

## Editor Comments:

I am pleased to inform you that your paper has been accepted for publication. The revision is a substantial improvement on the original. Please check this technical corrections:

Page 1 line 32 please update the web address <https://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/hazstats.shtml> to <https://www.weather.gov/hazstat/> (check all the web address).

**Done.**

Page 2 line 43 replace [UN, 2006] by (UN, 2006).

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