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TO NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE /NWS/ OFFICES
FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION CUSTOMERS
FAMILY OF SERVICES SUBSCRIBERS
OTHER CUSTOMERS OF NWS AVIATION FORECASTS

FROM MARK ANDREWS
CHIEF...AVIATION SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT IMPACT OF CHANGE TO DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME ON ISSUANCE TIMES OF AIRMETS AND AVIATION AREA FORECASTS...
EFFECTIVE APRIL 6 2003

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

ON SUNDAY APRIL 6 2003 AT 200 AM LOCAL TIME...MOST OF THE NATION WILL SWITCH FROM STANDARD TIME TO DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME. AS A RESULT OF THIS CHANGE...THE ISSUANCE TIMES OF SEVERAL AVIATION PRODUCTS ISSUED BY THE AVIATION WEATHER CENTER /AWC/ IN KANSAS CITY...AND THE ALASKA AVIATION WEATHER UNIT /AAWU/ IN ANCHORAGE ALASKA...WILL CHANGE. HAWAII AND GUAM USE STANDARD TIME ALL YEAR ROUND...SO THE ISSUANCE TIMES OF THE AIRMETS AND AREA FORECASTS ISSUED BY METEOROLOGICAL WATCH OFFICES IN HONOLULU AND GUAM WILL NOT CHANGE.

THE AIRMETS AND AVIATION AREA FORECASTS LISTED BELOW WILL BE ISSUED ONE HOUR EARLIER WITH RESPECT TO COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/. IN OTHER WORDS...THE LOCAL ISSUANCE TIME REMAINS THE SAME...BUT THE CORRESPONDING UTC TIME IS ONE HOUR LATER. THE AFFECTED PRODUCTS AND THE CURRENT AND REVISED ISSUANCE TIMES ARE LISTED BELOW.

AREA FORECASTS /FA/

FAS ISSUED BY AVIATION WEATHER CENTER /AWC/

THE AWC ISSUES THE FOLLOWING FAS...KNOWN AS THE BOSTON /BOS/...MIAMI /MIA/...CHICAGO /CHI/...DALLAS/FORT WORTH /FTW/...SALT LAKE CITY /SLC/...AND SAN FRANCISCO /SFO/ FAS

THE AWC WILL IMPLEMENT THE SCHEDULE CHANGE AT 0800 UTC.

WMO HEADING  AWIPS ID  NEW ISSUANCE TIMES /UTC/

FAUS5 KBOS  FA1W  0845...1745...AND 0045 UTC
FAUS5 KMIA  FA2W  0845...1745....AND 0045 UTC
THE FAS ISSUED BY THE AWC WILL INCLUDE A REMINDER OF THE ISSUANCE TIME CHANGE AT THE END OF THE FORECAST TEXT...BEGINNING ON MID-DAY FRIDAY APRIL 4 2003 AND CONTINUING UNTIL THE SCHEDULED ISSUANCE TIMES CHANGE ON SUNDAY MORNING.

AWC ALSO ISSUES AREA FORECASTS FOR THE NORTHERN GULF OF MEXICO AND FOR THE CARRIBEAN SEA AND SURROUNDING TERRITORIES.

THE FA FOR THE NORTHERN GULF OF MEXICO WILL BE ISSUED AT THE SAME TIME...UTC...AS SHOWN BELOW.

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THE FA FOR THE CARIBBEAN SEA AND SURROUNDING TERRITORY WILL CONTINUED TO BE ISSUED AT THE SAME TIMES...UTC...AS THEY CURRENTLY ARE.

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FAS ISSUED BY ALASKA AVIATION WEATHER UNIT /AAWU/

THE AAWU WILL IMPLEMENT THE SCHEDULE CHANGE AT 0900 UTC.

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AIRMETS

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AIRMETS ISSUED BY ALASKA AVIATION WEATHER UNIT /AAWU/

WMO HEADING   AWIPS ID   NEW ISSUANCE TIMES /UTC/

WAUS1 KSLC   WA5<S T Z>   0745...1345...1945...AND 0145 UTC
WAUS1 KSFO   WA6<S T Z>   0745...1345...1945...AND 0145 UTC

WAAP01 PAJN   WA7<S T Z>   0745...1345...1945...AND 0145 UTC
WAAP01 PANC   WA8<S T Z>   0745...1345...1945...AND 0145 UTC
WAAP01 PAFA   WA9<S T Z>   0745...1345...1945...AND 0145 UTC

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS REGARDING THE CHANGE OF ISSUANCE TIMES OF THESE PRODUCTS...CONTACT

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