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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 99-18
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
300 PM EDT WED OCT 27 1999

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

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SUBJECT: IMPACT OF CHANGE TO STANDARD TIME ON ISSUANCE TIMES OF AIRMETS
AND AVIATION AREA FORECASTS...EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 31 1999

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

THIS SUNDAY...OCTOBER 31 1999 AT 2:00 AM LOCAL TIME...MOST OF THE NATION
WILL SWITCH FROM DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME TO STANDARD TIME. AS A RESULT OF
THIS CHANGE...THE ISSUANCE TIMES OF SEVERAL AVIATION PRODUCTS ISSUED BY
THE AVIATION WEATHER CENTER /AWC/ IN KANSAS CITY MISSOURI...THE ALASKA
AVIATION WEATHER UNIT /AAWU/ IN ANCHORAGE ALASKA AND THE TROPICAL
PREDICTION CENTER /TPC/ IN MIAMI FLORIDA WILL CHANGE. HAWAII AND GUAM USE
STANDARD TIME ALL YEAR ROUND...SO THE ISSUANCE TIMES OF THE AIRMAN/S
METEOROLOGICAL INFORMATION /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 LATER WITH RESPECT TO COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/. IN OTHER
WORDS...THE LOCAL ISSUANCE TIME REMAINS THE SAME...BUT THE CORRESPONDING
UTC IS ONE HOUR LATER. THE AFFECTED PRODUCTS AND THE CURRENT AND REVISED
ISSUANCE TIMES ARE LISTED BELOW:

AREA FORECASTS /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 HEADER	AFOS PIL	NEW ISSUANCE TIMES /UTC/
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FAUS1 KBOS	MKCFA1H	0945...1845 AND 0145 UTC
FAUS1 KMIA	MKCFA2H	0945...1845 AND 0145 UTC
FAUS1 KCHI	MKCFA3H	1045...1945 AND 0245 UTC
FAUS1 KDFW	MKCFA4H	1045...1945 AND 0245 UTC
FAUS1 KSLC	MKCFA5H	1145...2045 AND 0345 UTC
FAUS1 KSFO	MKCFA6H	1145...2045 AND 0345 UTC

FAUS2	KBOS	MKCFA1I	0945...1845	AND	0145	UTC
FAUS2	KMIA	MKCFA2I	0945...1845	AND	0145	UTC
FAUS2	KCHI	MKCFA3I	1045...1945	AND	0245	UTC
FAUS2	KDFW	MKCFA4I	1045...1945	AND	0245	UTC
FAUS2	KSLC	MKCFA5I	1145...2045	AND	0345	UTC
FAUS2	KSFO	MKCFA6I	1145...2045	AND	0345	UTC
FAUS3	KBOS	MKCFA1S	0945...1845	AND	0145	UTC
FAUS3	KMIA	MKCFA2S	0945...1845	AND	0145	UTC
FAUS3	KCHI	MKCFA3S	1045...1945	AND	0245	UTC
FAUS3	KDFW	MKCFA4S	1045...1945	AND	0245	UTC
FAUS3	KSLC	MKCFA5S	1145...2045	AND	0345	UTC
FAUS3	KSFO	MKCFA6S	1145...2045	AND	0345	UTC
FAUS4	KBOS	MKCFA1T	0945...1845	AND	0145	UTC
FAUS4	KMIA	MKCFA2T	0945...1845	AND	0145	UTC
FAUS4	KCHI	MKCFA3T	1045...1945	AND	0245	UTC
FAUS4	KDFW	MKCFA4T	1045...1945	AND	0245	UTC
FAUS4	KSLC	MKCFA5T	1145...2045	AND	0345	UTC
FAUS4	KSFO	MKCFA6T	1145...2045	AND	0345	UTC
FAUS5	KBOS	MKCFA1W	0945...1845	AND	0145	UTC
FAUS5	KMIA	MKCFA2W	0945...1845	AND	0145	UTC
FAUS5	KCHI	MKCFA3W	1045...1945	AND	0245	UTC
FAUS5	KDFW	MKCFA4W	1045...1945	AND	0245	UTC
FAUS5	KSLC	MKCFA5W	1145...2045	AND	0345	UTC
FAUS5	KSFO	MKCFA6W	1145...2045	AND	0345	UTC

