



Government of Odisha
Office of Special Relief Commissioner

No. 4890 /R&DM(DM)

Date: 20.08.2020

MESSAGE

TO: ALL COLLECTORS

FROM: SPECIAL RELIEF COMMISSIONER & ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVT.

INFO: COMMISSIONER-CUM-SECRETARY TO GOVT. F&ARD/ ALL RDCs/ ADG, LAW & ORDER/ IG, FIRE SERVICES/ COMMANDANT, NDRF 03 BN, MUNDALI/ EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR (ADMN.), OSDMA

WELL-MARKED LOW PRESSURE AREA OVER NORTH INTERIOR ODISHA AND ADJOINING JHARKHAND AND HEAVY RAINFALL ACTIVITY OVER ODISHA (.)

- 1. AS PER THE SPECIAL BULLETIN-3 ISSUED BY IMD TODAY (DT.20.8.2020),** THE WELL-MARKED LOW PRESSURE AREA OVER NORTH COASTAL ODISHA AND NEIGHBOURHOOD, NOW LIES OVER NORTH INTERIOR ODISHA AND ADJOINING JHARKHAND, WITH ASSOCIATED CYCLONIC CIRCULATION EXTENDING UPTO 7.6 KM ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL TILTING SOUTH-WESTWARD WITH HEIGHT. IT IS VERY LIKELY TO MOVE NEARLY WESTWARD ACROSS CHHATTISGARH AND MADHYA PRADESH GRADUALLY DURING NEXT 3-4 DAYS (.)
- 2. A FRESH LOW PRESSURE AREA** IS LIKELY TO DEVELOP OVER NORTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL AND NEIGHBOURHOOD AROUND 23RD AUGUST.2020 (.)
- 3. SW MONSOON HAS BEEN VIGOROUS OVER ODISHA.** MODERATE RAINFALL HAS OCCURRED AT MOST PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF ODISHA WITH HEAVY TO VERY HEAVY RAINFALL AT A FEW PLACES & EXTREMELY HEAVY RAINFALL AT ONE OR TWO PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF NORTH & SOUTH INTERIOR ODISHA AND HEAVY RAINFALL AT ONE OR TWO PLACES OVER THE DISTRICT OF PURI OF SOUTH COASTAL ODISHA.
- 4. WEATHER FORECAST AND WARNING:** SQUALLY WEATHER SURFACE WIND SPEED REACHING 45-55 KMPH VERY LIKELY OVER NORTH BAY OF BENGAL AND ALONG & OFF ODISHA COAST (.)

DAY 1 (VALID UP TO 0830 HRS IST OF 21.08.2020).

RED WARNING: HEAVY TO VERY HEAVY RAINFALL AT A FEW PLACES WITH ISOLATED EXTREMELY HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR OVER THE DISTRICTS OF KORAPUT, NAWARANGPUR, MALKANGIRI, SUNDARGARH AND DEOGARH (.)

ORANGE WARNING: HEAVY TO VERY HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ONE OR TWO PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF NUAPADA, KALAHANDI, BOLANGIR, BARGARH, JHARSUGUDA, SAMBALPUR, KEONJHAR AND MAYURBHANJ (.)

YELLOW WARNING: HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ISOLATED PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF KANDHAMAL, BOUDH, SONEPUR, ANGUL, DHENKANAL, JAJPUR, AND BALASORE (.)

DAY 2 (VALID FROM 0830 HRS IST OF 21.08.2020 UP TO 0830 HRS IST OF 22.08.2020) : **NIL**

DAY 3 (VALID FROM 0830 HRS IST OF 22.08.2020 UP TO 0830 HRS IST OF 23.08.2020)

YELLOW WARNING: HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ISOLATED PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF BALASORE, MAYURBHANJ, BHADRAK, SUNDARGARH, AND DHENKANAL (.)

DAY 4 (VALID FROM 0830 HRS IST OF 23.08.2020 UP TO 0830 HRS IST OF 24.08.2020)

YELLOW WARNING: 1. HEAVY TO VERY HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ONE OR TWO PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF BALASORE, BHADRAK, JAJPUR, KENDRAPADA, JAGATSINGHPUR, PURI, MALKANGIRI (.) 2. HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ONE OR TWO PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF MAYURBHANJ, KEONJHAR AND SUNDARGARH (.)

DAY 5 (VALID FROM 0830 HRS IST OF 24.08.2020 UP TO 0830 HRS IST OF 25.08.2020)

ORANGE WARNING : HEAVY TO VERY HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ONE OR TWO PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF MAYURBHANJ, BALASORE, JAJPUR, BHADRAK, KEONJHAR, KENDRAPADA, CUTTACK, DHENKANAL, ANUGUL, AND DEOGARH (.)

YELLOW WARNING : HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ISOLATED PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF MALKANGIRI, KORAPUT, BOLANGIR, KALAHANDI, SAMBALPUR, SONEPUR AND NAWARANGPUR (.)

5. **WEATHER WARNING FOR FISHERMEN OF ODISHA COAST:** FISHERMEN ARE ADVISED NOT TO VENTURE INTO SEA ALONG AND OFF ODISHA COAST DURING NEXT 24 HOURS. (.)

ADVISORY TO COLLECTORS

SITUATION MAY BE CLOSELY MONITORED (.) DISTRICTS UNDER RED, ORANGE & YELLOW WARNING TO REMAIN PREPARED TO MEET ANY WATER LOGGING/ LOCALISED FLOOD LIKE SITUATION INCLUDING URBAN AREAS (.) ADVICE FOR FISHERMEN TO BE STRICTLY IMPLEMENTED (.)

 20/08/2020

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(DISASTER MANAGEMENT)