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SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 06-43 NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC 940 AM EST WED NOV 22 2006

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS

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OTHER NWS CUSTOMERS...PARTNERS AND EMPLOYEES

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CHIEF...FIRE AND PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: COMMUNICATIONS IDENTIFIER CHANGES OF WFO LAS VEGAS NV /VEF/AVALANCHE PRODUCT: EFFECTIVE FEBRUARY 21 2007

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY FEBRUARY 21 2007 AT 1200 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...0400 AM MOUNTAIN STANDARD TIME...THE NWS FORECAST OFFICE /WFO/ IN LAS VEGAS NEVADA /VEF/ WILL CHANGE THE COMMUNICATIONS IDENTIFIERS FOR ITS AVALANCHE PRODUCT. TABLE 1 BELOW DETAILS THE PROPOSED ADVANCED WEATHER INTERACTIVE PROCESSING SYSTEM /AWIPS/ ID AND WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION /WMO/ HEADING CHANGES.

THIS PRODUCT ORIGINATES FROM THE TOIYABE NATIONAL FOREST OFFICE IN LAS VEGAS NEVADA...BUT IS ALSO DISTRIBUTED BY WFO LAS VEGAS.

THESE CHANGES ARE NEEDED TO PROVIDE CONSISTENCY IN AVALANCHE PRODUCT IDENTIFIERS WITH NEIGHBORING NWS FORECAST OFFICES.

TABLE 1. NEW AND CURRENT AWIPS ID AND WMO HEADING

	NEW		CURRENT	
PRODUCT	AWIPS ID	WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID	WMO HEADING
AVALANCHE WARNING	AVWVEF	WOUS45 KVEF	SABLAS	WWUS85 KLAS

USERS OF THIS NWS LAS VEGAS PRODUCT MUST ENSURE THEIR COMMUNICATION SYSTEM DIRECTORIES EXACTLY MATCH THE NEW HEADING. FAILURE TO DO SO WILL PREVENT THIS PRODUCT FROM REACHING ITS INTENDED AUDIENCE.

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

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