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SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 06-41
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC
145 PM EST FRI NOV 17 2006

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

SUBJECT: CHANGES TO SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY CRITERIA FOR GUAM AND THE
NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS: EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 14 2007

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 14 2007...AT 0000 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME
/UTC/ OR 1000 AM GUAM LOCAL STANDARD TIME...THE FOLLOWING CHANGES WILL BE
MADE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF SMALL CRAFT ADVISORIES BY THE WEATHER FORECAST
OFFICE /WFO/ AT TIYAN GUAM. THESE CHANGES ARE IN RESPONSE TO CUSTOMER
FEEDBACK RECEIVED FROM THE MARINE SURVEY CONDUCTED BY WFO GUAM.

CURRENT SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY CRITERIA:
SUSTAINED WINDS OF 22 TO 33 KNOTS /KTS/ AND/OR COMBINED SEAS OF 8 FEET OR
MORE.

NEW SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY CRITERIA:
SUSTAINED WINDS OF 22 TO 33 KTS AND/OR COMBINED SEAS OF 10 FEET OR MORE.

THE CURRENT SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY HEADLINE STATES...SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY.

THE NEW SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY HEADLINE WILL DENOTE THE REASONS FOR THE
ADVISORY. EXAMPLES OF THE TWO NEW SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY HEADLINES FOLLOW:

SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY FOR WIND - SUSTAINED WINDS OF 22 TO 33 KTS

SMALL CRAFT ADVISORY FOR HAZARDOUS SEAS - COMBINED SEAS OF 10 FEET OR MORE

WHEN ISSUED...SMALL CRAFT ADVISORIES ARE PROVIDED WITHIN THE MARIANAS
COASTAL WATERS FORECAST PRODUCTS AS FOLLOWS:

ZONE	AWIPS HEADER	WMO HEADER
PMZ151	CWFMY	FZMY50 PGUM
PMZ152	CWFMY	FZMY50 PGUM
PMZ153	CWFMY	FZMY50 PGUM
PMZ154	CWFMY	FZMY50 PGUM

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT THESE CHANGES...PLEASE CONTACT:

SARAH PRIOR
MARINE PROGRAM LEADER
NWS WFO TIYAN GUAM
PHONE 671-472-0950

OR

WAYNE WEEKS
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE
MARINE AND COASTAL SERVICES BRANCH
SILVER SPRING MARYLAND
PHONE: 301-713-1677 EXTENSION 129

NATIONAL SERVICE CHANGE NOTICES ARE ONLINE AT /USE LOWER CASE/:

HTTPS://WWW.WEATHER.GOV/NOTIFICATION/ARCHIVE

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