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MEMORANDUM FOR: National Weather Service Directives System (NDS) Customers  
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FROM: Louis W. Uccellini, Assistant Administrator for Weather Services  
SUBJECT: Rescission of NWSP 60-24, Global Telecommunications System  
(GTS)

The following document is being rescinded from the NDS.

NDS Title: Global Telecommunications System (GTS)  
NDS Number: 60-24  
Effective Date: May 30, 2012  
Signature Date: May 16, 2012  
Certified By: Rich Vogt  
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Summary: This directive was used for GTS, which has been decommissioned and replaced with the use of the Internet and TIC compliant methods of access. We recommend rescinding the directive.

THE ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR  
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