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TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 06-06
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
150 PM EST THU FEB 16 2006

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

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SUBJECT: BACKUP TEST OF THE INTERNATIONAL CIVIL AVIATION
ORGANIZATION /ICAO/ WASHINGTON WORLD AREA
FORECAST CENTER /W AFC/ HIGH AND MEDIUM LEVEL
SIGNIFICANT WEATHER PRODUCTS ON APRIL 05 2006

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

ON WEDNESDAY APRIL 05 2006 FROM 1800 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME
/UTC/ UNTIL APPROXIMATELY 2230 UTC...THE W AFC LONDON IN THE
UNITED KINGDOM WILL ASSUME...IN A PLANNED OPERATIONAL BACK-UP
TEST...FORECAST AND ISSUANCE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE HIGH LEVEL
SIGNIFICANT WEATHER /SWH/ AND MEDIUM LEVEL SIGNIFICANT WEATHER
/SWM/ T4 AND BUFR PRODUCTS NORMALLY PREPARED BY THE AVIATION
WEATHER CENTER /AWC/ IN KANSAS CITY MISSOURI.

W AFC LONDON WILL PREPARE AND ISSUE THE FOLLOWING T4 AND BUFR
PRODUCTS VALID AT 1200 UTC APRIL 06 2006:

SWH/SWM T4 CHARTS WMO HEADINGS

A	PGEE07 KKCI
B1	PGIE07 KKCI
F	PGGE07 KKCI
H	PGAE07 KKCI
I	PGBE07 KKCI
J	PGJE07 KKCI
M	PGDE07 KKCI
NAT	PGNE15 KKCI

SWH/SWH BUFR DATA WMO HEADINGS

SWH JETSTREAM	JUWE96 KKCI
SWH CLEAR AIR TURBULENCE	JUCE00 KKCI
SWH CUMULONIMBUS CLOUD	JUBE99 KKCI
SWH TROPOPAUSE HEIGHT	JUTE97 KKCI
SWH SURFACE FRONT	JUFE00 KKCI
SWM TROPOPAUSE HEIGHT	JUOE00 KKCI

SWM JETSTREAM JUTE00 KKCI
SWM SURFACE FRONTS JUJE00 KKCI
SWM IN-CLOUD ICING/TURBULENCE JUNE00 KKCI
SWM CLEAR AIR TURBULENCE JUME00 KKCI
SWH TROP CYC AND VOL ERUPTION JUVE00 KKCI

DURING THE BACK-UP TEST THE WAFC WASHINGTON WILL BE ABLE
TO RESUME FORECASTING SERVICES OR INTERVENE ANYTIME IF NECESSARY.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE WAFC WASHINGTON
BACK-UP TEST...CONTACT:

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