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PUBLIC INFORMATION STATEMENT...TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 03-36 NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC 325 PM EDT MON SEP 15 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: TERMINAL AERODROME FORECAST TRANSFER IN CENTRAL NEVADA: EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 20 2003

EFFECTIVE MONDAY...OCTOBER 20 2003 AT 2000 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...100 PM PACIFIC DAYLIGHT TIME /PDT/...RESPONSIBILITY FOR ISSUING THE TONOPAH AIRPORT /KTPH/ TERMINAL AERODROME FORECAST /TAF/ IN CENTRAL NEVADA WILL TRANSFER FROM WEATHER FORECAST OFFICE /WFO/ LAS VEGAS NEVADA TO WFO ELKO NEVADA.

THE TRANSFER OF THE TONOPAH TAF IS RELATED TO OTHER SERVICE CHANGES WHICH ARE DESCRIBED IN <u>SERVICE CHANGE NOTICE 03-43</u>...WHICH WAS ISSUED ON AUGUST 20 2003 AND CORRECTED SEPTEMBER 15 2003.

NWS PERSONNEL WILL NEED TO MAKE THE FOLLOWING CHANGE TO THEIR AWIPS SYSTEMS TO CONTINUE TO RECEIVE THIS TAF:

CURRENT	CURRENT	CURRENT	NEW	NEW
AIRPORT	WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID	WMO HEADING	AWIPS ID
TONOPAH	FTUS45 KVEF	TAFTPH	FTUS45 KLKN	TAFTPH /NO CHANGE/

THE TRANSFER OF THIS TAF WILL BE TRANSPARENT TO USERS 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 TELECOMMUNICATION SYSTEM CUSTOMERS

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

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS CHANGE...PLEASE CONTACT:

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NATIONAL TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICES ARE ONLINE AT /USE LOWER CASE/:

HTTPS://WWW.WEATHER.GOV/NOTIFICATION/ARCHIVE

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