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Subject: Implementation of Spot Forecast Requests and Spot Forecasts for
the Tropical North Atlantic and Tropical Northeast Pacific High Seas:
Effective August 4, 2015

Effective Tuesday August 4, 2015 at 200 pm Eastern Daylight Time (EDT),
1800 Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), the Tropical Analysis and Forecast
Branch (TAFB) of the National Hurricane Center will begin accepting Spot
Forecast Requests and providing Spot Forecasts. The areas covered are:

- Tropical North Atlantic High Seas forecast from 07 North to 31 North
between 35 West and 100 West.
- Tropical Northeast Pacific High Seas forecast area from 03.4S to 30
North east of 140 West.

To provide enhanced marine Decision Support Services (DSS) for site
specific locations, TAFB will provide a webpage for external spot forecast
requests and spot forecasts for requested locations within these areas of
responsibility.

Table 1: Product Headers for Spot Forecast Requests and Spot Forecasts for
which TAFB will issue effective August 4, 2015:

Product Name	WMO Heading	AWIPS ID
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Spot Forecast Request	BMBB91 KNHC	MIASTQNHC
Spot Forecast	FNUS72 KNHC	MIAFWSNHC

For Spot forecast requests to NHC/TAFB and spot forecasts that will become
effective August 4, 2015, go to:

<http://spot.nws.noaa.gov/cgi-bin/spot/spotmon?site=nhc>

If you have any questions or comments about the spot forecast request or spot forecast products, please contact:

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