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Subject: Updated: Discontinuation of Several NWS NCO Websites and  
Relocation of Others: Effective June 18, 2018

Updated to correct one website:

<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/dbnet> that is being kept and  
another:

<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/headers>

that is being deleted.

Effective Monday, June 18, 2018, NWS National Centers for Environmental Prediction (NCEP) Central Operations (NCO) will be discontinuing several web services and relocating others on their webpages. The information that will be discontinued is obsolete, while the information being moved is in response to NCO's reorganization which split its former Production Management Branch (PMB) into the Implementation and Data Services Branch (IDSB) and Operational Monitoring Branch (OMB). The following pages are obsolete and links to them will be deleted:

[http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/version\\_numbers/](http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/version_numbers/)  
[http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/GRIB1 to GRIB2.shtml](http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/GRIB1_to_GRIB2.shtml)  
<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/headers/>  
<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/libs/>  
<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/sib/decoders/BUFRLIB/>  
[http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/JSAMPLE SCRIPT](http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/JSAMPLE_SCRIPT)  
[http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/exsample script](http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/exsample_script)  
<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/docs/NCEPStorageStandards.pdf>

The following page links have been moved from the old PMB page to the new OMB page. See: <http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/omb/> for the following links:

Real-time Data Monitoring (RTDM):  
<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/nwprod/realtime/>

NOUS42:

<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/nous42kwno/>

NCEP Quality Assessment Project (QAP):

<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/gap/>

Links to the NCEP Production Suite Current Status:

<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/nwprod/prodstat/>

The Model Analyses and Guidance (MAG):

<http://mag.ncep.noaa.gov/>

and the Critical Weather Day (CWD) status:

<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/pmb/cwd/>

may be found on both the NCO/IDSB and NCO/OMB pages.

The new web pages for NCO/IDSB and NCO/OMB may be viewed at:

<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/idsb>

and

<http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/omb> respectively.

Six months after the effective date of this SCN, the links to the NCEP Production Suite Current Status, the MAG, and the CWD status pages will only be found on the NCO/OMB page at <http://www.nco.ncep.noaa.gov/omb>.

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National Service Change Notices are online at:

<https://www.weather.gov/notification/archive>

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