PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 00-13
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
150 PM EDT WED JUL 26 2000

TO: NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE /NWS/ EMPLOYEES
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION /FAA/ EMPLOYEES AND
CUSTOMERS
FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS
OTHER CUSTOMERS OF NWS AVIATION FORECASTS

FROM: THERESE Z. PIERCE
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NWS OFFICE OF METEOROLOGY

SUBJECT: EXPANSION OF TERMINAL AERODROME FORECAST /TAF/ SERVICE AT
SNOHOMISH COUNTY AIRPORT IN EVERETT WASHINGTON AND GRANT COUNTY AIRPORT IN
MOSES LAKE WASHINGTON...EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY...SEPTEMBER 27 2000 AT 0000
COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING CHANGES HAVE NO IMPACT ON NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE
SUBSCRIBERS.

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY...SEPTEMBER 27 2000 AT 0000 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME
/UTC/...THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE /NWS/ OFFICE IN SEATTLE WASHINGTON
WILL EXTEND TERMINAL AERODROME FORECAST /TAF/ SERVICE FOR SNOHOMISH COUNTY
AIRPORT /PAINE FIELD/ IN EVERETT WASHINGTON /KPAE/ TO 24 HOUR COVERAGE.
ALSO AT THAT TIME...THE NWS OFFICE IN SPOKANE WASHINGTON WILL EXTEND TAF
SERVICE AT GRANT COUNTY AIRPORT IN MOSES LAKE WASHINGTON /KMWH/ TO 24
HOURS. BOTH ROUTINE AND UPDATED TAFS...WHICH HAD PREVIOUSLY BEEN ISSUED
ON A PART-TIME BASIS...WILL NOW BE ISSUED 24 HOURS A DAY.

THIS CHANGE WILL NOT REQUIRE ANY ACTION FROM NWS PERSONNEL...FEDERAL
AVIATION ADMINISTRATION /FAA/ PERSONNEL OR EXTERNAL CUSTOMERS. THERE WILL
BE NO CHANGE IN THE COMMUNICATION PROTOCOL...INCLUDING AUTOMATION OF FIELD
OPERATIONS AND SERVICES /AFOS/ IDENTIFIERS...WORLD METEOROLOGICAL
ORGANIZATION /WMO/ HEADERS...NOR THE COLLECTIVES IN WHICH EITHER OF THESE
TAFS IS CONTAINED. IN ADDITION...HOLDERS OF WEATHER SERVICE OPERATIONS
MANUAL /WSOM/ CHAPTER D-31 /AVIATION TERMINAL FORECASTS/ ARE NOT REQUIRED
TO MAKE ANY CHANGES TO APPENDICES.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THESE CHANGES IN TAF SERVICE...PLEASE
CONTACT:

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NATIONAL TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICES ARE ONLINE AT /USE LOWER CASE/: 

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

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