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FROM: RICHARD J. VOGT

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SUBJECT: CONVERSION OF EVANSVILLE /KVWX/ WSR-88D LEVEL II DATA STREAM:

NOVEMBER 1 2008

REFER TO TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE /TIN/ SENT NOVEMBER 26 2007 /USE LOWER CASE/:

HTTPS://WWW.WEATHER.GOV/MEDIA/NOTIFICATION/TINS/TIN07-95WSR-88D LEVEL 2.PDF

THE KVWX WSR-88D LEVEL II DATA STREAM CONTENT WILL CHANGE WHEN KVWX IS BROUGHT BACK ONLINE ON NOVEMBER 1 2008. THE DATA WILL BE TRANSMITTED AS SUPER RESOLUTION DATA IN LINE WITH THE WAY OTHER NWS WSR-88DS TRANSMIT DATA.

THE KVWX RADAR DATA ACQUISITION /RDA/ IS BEING UPGRADED TO THE WSR-88D BASELINE CONFIGURATION. AMONG OTHER BENEFITS...THE UPGRADE WILL ENABLE RADAR TO PRODUCE SUPER-RESOLUTION DATA.

WHEN KVWX RETURNS TO OPERATION...THE LEVEL II DATA FORMAT WILL REMAIN IN MSG31 AS BEFORE AT KVWX AND AT ALL OTHER SITES. FUTURE KVWX DATA WILL CONFORM TO THE DATA FORMAT USED AT OTHER NWS WSR-88D SITES. NWS PLANS TO BEGIN TRANSMITTING SUPER RESOLUTION LEVEL II DATA WHEN KVWX RETURNS TO OPERATION ON NOVEMBER 1 2008.

PLEASE SEND ANY COMMENTS OR QUESTIONS ON THIS CHANGE TO:

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