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DATE: December 8, 2008
6:00 p.m.

TO: Governor Jim Doyle

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SUBJECT: SITUATION REPORT ON WINTER WEATHER #1

OVERVIEW –Winter Storm Warnings and Winter Weather Advisories are in effect for much of central and southern Wisconsin through Tuesday night. Low pressure over the Texas panhandle will move northeast toward the lower Great Lakes tonight and Tuesday. A mixture of snow, sleet, and freezing rain over southern Wisconsin, and heavy wet snow over central Wisconsin will continue through tonight. The precipitation will become heavy later this evening and overnight. The mixed precipitation will turn to all snow on Tuesday. Significant snow and ice accumulations are expected during this time period

The Emergency Operations Center (EOC) was activated at 3 p.m. to monitor the storm. Representatives from Wisconsin Emergency Management, Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Wisconsin State Patrol, Wisconsin National Guard, and the National Weather Service/NOAA are staffing the EOC.

Wisconsin DOT - As of 6:00 PM today, Monday December 8, until sunrise Thursday, December 11, all oversized and overweight permit operations under either single or multiple trip permits IS SUSPENDED within the geographical area on and south of highways I-94, Wis 29, Wis 22, and all roadways in Door County.

For further information, contact Wisconsin Emergency Management at 608-242-3232.