunderstorms: Slight, Moderate or High.

A more detailed description of the SPC Convective Outlooks can be
found at:

http://www.spc.noaa.gov/misc/SPC_probotlk_info.html

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