(1) VOLCANO OBSERVATORY NOTICE FOR AVIATION (VONA)

(2) Issued: 20170317/2216Z (3) Volcano: Etna 211060

(4) Current Color Code: **RED**

(5) Previous Color Code: ORANGE

(6) Source: Etna Volcano Observatory

(7) Notice Number: 2017/0012/02E03
(8) Volcano Location: 3744N 01500E

(9) Area: Italy (10) Summit Elevation: 3300 m

STRONG STROMBOLIAN ACTIVITY IS OBSERVED FROM

(11) Volcanic Activity Summary: 2315Z AT NEW SE CRATER (NSEC) SUMMIT VENT -

SIGNIFICANT ASH EMISSION OCCURS

(12) Volcanic cloud height:

(13) Other volcanic cloud information: GREY CLOUD OF ASH AND VAPOR GROWING ABOVE

VOLCANO SUMMIT

(14) Remarks: THE PHENOMENON IS OBSERVED BY

VIDEOSURVEILLANCE CAMERAS FROM 2315Z

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A new VONA will be issued

if conditions change significantly

(16) Next Notice: or color code changes.

Volcano information and updates

are posted at http://www.ct.ingv.it/it/vona.html