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Service Change Notice 17-111 Updated National Weather Service Headquarters Silver Spring, MD 252 PM EST Fri Jan 12 2018

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Subject: Final Update: Change in Satellite Broadcast Network

(SBN) Effective from December 5, 2017, to

January 16, 2018

Update issued to confirm termination of all SES-1 services

On January 16, 2018, the dual illumination of the Galaxy 28 (G-28) and SES-1 satellite NOAAPort/SBN/NWWS services will terminate with deactivation of the SES-1 NOAAPort/SBN/NWWS interface. All current services will remain accessible via the G-28 satellite.

NWS recommends all customers complete transitioning to the G-28 at their earliest opportunity to mitigate any unexpected issues or problems which may be encountered prior to the SES-1 satellite NOAAPort/SBN/NWWS interface being deactivated. At this time, there are no planned extensions of the SES-1 services by the NWS.

Transition Schedule

-- 01/16/18

12:00 AM EST / 0500 UTC

Terminate SES-1 satellite services

G-28 satellite specifications / AWIPS

-- Location: 88.9954 (89) degrees West

-- FEC Type: DVB-S2

-- Transponder: CH117/CV117 36MHz C band

-- Modulation/Coding: 16PSK 2/3
-- Downlink Polarization: Vertical
-- Downlink Center Frequency: 4040MHz

NOTE:

DVB settings for the SBN will not change for this transition.

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If NOAAPORT/SBN/NWWS users experience problems with service during the satellite transition period, please contact the focal points below:

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