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SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 06-08 CORRECTED  
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC  
205 PM EST MON MAR 13 2006

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS  
NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWS/ SUBSCRIBERS  
EMERGENCY MANAGERS WEATHER INFORMATION NETWORK /EMWIN/  
SUBSCRIBERS  
NOAAPORT SUBSCRIBERS  
OTHER NWS CUSTOMERS...PARTNERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: THERESE Z. PIERCE  
CHIEF...MARINE AND COASTAL SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: CORRECTED: CHANGE TO MASS NEWS MEDIA DISSEMINATOR HEADER BLOCK  
FOR SIX TROPICAL CYCLONE PRODUCTS: EFFECTIVE MAY 15 2006

CORRECTED TO CHANGE THE ATLANTIC BASIN CODE FROM AT TO AL IN THE CODED  
STRING FORMAT EXAMPLE.

EFFECTIVE MAY 15 2006 AND IN RESPONSE TO USER FEEDBACK...THE TROPICAL  
PREDICTION CENTER/NATIONAL HURRICANE CENTER /NHC/ AND THE CENTRAL PACIFIC  
HURRICANE CENTER /CPHC/ WILL APPEND A CODED STRING TO THE END OF THE  
ISSUING OFFICE LINES IN THE MASS NEWS DISSEMINATOR /MND/ HEADER BLOCK FOR  
THE FOLLOWING TEXT PRODUCTS.

FOR THE ATLANTIC HURRICANE BASIN:

PRODUCT NAME	AWIPS ID	WMO HEADING
TROPICAL CYCLONE PUBLIC ADVISORY	TCPAT/1-5/	WTNT/31-35/ KNHC
TROPICAL CYCLONE DISCUSSION	TCDAT/1-5/	WTNT/41-45/ KNHC
TROPICAL CYCLONE POSITION ESTIMATE	TCEAT/1-5/	WTNT/51-55/ KNHC
TROPICAL CYCLONE UPDATE	TCUAT/1-5/	WTNT/61-65/ KNHC
TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND PROBABILITIES	PWSAT/1-5/	FONT/11-15/ KNHC
AVIATION TROPICAL CYCLONE ADVISORY	TCANT/1-5/	FKNT/21-25/ KNHC

FOR THE EASTERN PACIFIC HURRICANE BASIN:

PRODUCT NAME	AWIPS ID	WMO HEADING
TROPICAL CYCLONE PUBLIC ADVISORY	TCPEP/1-5/	WTPZ/31-35/ KNHC
TROPICAL CYCLONE DISCUSSION	TCDEP/1-5/	WTPZ/41-45/ KNHC
TROPICAL CYCLONE POSITION ESTIMATE	TCEEP/1-5/	WTPZ/51-55/ KNHC
TROPICAL CYCLONE UPDATE	TCUEP/1-5/	WTPZ/61-65/ KNHC
TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND PROBABILITIES	PWSEP/1-5/	FOPZ/11-15/ KNHC
AVIATION TROPICAL CYCLONE ADVISORY	TCAPZ/1-5/	FKPZ/21-25/ KNHC

FOR THE CENTRAL PACIFIC HURRICANE BASIN:

PRODUCT NAME -----	AWIPS ID -----	WMO HEADING -----
TROPICAL CYCLONE PUBLIC ADVISORY	TCPCP/1-5/	WTPA/31-35/ PHFO
TROPICAL CYCLONE DISCUSSION	TCDCP/1-5/	WTPA/41-45/ PHFO
TROPICAL CYCLONE POSITION ESTIMATE	TCECP/1-5/	WTPA/51-55/ PHFO
TROPICAL CYCLONE UPDATE	TCUCP/1-5/	WTPA/61-65/ PHFO
TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND PROBABILITIES	PWSCP/1-5/	FOPA/11-15/ PHFO
AVIATION TROPICAL CYCLONE ADVISORY	TCAPA/1-5/	FKPA/21-25/ PHFO

AN EXAMPLE OF THE CODED STRING IS PROVIDED FOR THE MND HEADER BLOCK OF THE PUBLIC ADVISORY PRODUCT:

TROPICAL STORM DENNIS PUBLIC ADVISORY NUMBER 5  
NWS TPC/NATIONAL HURRICANE CENTER MIAMI FL AL042005  
11PM EDT TUE JUL 5 2005

THE CODED STRING FORMAT FOLLOWS AND ADHERES TO THE FORMAT ALREADY USED IN SEVERAL OTHER NHC AND CPHC TEXT PRODUCTS:

NWS TPC/NATIONAL HURRICANE CENTER MIAMI FL BSNOYR  
WHERE: /BS/ IS THE BASIN  
AL...ATLANTIC  
EP...EASTERN PACIFIC  
CP...CENTRAL PACIFIC

WHERE: /NO/ IS THE TROPICAL CYCLONE NUMBER 01...99  
WHERE: /YR/ IS FOUR DIGITS OF THE YEAR

NOTE: THERE ARE NO CHANGES TO WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION /WMO/ HEADINGS OR ADVANCED WEATHER INTERACTIVE PROCESSING SYSTEM /AWIPS/ IDENTIFIERS AND NO ACTIONS ARE REQUIRED FOR CONTINUED RECEIPT OF THESE PRODUCTS FROM NHC AND CPHC.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS...CONTACT:

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

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