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: Implementation of Terminal Aerodrome Forecast (TAF) Service for the Henderson, Nevada Airport (KHND): Effective May 1, 2012

Note: The following changes have no impact on NOAA Weather Wire Service subscribers.

Effective Tuesday, May 1, 2012, at 1800 Coordinated Universal Time (UTC), the NWS Office in Las Vegas, Nevada will begin TAF service for the Henderson Executive Airport (KHND) in Henderson, Nevada. After that date, routine and updated TAFs will be issued for this airport 24 hours a day.

NWS personnel/offices will need to add the following identifier to their communications systems to receive the new TAF:

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In addition, the new TAF will be added to the existing TAF collectives below, which are transmitted to Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) personnel and other external customers.

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Holders of NWS Procedural Instruction 10-813 (Terminal Aerodrome Forecasts) should make appropriate additions to the appendices.

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