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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 99-78 NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC 200 PM EDT FRI SEP 17 1999

TO: FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS

NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE /NWWS/ CUSTOMERS

OTHER NWS CUSTOMERS...PARTNERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: THERESE PIERCE

CHIEF...HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: CHANGES IN ZONE FORECAST AND STATE FORECAST DISCUSSION IDENTIFIERS AND AREA OF COVERAGE IMPROVEMENT FOR THE JACKSON MISSISSIPPI FORECAST OFFICE...EFFECTIVE NOVEMBER 15 1999

EFFECTIVE MONDAY...NOVEMBER 15 1999 AT 1100 A.M. CENTRAL STANDARD TIME /CST/ OR 1200 P.M. EASTERN STANDARD TIME /EST/...1700 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...THE WEATHER FORECAST OFFICE /WFO/ IN JACKSON MISSISSIPPI /JAN/ WILL ASSUME LONG-FUSED WATCH AND FORECAST RESPONSIBILITY FOR ITS COUNTY WARNING AND FORECAST AREA /CWFA/. CHANGES ASSOCIATED WITH THESE IMPROVEMENTS ARE OUTLINED IN OTHER PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENTS.

BECAUSE OF THESE IMPROVEMENTS...THE IDENTIFIERS AND CONTENT OF THE ZONE FORECAST PRODUCT AND STATE FORECAST DISCUSSION FOR THOSE AREAS LISTED IN TABLE 1 WILL CHANGE. CUSTOMERS MUST MAKE CHANGES TO ENSURE RECEPTION OF PRODUCTS LISTED IN TABLE 2 STARTING NOVEMBER 15 1999.

TABLE 1: THE ZONES IN THE REVISED WFO JACKSON MISSISSIPPI CWFA ADDRESSED IN PRODUCTS LISTED IN TABLE 2.

#### ZONES IN MISSISSIPPI:

ZONES/COUNTIES	UGC ZONE /Z/	ZONES/COUNTIES	UGC ZONE /Z/
OLIVAR	MSZ018	SUNFLOWER	MSZ019
LEFLORE	MSZ025	GRENADA	MSZ026
CARROLL	MSZ027	MONTGOMERY	MSZ028
WEBSTER	MSZ029	CLAY	MSZ030
LOWNDES	MSZ031	CHOCTAW	MSZ032
OKTIBBEHA	MSZ033	WASHINGTON	MSZ034
HUMPHREYS	MSZ035	HOLMES	MSZ036
ATTALA	MSZ037	WINSTON	MSZ038
NOXUBEE	MSZ039	ISSAQUENA	MSZ040
SHARKEY	MSZ041	YAZOO	MSZ042
MADISON	MSZ043	LEAKE	MSZ044
NESHOBA	MSZ045	KEMPER	MSZ046
WARREN	MSZ047	HINDS	MSZ048
RANKIN	MSZ049	SCOTT	MSZ050
NEWTON	MSZ051	LAUDERDALE	MSZ052
CLAIBORNE	MSZ053	COPIAH	MSZ054
SIMPSON	MSZ055	SMITH	MSZ056

JASPER	MSZ057	CLARKE	MSZ058
JEFFERSON	MSZ059	ADAMS	MSZ060
FRANKLIN	MSZ061	LINCOLN	MSZ062
LAWRENCE	MSZ063	JEFFERSON DAVIS	MSZ064
COVINGTON	MSZ065	JONES	MSZ066
MARION	MSZ072	LAMAR	MSZ073
FORREST	MSZ074		

### ZONES IN LOUISIANA:

ZONES/PARISHES	UGC ZONE /Z/	ZONES/COUNTIES	UGC ZONE /Z/
MOREHOUSE	LAZ007	WEST CARROLL	LAZ008
EAST CARROLL	LAZ009	RICHLAND	LAZ015
MADISON	LAZ016	FRANKLIN	LAZ023
CATAHOULA	LAZ024	TENSAS	LAZ025
CONCORDIA	LAZ026		

# ZONES IN ARKANSAS:

ZONES/COUNTIES	UGC ZONE /Z/	ZONES/COUNTIES	UGC ZONE /Z/
ASHLEY	ARZ074	CHICOT	ARZ075

# TABLE 2: PRODUCT IDENTIFIERS BEING IMPROVED

PRODU	JCT			NWWS ID	WMO HEADING
ZONE	FORECAST	PRODUCT		JANZFPJAN JANZFPMS	FPUS54 KJAN FPUS54 KJAN
AREA	FORECAST	DISCUSSION	· . · .	JANAFDJAN JANSFDJAN	FXUS64 KJAN FXUS74 KJAN

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