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REQUIREMENTS FOR WAFS FORECASTS

EXPLANATION OF THE TABLE

Column

- 1 WAFS forecasts required by the ASIA/PAC States, to be provided by WAFCs London and Washington
- 2 Area of coverage required for the WAFS forecasts, to be provided by WAFCs London and Washington

FORECAST REQUIRED	AREAS REQUIRED
1	2
SWH forecasts (FL 250-630) in the BUFR code form	GLOBAL
SWM forecasts (FL 100-250) in the BUFR code form	ASIA SOUTH
Forecasts of upper-air wind, temperature and humidity, cumulonimbus clouds, icing, and clear-air and in-cloud turbulence, and of geopotential altitude of flight levels in the GRIB code form	GLOBAL

Note 1. – SWM forecasts are provided for limited geographical areas as determined by regional air navigation agreement. Areas “ASIA SOUTH”, “EUR” and “MID” provided by WAF C London; area “NAT” provided by WAF C Washington.

Note 2. – WAF Cs will continue to issue forecasts of SIGWX in PNG chart form for back-up purposes for fixed areas of coverage as specified in Annex 3.