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SUBJECT: Addition of Terminal Aerodrome Forecast (TAF) Service for Aiken
Regional Airport, SC (KAIK) effective April 6, 2026

Effective April 6, 2026, at 1200 Universal Coordinated Time (UTC), the
NWS office in Columbia, SC, will begin TAF service for KAIK. After that
date, routine and updated TAFs will be issued for KAIK.

NWS personnel/offices will need to add the following identifiers to their
communications systems to receive the temporary TAFs:

Airport Name	WMO Heading	AWIPS ID
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Aiken Regional Airport	FTUS42 KCAE	TAFAIK

In addition, the new TAF will be added to the existing TAF collectives
below, which are transmitted to FAA personnel and other external users.

WMO Headings available to the following customers:

FTUS80 KWBC	Non-FAA Domestic and Family of Services
FTUS90 KWBC	FAA Weather Message Switching Center and FAA Facilities
FTUS52 KWBC	Global Telecommunication System Customers
FTUS21 KWBC	AFS routing for international customers

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