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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 03-19 NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC 450 PM EDT TUE APR 29 2003

TO: NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE /NWS/ OFFICES

FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION /FAA/ CUSTOMERS

FAMILY OF SERVICES /FOS/ SUBSCRIBERS

OTHER CUSTOMERS OF NWS AVIATION FORECASTS

FROM: MARK ANDREWS

CHIEF...AVIATION SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: NEW TERMINAL AERODROME FORECAST /TAF/ SERVICE FOR NORTHERN MAINE REGIONAL AIRPORT /KPQI/ NEAR PRESQUE ISLE MAINE: EFFECTIVE JULY 2 2003

NOTE: THE FOLLOWING CHANGE HAS NO IMPACT ON NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE SUBSCRIBERS.

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY JULY 2 2003 AT 1800Z COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...THE NWS OFFICE IN CARIBOU MAINE WILL BEGIN TAF SERVICE FOR NORTHERN MAINE REGIONAL AIRPORT /KPQI/ NEAR PRESQUE ISLE MAINE. BOTH ROUTINE AND UPDATED TAFS WILL BE ISSUED FOR THIS AIRPORT.

NWS PERSONNEL NEED TO ADD THE FOLLOWING IDENTIFIER TO THEIR COMMUNICATIONS SYSTEMS TO RECEIVE THE NEW TAF:

AIRPORT WMO HEADING AWIPS ID
----NORTHERN MAINE REGIONAL FTUS41 KCAR TAFPQI
PRESOUE ISLE MAINE

IN ADDITION...THE NEW TAF WILL BE ADDED TO ALL THREE OF THE FOLLOWING EXISTING TAF COLLECTIVES...WHICH ARE TRANSMITTED TO FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION /FAA/ PERSONNEL AND OTHER EXTERNAL USERS:

WMO HEADINGS	AVAILABLE TO THE FOLLOWING CUSTOMERS:
FTUS80 KWBC	NON-FAA DOMESTIC AND FAMILY OF SERVICES
FTUS90 KWBC	FAA WEATHER MESSAGE SWITCHING CENTER AND FAA FACILITIES
FTUS52 KWBC	GLOBAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS SYSTEM CUSTOMERS

HOLDERS OF NWS INSTRUCTION 10-813 /TERMINAL AERODROME FORECASTS/ SHOULD MAKE APPROPRIATE ADDITIONS TO THE APPENDICES.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING THE TAF ADDITION...PLEASE CONTACT:

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