

NOUS41 KWBC 161217  
PNSWSH

TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 07-23  
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC  
817 AM EDT MON APR 16 2007

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

FROM: KEVIN L. JOHNSTON  
CHIEF...AVIATION SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: BACKUP OF AVIATION WEATHER CENTER PRODUCTS SCHEDULED FROM 2000  
UTC ON MAY 16 2007 UNTIL 0400 UTC ON MAY 17 2007

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

ON WEDNESDAY MAY 16 2007 FROM 2000 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/ UNTIL  
0400 UTC ON MAY 17 2007...THE AIR FORCE WEATHER AGENCY /AFWA/ AT OFFUTT  
AIR FORCE BASE WILL ASSUME...IN A PLANNED BACKUP TEST...ADVISORY AND  
WARNING RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE SIGMETS AND AIRMETS /SIERRA...ZULU...TANGO/  
IN THE BOSTON...MIAMI...FORT WORTH...CHICAGO...SALT LAKE CITY AND SAN  
FRANCISCO AREA FORECAST /FA/ REGIONS...WHICH ARE NORMALLY PREPARED BY THE  
AVIATION WEATHER CENTER /AWC/.

A FORECASTER AT THE AWC IN KANSAS CITY WILL BE COORDINATING CLOSELY WITH  
THE AFWA FORECASTER DURING THE BACKUP TEST. AWC WILL BE ABLE TO RESUME  
FORECASTING SERVICES OR INTERVENE ANYTIME DURING THE TEST IF NECESSARY.

THE FA WILL BE PREPARED AND TRANSMITTED BY FORECASTERS ON DUTY AT AWC  
DURING THE BACKUP TEST. AFWA WILL PREPARE AND ISSUE THE FOLLOWING  
AVIATION ADVISORIES:

CONVECTIVE SIGMET...WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION /WMO/ HEADERS:

WSUS31 KKCI  
WSUS32 KKCI  
WSUS33 KKCI

AIRMET...WMO HEADERS:

WAUS41 KKCI  
WAUS42 KKCI  
WAUS43 KKCI  
WAUS44 KKCI  
WAUS45 KKCI  
WAUS46 KKCI

NON-CONVECTIVE SIGMET...WMO HEADERS:

WCUS01 KKCI  
WSUS01 KKCI  
WVUS01 KKCI  
WCUS02 KKCI  
WSUS02 KKCI  
WVUS02 KKCI  
WCUS03 KKCI  
WSUS03 KKCI  
WVUS03 KKCI  
WCUS04 KKCI  
WSUS04 KKCI  
WVUS04 KKCI  
WCUS05 KKCI  
WSUS05 KKCI  
WVUS05 KKCI  
WCUS06 KKCI  
WSUS06 KKCI  
WVUS06 KKCI

A REMINDER MESSAGE WILL BE APPENDED TO THE AREA FORECASTS ISSUED ON THE MIDNIGHT SHIFT THE NIGHT BEFORE THE TEST BEGINS.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS CONCERNING THE AWC BACKUP TEST...CONTACT:

FRED R. JOHNSON  
CHIEF...DOMESTIC OPERATIONS BRANCH  
AVIATION WEATHER CENTER  
KANSAS CITY MISSOURI  
PHONE: 816-584-7204  
EMAIL: [FRED.JOHNSON@NOAA.GOV](mailto:FRED.JOHNSON@NOAA.GOV)

NATIONAL TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICES ARE ONLINE AT /USE LOWER CASE/:

[HTTPS://WWW.WEATHER.GOV/NOTIFICATION/ARCHIVE](https://www.weather.gov/notification/archive)

\$\$  
NNNN