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EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

STATE EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
Daily Summary Report

DATE:
July 26, 2012

TO:
The Honorable Tom Corbett
Governor
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

FROM:
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TIME PERIOD:

This report covers the period 8:00 a.m., July 25, 2012 through 8:00 a.m., July 26, 2012.

STATUS REPORT: (as of 8:00 a.m.)

THREAT STATUS:

National Terrorism Advisory System:

There are no current alerts.

EOC STATUS:

State EOC Activation: Level 4 (Steady State)
County EOC Activations: None

CAPABILITIES STATUS:

PA All-Hazards Type-3 Incident Management Team – Mission Capable

INFRASTRUCTURE STATUS:

Major Road Closures: None
Telephone Outage Reports: None
Power Outage Reports: None

OPEN:

None

CLOSED:

None

DISASTER DECLARATIONS:

None

CONTIGUOUS STATE EVENTS OF POTENTIAL INTEREST TO PENNSYLVANIA:

Delaware: No significant events at this time.
Maryland: No significant events at this time.
New Jersey: No significant events at this time.
New York: No significant events at this time.
Ohio: No significant events at this time.
West Virginia: No significant events at this time.

WEATHER:

24-hour Projected Weather Statewide:

National Weather Service, 4:03 a.m., 7/26/12

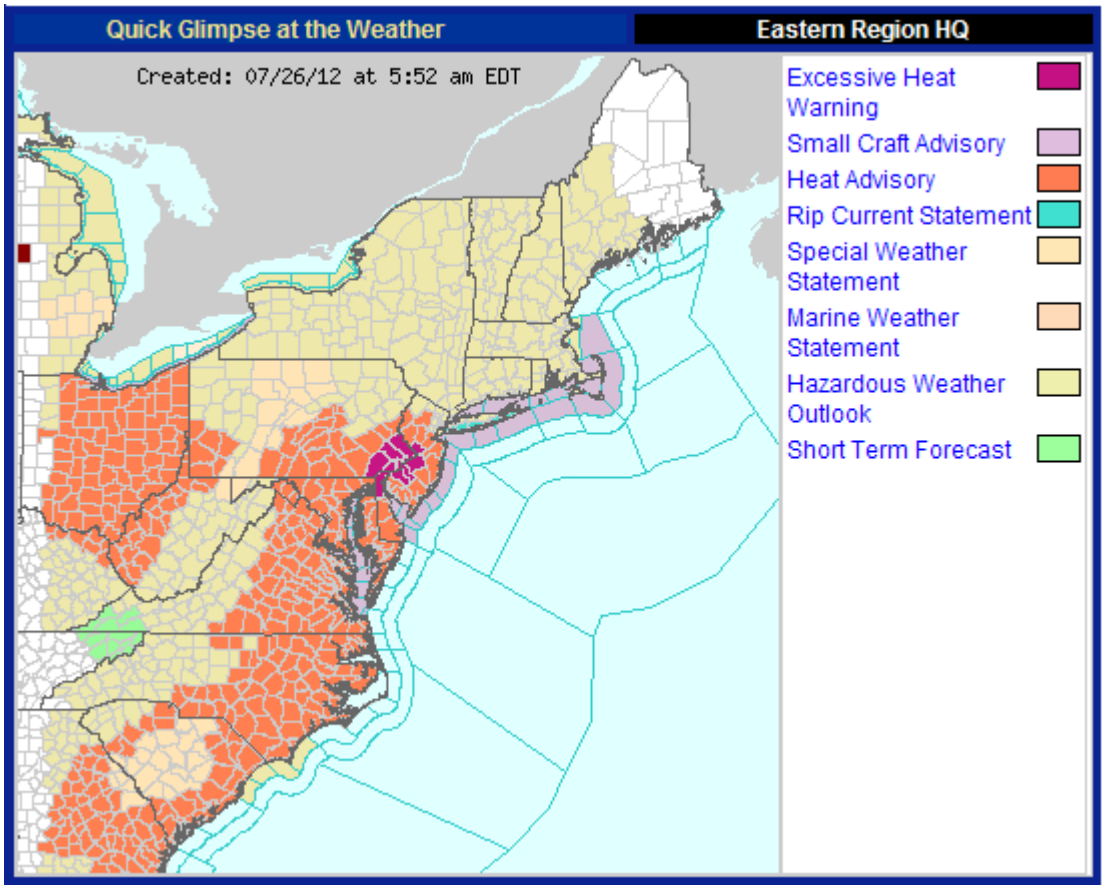
A warm front will push northeast through Pennsylvania early this morning accompanied by a thunderstorm in some spots. Behind the front temperatures will soar to near 100 degrees across the southeast part of the state where mostly sunny skies are expected. Further north the heat will be tempered by more cloud cover and scattered afternoon thunderstorms. A few of the storms across central and northern Pennsylvania could be severe this afternoon and evening.

A slow moving cold front will push south across the region tonight and Friday accompanied by high humidity and scattered thunderstorms. Lows tonight will range from the mid 60s over the northwest mountains to near 80 in Philadelphia. Under partly sunny skies highs Friday will range from near 80 over the northwest part of the Commonwealth to the mid 90s in the southeast.

Note: The SEOC will continue to monitor the National Weather Service forecasts throughout the day. State agencies have been briefed on the potential for severe weather and they are ready to provide assistance to the counties as needed.

WATCHES AND WARNINGS:

The National Weather Service has issued a series of excessive heat advisories and warnings for numerous counties in the Commonwealth through the evening of 7/26/12.



NOAA / SPACE WEATHER PREDICTION CENTER:

3-day Solar-Geo-Physical Forecast, 10:00 p.m., 7/25/12:

Solar Activity Forecast: Solar activity is expected to be very low to low.

Geophysical Activity Forecast: The geomagnetic field is expected to be mostly quiet on days 1 - 2 (26 - 27 July). By mid to late on day 3 (28 July), a recurrent coronal hole high speed stream is expected to rotate into a geoeffective position resulting in unsettled to active conditions.