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TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 07-03 NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC 1000 AM EST FRI JAN 19 2007

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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CHIEF...AVIATION SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: BACKUP OF AVIATION WEATHER CENTER PRODUCTS SCHEDULED FROM 2100 UTC ON FEBRUARY 28 2007 UNTIL 0500 UTC ON MARCH 1 2007

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

ON WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 28 2007 FROM 2100 UTC UNTIL 0500 UTC ON MARCH 1 2007...THE AIR FORCE WEATHER AGENCY /AFWA/ AT OFFUTT AIR FORCE BASE WILL ASSUME...IN A PLANNED BACKUP TEST...ADVISORY AND WARNING RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SIGMETS AND AIRMETS /SIERRA...ZULU...TANGO/ IN THE BOSTON...MIAMI...FORT WORTH...CHICAGO...SALT LAKE CITY AND SAN FRANCISCO AREA FORECAST /FA/ REGIONS...WHICH ARE NORMALLY PREPARED BY THE AVIATION WEATHER CENTER /AWC/.

A FORECASTER AT THE AWC IN KANSAS CITY WILL COORDINATE CLOSELY WITH THE AFWA FORECASTER DURING THE BACKUP TEST. AWC WILL BE ABLE TO RESUME FORECASTING SERVICES OR INTERVENE ANYTIME DURING THE TEST IF NECESSARY.

THE FA WILL BE PREPARED AND TRANSMITTED BY FORECASTERS ON DUTY AT AWC DURING THE BACKUP TEST.

AFWA WILL PREPARE AND ISSUE THE FOLLOWING AVIATION ADVISORIES:

CONVECTIVE SIGMET...WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION /WMO/ HEADERS:

WSUS31 KKCI

WSUS32 KKCI

WSUS33 KKCI

AIRMET...WMO HEADERS:

WAUS41 KKCI

WAUS42 KKCI

WAUS43 KKCI

WAUS44 KKCI

WAUS44 KKCI

WAUS45 KKCI

WAUS43 KKCI

NON-CONVECTIVE SIGMET...WMO HEADERS: WCUS01 KKCI WSUS01 KKCI WVUS01 KKCI WCUS02 KKCI WSUS02 KKCI WVUS02 KKCI WCUS03 KKCI WSUS03 KKCI WVUS03 KKCI WCUS04 KKCI WSUS04 KKCI WVUS04 KKCI WCUS05 KKCI WSUS05 KKCI WVUS05 KKCI WCUS06 KKCI WSUS06 KKCI

A REMINDER MESSAGE WILL BE APPENDED TO THE AREA FORECASTS ISSUED ON THE MIDNIGHT SHIFT THE NIGHT BEFORE THE TEST BEGINS.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE AWC BACKUP TEST...PLEASE CONTACT:

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