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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 03-71 NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC 340 PM EST FRI NOV 14 2003

- TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWWS/ SUBSCRIBERS EMERGENCY MANAGERS WEATHER INFORMATION NETWORK /EMWIN/ SUBSCRIBERS NOAAPORT SUBSCRIBERS OTHER NWS CUSTOMERS...PARTNERS AND EMPLOYEES
- FROM: GLENN AUSTIN ACTING CHIEF...FIRE AND PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: TENNESSEE STATE FORECAST PRODUCT FORMAT CHANGE: EFFECTIVE JANUARY 14 2004

ON WEDNESDAY...JANUARY 14 2004 AT 400 AM CENTRAL STANDARD TIME /CST/...THE STATE FORECAST PRODUCT /SFP/ FOR TENNESSEE...ISSUED BY THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE /NWS/ OFFICE IN NASHVILLE...WILL BE CHANGING FROM A NARRATIVE FORMAT TO A TABULAR FORMAT. THE TABULAR FORMAT WILL INCLUDE FORECASTS FOR WEST...MIDDLE AND EAST TENNESSEE.

THE FORECAST ELEMENTS IN THE TABULAR STATE FORECAST WILL INCLUDE THE HIGH AND LOW TEMPERATURE...PREDOMINANT WEATHER...AND PROBABILITY OF PRECIPITATION. THESE FORECASTS WILL PROJECT OUT TO SEVEN DAYS.

CUSTOMERS WHO WISH TO RECEIVE THE TABULAR STATE FORECASTS FOR TENNESSEE SHOULD COORDINATE THE INFORMATION PROVIDED IN TABLE 1 WITH THEIR SERVICE PROVIDERS.

TABLE 1: CURRENT AND NEW WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION /WMO/ HEADINGS AND ADVANCED WEATHER INTERACTIVE PROCESSING SYSTEM /AWIPS/ IDS FOR TENNESSEE STATE FORECAST PRODUCT

CURRENT	CURRENT	NEW	NEW
WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID	WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID
FPUS64 KOHX	SFPTN	FPUS64 KOHX	SFTTN

TABLE 2: AN EXAMPLE OF THE TABULAR STATE FORECAST PRODUCT ISSUED BY THE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE OFFICE IN NASHVILLE FPUS64 KOHX 061510 SFTTN TNZ001102-062200 TABULAR STATE FORECAST FOR TENNESSEE NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE NASHVILLE TN 910 AM CST THU NOV 6 2003 ROWS INCLUDE... DAILY PREDOMINANT DAYTIME WEATHER 6AM-6PM FORECAST TEMPERATURES... EARLY MORNING LOW/DAYTIME HIGH PROBABILITY OF PRECIPITATION 6AM-6PM - INDICATES TEMPERATURES BELOW ZERO MM INDICATES MISSING DATA TODAY FRI SAT SUN MON TUE WED NOV 6 NOV 7 NOV 8 NOV 9 NOV 10 NOV 11 NOV 12 ...WEST TENNESSEE... MOCLDY SUNNY MOCLDY MOCLDY MOCLDY MOCLDY RAIN 41/58 38/56 36/57 44/65 50/71 /55 54/66 POP 70 POP 10 POP 10 POP 30 POP 10 POP 10 POP 30 ...MIDDLE TENNESSEE... SHOWERS PTCLDY SUNNY MOCLDY MOCLDY PTCLDY MOCLDY /58 43/57 35/55 37/58 44/62 45/66 49/64 POP 70 POP 10 POP 10 POP 30 POP 30 POP 10 POP 30 ...EAST TENNESSEE... SHOWERS MOCLDY PTCLDY PTCLDY MOCLDY PTCLDY PTCLDY 53/61 43/53 35/55 40/62 44/62 /70 46/63 POP 90 POP 10 POP 0 POP 10 POP 10 POP 10 POP 20 END OF EXAMPLE IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS CHANGE...YOU MAY CONTACT: DERREL MARTIN MELINDA BAILEY METEOROLOGIST-IN-CHARGE PUBLIC PROGRAM MANAGER NASHVILLE TENNESSEE FORT WORTH TEXAS PHONE: 615-754-8504 X 222 PHONE: 817-978-1100 X 107 E-MAIL: DERREL.MARTIN@NOAA.GOV E-MAIL: MELINDA.BAILEY@NOAA.GOV NATIONAL SERVICE CHANGE NOTICES ARE ONLINE AT /USE LOWER CASE/:

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