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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 99-65
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
340 PM EDT FRI JUL 16 1999

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS
NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWS/ SUBSCRIBERS
OTHER NWS CUSTOMERS...PARTNERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: THERESE PIERCE
CHIEF...HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: IMPLEMENTATION OF SHORT TERM FORECAST /NOW/ PRODUCT IN
ALASKA...EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 1 1999

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY...SEPTEMBER 1 1999...AT 3:00 A.M. ALASKA DAYLIGHT
TIME...1100 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...THE NATIONAL WEATHER
SERVICE OFFICES IN JUNEAU...YAKUTAT AND ANNETTE ALASKA WILL BEGIN ISSUING
A SHORT TERM FORECAST /NOW/ UNDER THE FOLLOWING:

OFFICE	WMO HEADING	NWS ID
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JUNEAU	FPAK77 PAJK	JNUNOWJNU
YAKUTAT	FPAK77 PAYA	JNUNOWYAK
ANNETTE	FPAK77 PANT	JNUNOWANN

SHORT TERM FORECASTS WILL BE ISSUED FOR PUBLIC ZONES AND FOR THE
COMMUNITIES OF YAKUTAT AND KETCHIKAN...METLAKATLA...CRAIG...AND KLAWOCK ON
A REGULARLY SCHEDULED BASIS AT THE FOLLOWING LOCAL TIMES:

MIDNIGHT
3AM
6AM
9AM
NOON
3PM
6PM
9PM

A SHORT TERM FORECAST WILL ALWAYS BE IN EFFECT FOR PUBLIC ZONES AND FOR
THE COMMUNITIES IDENTIFIED ABOVE. THE FORECAST WILL CONTAIN CONDITIONS
EXPECTED FOR THE NEXT ONE TO SIX HOURS. MORE FREQUENT ISSUANCES MAY BE
REQUIRED AS WEATHER CONDITIONS CHANGE.

SHORT TERM FORECASTS FOR PUBLIC ZONES IDENTIFIED BY UNIVERSAL GEOGRAPHIC
CODES /UGCS/ WILL BE ISSUED UNDER THE PRODUCT IDENTIFIERS AS INDICATED
BELOW:

UGC	ZONE NAME/DESCRIPTION	PRODUCT ID
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AKZ022	- YAKUTAT AND VICINITY	FPAK77 PAYA
AKZ023	- CAPE DECISION TO CAPE FAIRWEATHER - SITKA AND COASTAL AREA	FPAK77 PAJK
AKZ024	- LYNN CANAL - GLACIER BAY	FPAK77 PAJK
AKZ025	- JUNEAU AND ADMIRALTY ISLAND	FPAK77 PAJK
AKZ026	- PETERSBURG/WRANGELL/KAKE AREA	FPAK77 PAJK
AKZ027/AKZ028	- KETCHIKAN/METLAKATLA/CRAIG/ KLAWOCK	FPAK77 PANT

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS...PLEASE CONTACT EITHER OF THE FOLLOWING
PERSONS:

LEIF LIE...METEOROLOGIST-IN-CHARGE OR
ROBERT KANAN...WARNING COORDINATION METEOROLOGIST
907-790-6804

NATIONAL SERVICE CHANGE NOTICES ARE ONLINE AT /USE LOWER CASE/:

[HTTPS://WWW.WEATHER.GOV/NOTIFICATION/ARCHIVE](https://www.weather.gov/notification/archive)

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