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TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 07-43
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
815 AM EDT FRI JUN 22 2007

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS...NOAA WEATHER
WIRE SERVICE /NWS/ SUBSCRIBERS...EMERGENCY MANAGERS
WEATHER INFORMATION NETWORK /EMWIN/ SUBSCRIBERS...
NOAAPORT SUBSCRIBERS...OTHER NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE
/NWS/ CUSTOMERS AND PARTNERS ...NWS EMPLOYEES

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SUBJECT: NCEP COASTAL OCEAN FORECAST SYSTEM /COFS/ DISCONTINUED
EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 5 2007

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 5 2007...BEGINNING WITH THE 1200
COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/ RUN...NCEP WILL DISCONTINUE THE
COASTAL OCEAN FORECAST SYSTEM /COFS/ MODEL.

THIS CHANGE WAS ORIGINALLY ADVERTISED IN TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION
NOTICE 07-33 DISSEMINATED ON MAY 7 2007.

THE REAL TIME OCEAN FORECAST SYSTEM /RTOFS/ MODEL WAS UPGRADED ON
JUNE 5 2007. THIS MODEL WAS DESIGNED TO REPLACE THE COFS MODEL.

THE RTOFS OUTPUT CAN BE FOUND ON THE NCEP FTP SERVER AT THE
FOLLOWING LOCATION /USE LOWER CASE LETTERS/:

FTP://FTP.NCEP.NOAA.GOV/PUB/DATA/NCCF/COM/OFS/PROD/OFS.YYYYMMDD

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