

FIFTY-FIFTH SESSION OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL  
Geneva, 26 – 28 May 2003  
ABRIDGED REPORT WITH RESOLUTION  
WMO – No. 961

Resolution 8 (EC-LV) – REPORT OF THE EXTRAORDINARY SESSION (2002) OF THE COMMISSION FOR  
BASIC SYSTEMS

THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL,  
NOTING the Abridged Final Report with Resolutions and Recommendations of the Extraordinary Session (2002)  
of the Commission for Basic Systems (WMO-No. 955),

DECIDES,

- (1) To note the report;
- (2) To note Resolution 1 (CBS-Ext. (02)) and Resolution 1, 2 and 3 (CBS-XII);
- (3) To take action on each of the recommendations as follows:

Recommendations 4 (CBS-Ext. (02)) – Amendments to the Manual on Codes (WMO-No. 306), Volume I.1,  
Alphanumeric codes and Volume I.2, Binary codes and common features

- (a) Approves the following amendments take effect from 5 November 2003:
  - (iii) Amendments to FM 12-XI Ext. SYNOP, FM 13-XI Ext. SHIP, FM 14-XI Ext. SYNOP MOBIL,  
FM 75-XII CLIMAT TEMP and FM 76-XII CLIMAT TEMP SHIP;
- (c) Request the Secretary-General to incorporate these amendments in Volume I.1 and I.2 of the Manual  
on Codes;