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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 99-24  
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC  
1130 AM EST TUE FEB 23 1999

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS  
NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWS/ SUBSCRIBERS  
OTHER NWS CUSTOMERS...PARTNERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: THERESE Z. PIERCE  
CHIEF...HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: FORECAST AND LONG-FUSED WATCH/WARNING/ADVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES  
FOR ZONES TRANSFERRED TO THE CHARLESTON /CHS/ SOUTH CAROLINA WEATHER  
FORECAST OFFICE...EFFECTIVE APRIL 27 1999

EFFECTIVE AT 9 A.M. EASTERN DAYLIGHT TIME /EDT/...1300 COORDINATED  
UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/ TUESDAY...APRIL 27 1999...FORECAST AND LONG-FUSED  
WATCH/WARNING/ADVISORY RESPONSIBILITIES FOR 25 ZONES IN SOUTHEAST SOUTH  
CAROLINA AND SOUTHEAST GEORGIA /TABLE 1/ WILL BE TRANSFERRED TO THE  
WEATHER FORECAST OFFICE /WFO/ IN CHARLESTON /CHS/ SOUTH CAROLINA FROM THE  
COLUMBIA /CAE/ SOUTH CAROLINA AND ATLANTA/PEACHTREE /ATL/FFC/ GEORGIA  
WFOS.

BECAUSE OF THIS FORECAST AND LONG-FUSED WATCH/WARNING/ADVISORY  
TRANSFER...SUBSCRIBERS TO THE NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWS/...THE  
FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ AND OTHER CUSTOMERS MUST TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTION  
TO RECEIVE THE PRODUCTS LISTED IN TABLE 2 FOR THESE 25 ZONES USING THE NEW  
PRODUCT IDENTIFIERS FROM WFO CHS.

TABLE 1: ZONES TRANSFERRED TO CHARLESTON SC /CHS/ FOR FORECASTS AND LONG-  
FUSED WATCHES/WARNINGS/ADVISORIES. UNIVERSAL GEOGRAPHIC CODES /UGCS/ FOR  
THESE ZONES /Z/ ARE SHOWN IN THE TABLE.

FROM COLUMBIA /CAE/:

UGC Z	ZONE NAME	UGC Z	ZONE NAME	UGC Z	ZONE NAME
CODE	/BY COUNTY/	CODE	/BY COUNTY/	CODE	/BY COUNTY/
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SCZ040-	ALLENDALE	SCZ048-	BEAUFORT	SCZ045-	BERKELEY
SCZ050-	CHARLESTON	SCZ044-	DORCHESTER	SCZ042-	HAMPTON
SCZ047-	JASPER	SCZ043-	N. COLLETON	SCZ049-	S. COLLETON

FROM ATLANTA/PEACHTREE /ATL/FFC/:

NOTE: CSTL = COASTAL INLD = INLAND

UGC Z	ZONE NAME	UGC Z	ZONE NAME	UGC Z	ZONE NAME
CODE	/BY COUNTY/	CODE	/BY COUNTY/	CODE	/BY COUNTY/
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GAZ117-	CSTL BRYAN	GAZ116-	INLD BRYAN	GAZ100-	BULLOCH
GAZ099-	CANDLER	GAZ119-	CSTL CHATHAM	GAZ118-	INLD CHATHAM

GAZ101- EFFINGHAM            GAZ115- EVANS                    GAZ087- JENKINS  
GAZ139- CSTL LIBERTY        GAZ138- INLD LIBERTY            GAZ137- LONG  
GAZ141- CSTL MCINTOSH      GAZ140- INLD MCINTOSH          GAZ088- SCREVEN  
GAZ114- TATTNALL

TABLE 2: FOR THE 25 ZONES IN THESE TWO STATES, THE FOLLOWING FORECAST AND LONG-FUSED WATCH/WARNING/ADVISORY INFORMATION WILL SWITCH TO FOUR NEW PRODUCT IDENTIFIERS FROM WFO CHS.

PRODUCT DESCRIPTION		NWWS ID	WMO HEADING	--PRIOR WMO HEADING
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ZONE FORECASTS FOR SOUTHEAST SOUTH CAROLINA AND SOUTHEAST GEORGIA	/NEW/ */OLD/ */OLD/	CAEZFPCHS CAEZFPSC ATLZFPGA	FPUS52 KCHS FPUS52 KCAE FPUS52 KFFC	
FLASH FLOOD WATCHES FOR SOUTHEAST SOUTH CAROLINA AND SOUTHEAST GEORGIA	/NEW/ */OLD/ */OLD/	CAEFFACHS CAEFFACAE ATLFFAATL	WGUS62 KCHS WGUS62 KCAE WGUS62 KFFC	RWUS31 KCHS RWUS31 KCAE RWUS31 KATL
NON-PRECIPITATION WATCH/WARNING/ADVISORY FOR SOUTHEAST SOUTH CAROLINA AND SOUTHEAST GEORGIA	/NEW/ */OLD/ */OLD/	CAENPWCHS CAENPWCAE ATLNPWATL	WWUS72 KCHS WWUS72 KCAE WWUS72 KFFC	WWUS45 KCHS WWUS45 KCAE WWUS45 KATL
WINTER STORM WATCH/WARNING ADVISORY FOR SOUTHEAST SOUTH CAROLINA AND SOUTHEAST GEORGIA	/NEW/ */OLD/ */OLD/	CAEWSWCHS CAEWSWCAE ATLWSWATL	WWUS42 KCHS WWUS42 KCAE WWUS42 KFFC	

\*THESE PRODUCTS WILL CONTINUE TO EXIST...BUT WILL COVER AREAS OUTSIDE THE CHS FORECAST AREA.

FOR HOLDERS OF WEATHER SERVICE OPERATIONS MANUAL /WSOM/ CHAPTER C-11...APPENDIX A /ZONE FORECAST AREA MAPS/...THIS NOTICE UPDATES PAGES A-7...A-37 AND A-55.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS...PLEASE CONTACT:

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