PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 99-87
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
200 PM EDT WED SEP 22 1999

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

FROM:    THERESE Z. PIERCE
         CHIEF...HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: CHANGE OF STATE FORECAST DISCUSSION PRODUCT /SFD/ HEADER TO AREA
         FORECAST DISCUSSION /AFD/ HEADER...EFFECTIVE DECEMBER 1 1999

EFFECTIVE AT 9 A.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME /EST/...1400 COORDINATED
UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...WEDNESDAY DECEMBER 1 1999...THE STATE FORECAST
DISCUSSION /SFD/ PRODUCT FROM THE PORTLAND NWS FORECAST OFFICE WILL BE
CHANGED TO AN AREA FORECAST DISCUSSION /AFD/ PRODUCT...COVERING SOUTHERN
MAINE.  ON THE SAME DATE...THE CARIBOU /CAR/ MAINE OFFICE WILL OFFICIALLY
ASSUME AFD RESPONSIBILITY FOR NORTHERN MAINE.

BECAUSE OF THIS CHANGE...SUBSCRIBERS TO THE NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE
/NWWS/ AND THE FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ MUST TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION TO
RECEIVE THE PRODUCTS LISTED IN TABLE 1.

TABLE 1: SFD TO AFD PRODUCT HEADER CHANGE TABLE...EFFECTIVE AT 1400 UTC
WEDNESDAY...DECEMBER 1 1999.

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IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS...PLEASE CONTACT...

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HTTPS://WWW.WEATHER.GOV/NOTIFICATION/ARCHIVE

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