THE FAS ISSUED BY THE AWC WILL INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING REMINDER AT THE END OF THE FORECAST TEXT...BEGINNING ON MID-DAY FRIDAY...OCTOBER 29 1999 AND CONTINUING UNTIL THE SCHEDULED ISSUANCE TIMES CHANGE ON SUNDAY MORNING:

EFFECTIVE 0800Z OCTOBER 31, 1999 THE BOS AND MIA FAS WILL BE ISSUED AT 0945Z...1845Z AND 0145Z DUE TO THE RETURN TO STANDARD TIME. AIRMETTS WILL BE ISSUED AT 0845Z...1445Z...2045Z AND 0245Z.

FAS ISSUED BY ALASKA AVIATION WEATHER UNIT /AAWU/:

THE AAWU WILL IMPLEMENT THE SCHEDULE CHANGE AT 1000 UTC.

WMO HEADER	AFOS PIL	NEW ISSUANCE TIMES /UTC/				
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FAAK1	PAJN	NMCFA7H	0845...1445...2045	AND	0245	UTC
FAAK5	PAJN	NMCFA7W	0845...1445...2045	AND	0245	UTC
FAAK1	PANC	NMCFA8H	0845...1445...2045	AND	0245	UTC
FAAK5	PANC	NMCFA8W	0845...1445...2045	AND	0245	UTC
FAAK1	PAFA	NMCFA9H	0845...1445...2045	AND	0245	UTC
FAAK5	PAFA	NMCFA9W	0845...1445...2045	AND	0245	UTC

FAS ISSUED BY TROPICAL ANALYSIS AND FORECAST BRANCH /TAFB/...OF THE TPC:

TAFB ISSUES ONE NORTHERN GULF OF MEXICO AVIATION AREA FORECAST AND ONE INTERNATIONAL AVIATION AREA FORECAST...SHOWN BELOW:

THE SCHEDULE CHANGE WILL BE IMPLEMENTED AT 0700 UTC AT THE TAFB.

WMO HEADER	AFOS PIL	NEW ISSUANCE TIME /UTC/
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FAGX01 KNHC	MIAOFAGX	1040 AND 1840 UTC
FACA KNHC	MIAOFAMIA	0900...1500 AND 0300 UTC

AIRMETS ISSUED BY AWC:

WMO HEADER	AFOS PIL	NEW ISSUANCE TIMES /UTC/
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WAUS1 KBOS	MKCWA1(S T Z)	0845...1445...2045 AND 0245 UTC
WAUS1 KMIA	MKCWA2(S T Z)	0845...1445...2045 AND 0245 UTC
WAUS1 KCHI	MKCWA3(S T Z)	0845...1445...2045 AND 0245 UTC
WAUS1 KDFW	MKCWA4(S T Z)	0845...1445...2045 AND 0245 UTC
WAUS1 KSLC	MKCWA5(S T Z)	0845...1445...2045 AND 0245 UTC
WAUS1 KSFO	MKCWA6(S T Z)	0845...1445...2045 AND 0145 UTC

THE AIRMETS ISSUED BY THE AWC ON SATURDAY EVENING...OCTOBER 31ST AT 0145 UTC...WILL BE VALID FOR SEVEN HOURS UNTIL 0900 UTC IN ORDER TO COVER THE EXTRA HOUR BEFORE THE NEXT SET OF AIRMETS ARE ISSUED ACCORDING TO THE MODIFIED SCHEDULE.

AIRMETS ISSUED BY AAWU:

WMO HEADER	AFOS PIL	NEW ISSUANCE TIMES /UTC/
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WAAK1 PAJN	NMCWA7(S T Z)	0845...1445...2045 AND 0245 UTC
WAAK1 PANC	NMCWA8(S T Z)	0845...1445...2045 AND 0245 UTC
WAAK1 PAFA	NMCWA9(S T Z)	0845...1445...2045 AND 0245 UTC

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

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