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TECHNICAL IMPLEMENTATION NOTICE 09-18 NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE HEADQUARTERS WASHINGTON DC 940 AM EDT THU MAY 21 2009

- TO: SUBSCRIBERS: -FAMILY OF SERVICES -NOAA WEATHER WIRE SERVICE -EMERGENCY MANAGERS WEATHER INFORMATION NETWORK -NOAAPORT OTHER NWS PARTNERS...USERS AND EMPLOYEES
- FROM: ELI JACKS CHIEF...FIRE AND PUBLIC WEATHER SERVICES BRANCH

SUBJECT: ADDITION OF HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL PREDICTION CENTER GRIDDED CLOUD COVER PRODUCT FOR ALASKA: EFFECTIVE JUNE 30 2009

EFFECTIVE TUESDAY JUNE 30 2009 AT 1500 COORDINATED UNIVERSAL TIME /UTC/...THE HYDROMETEOROLOGICAL PREDICTION CENTER /HPC/ OF THE NATIONAL CENTERS FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PREDICTION /NCEP/ WILL BEGIN DISSEMINATING GRIDDED CLOUD COVER GUIDANCE FOR ALASKA AT A SPATIAL RESOLUTION OF SIX KILOMETERS. THESE GRIDDED BINARY TWO /GRIB2/ PRODUCTS WILL REPRESENT CLOUD COVER PERCENT FOR THE ALASKA REGION FOR DAYS 4-8. HPC WILL ISSUE THIS PRODUCT DAILY WITH A PRODUCT DEADLINE OF 2200 UTC.

THESE PRODUCTS ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE AT /USE LOWER CASE/:

HTTP://WWW.HPC.NCEP.NOAA.GOV/

AND WILL BE TRANSMITTED OVER NOAAPORT USING THE FOLLOWING WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION /WMO/ HEADERS:

WMO HEADING		PRODUCT		
LARE18	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	90
LARE24	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	96
LARF06	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	102
LARF12	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	108
LARF18	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	114
LARF24	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	120
LARG06	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	126
LARG12	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	132
LARG18	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	138
LARG24	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	144
LARH06	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	150
LARH12	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	156
LARH18	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	162
LARH24	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	168
LARI06	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	174
LARI12	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	180
LARI18	KWNH	FORECAST	HOUR	186

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IF YOU HAVE QUESTIONS REGARDING THIS NOTICE...PLEASE CONTACT:

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