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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 03-75 NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC 250 PM EST FRI DEC 5 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 CHIEF...FIRE AND PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: IDENTIFIER CHANGE FOR GRAND FORKS AIRPORT NORTH DAKOTA CLIMATE INFORMATION: EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1 2004

EFFECTIVE THURSDAY JANUARY 1 2004 AT 700 AM CENTRAL STANDARD TIME /CST/...1300 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...CLIMATE INFORMATION FROM THE GRAND FORKS AIRPORT /GFK/...NORTH DAKOTA WILL BE TRANSMITTED UNDER A NEW COMMUNICATION IDENTIFIER. CURRENTLY...CLIMATE INFORMATION FOR GRAND FORKS IS COMBINED WITH FARGO /FAR/...SEE TABLE 1.

THIS SERVICE IMPROVEMENT WILL CREATE A NEW PRODUCT WITH A NEW ADVANCED WEATHER INTERACTIVE PROCESSING SYSTEM /AWIPS/ ID FOR CLIMATE INFORMATION AT GRAND FORKS AIRPORT. THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION /WMO/ HEADING WILL REMAIN THE SAME. CLIMATE INFORMATION FOR FARGO WILL REMAIN UNCHANGED.

TABLE 1: WMO HEADINGS AND CURRENT AND NEW AWIPS IDS FOR GRAND FORKS AIRPORT CLIMATE PRODUCTS

DAILY CLIMATE REPORT PRODUCT:

LOCATION	CURRENT WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID	NEW WMO HEADING /NO CHANGE/	AWIPS ID
GRAND FORKS	CDUS43 KFGF	CLIFAR	CDUS43 KFGF	CLIGFK
MONTHLY CLIMATE REPORT PRODUCT:				
LOCATION	CURRENT WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID	NEW WMO HEADING /NO CHANGE/	AWIPS ID
GRAND FORKS	CXUS53 KFGF	CLMFAR	CXUS53 KFGF	CLMGFK

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THESE NEW PRODUCTS...YOU MAY CONTACT:

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