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TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 08-94  
NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC  
135 PM EST THU NOV 13 2008

TO: SUBSCRIBERS:  
-FAMILY OF SERVICES  
-NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE  
-EMERGENCY MANAGERS WEATHER INFORMATION NETWORK  
-NOAAPORT  
OTHER NWS PARTNERS...USERS AND EMPLOYEES

FROM: RICHARD J. VOGT  
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SUBJECT: DELETION OF WSR-88D SEVERE WEATHER PROBABILITY PRODUCT: EFFECTIVE  
MAY 18 2009

EFFECTIVE MAY 18 2009...WITH THE RELEASE OF WEATHER SURVEILLANCE RADAR  
1988 DOPPLER /WSR-88D/ SOFTWARE BUILD 11...THE SEVERE WEATHER PROBABILITY  
PRODUCT /PRODUCT NUMBER 47/ WILL BE DELETED FROM THE WSR-88D BASELINE AND  
THE RADAR PRODUCT CENTRAL COLLECTION DISSEMINATION SERVICE /RPCCDS/.

STARTING MARCH 16 2009...NWS WILL STOP PRODUCING AND DISSEMINATING PRODUCT  
47 AT THE BUILD 11 BETA TEST SITES. THE LOCATIONS OF THE ESTIMATED SIX  
BETA SITES AND TEST START DATES WILL BE ANNOUNCED IN ADVANCE.

NWS IS REMOVING THE SEVERE WEATHER PROBABILITY ALGORITHM AND ASSOCIATED  
PRODUCT BASED ON NEXRAD USER SURVEYS THAT INDICATED VERY FEW USERS OF THIS  
PRODUCT. ANNOUNCEMENT OF THIS DELETION WAS MADE AT THE JUNE 2008 FAMILY  
OF SERVICES MEETING.

IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS...PLEASE CONTACT:

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