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SUBJECT: Change in the Display of the National Centers for
Environmental Prediction (NCEP) Aviation Weather Center
(AWC) Low Level Significant Weather Chart effective
September 1, 2015

Effective Tuesday, September 1, 2015, at 1200 Coordinated
Universal Time (UTC), the NCEP AWC will discontinue the
production of the 4 panel Low Level Significant Weather Chart.

PGBE99 KWBC - 4 panel Low Level Significant Weather Chart

<http://www.aviationweather.gov/progchart/low>

The top portion of the chart, 12 and 24 hour forecast freezing
level/turbulence, and the 12 and 24 hour forecast weather
depiction will continue to be issued separately:

PTIC94 KWBC - 12 hour forecast freezing level/turbulence
PTIE94 KWBC - 24 hour forecast freezing level/turbulence
PGIC42 KWBC - 12 hour forecast weather depiction
PGIE43 KWBC - 24 hour forecast weather depiction

And can be found at the following URL:

<https://www.aviationweather.gov/progchart>

The bottom panels of the chart will be replaced and upgraded with
the information from the National Digital Forecast Database
(NDFD), an example of that product can be found here:

http://www.wpc.ncep.noaa.gov/basicwx/basicwx_ndfd.php

These will also be available at be available at:

<https://www.aviationweather.gov/progchart>

These changes will coincide with the change in the display of the Weather Prediction Center (WPC) Short-Range Weather Charts and termination of the associated Redbook Graphics. See Service Change Notice 14-61:

http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/notification/scn14-61ncep_wpc_graphics.htm

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