# State Emergency Operation Center, Bhubaneswar, Odisha Updated Situation Report on Very Sever Cyclone "TITLI" Date: 12.10.2018, Time: 6.00 PM

The Very Severe Cyclonic Storm 'TITLI' crossed the coast near Palasa in Srikakulam district of Andhra Pradesh to the southwest of Gopalpur as a very severe cyclonic storm with estimated maximum sustained surface wind speed of 140-150 kmph gusting to 165 kmph between 0430 and 0530 hours IST of 11th October 2018. Gopalpur recorded 126 kmph wind speed at 0430 hrs IST of 11th October.

In the mean time the system has weakened into a Deep Depression and lay centered at 1430 hrs IST of the 12th October 2018 over Odisha about 80 km southwest of Keonjharagarh. It is likely to continue to move northeastwards towards Gangetic West Bengal and weaken into a well marked low pressure area during next 18 hours.

Under the influence of the System heavy to very heavy/ extremely heavy rain has occurred in different parts of Odisha.

**Rainfall during last 24 hours:** Average rainfall of the state recorded on 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018 for the last 24 hours is 74.1 mm. Nine districts have recorded average rainfall more than 100 mm. The districts are Kandhamal- 230.9 mm, Gajapati- 205.8 mm, Cuttack- 166.1 mm, Nayagarh- 161.5 mm, Khordha- 154.7 mm, Puri- 128.9 mm, Boudh- 118.3 mm, Dhenkanal- 106.6 mm and Jagatsinghpur- 105.8 mm

**Flood Situation:** Due to heavy downpour flood situation has arisen in the river Rushikulya and Vanshadhara.

#### **River's Water Level in Mtr**

River	Forecast Station	DL	WL	Present Water Level (At 9.00 AM)	Present Water Level (At 12 PM)	Present Water Level (At 3PM)
Vansadhara	Gunupur	84.00	83.00	84.35 F	83.51 F	83.10 F
	Kashinagar	54.60	53.60	56.30 R	55.90 F	54.95 F
Rushikulya	Purushotampur	16.83	15.83	18.60 R	18.45 F	18.40 F
Jalaka	Mathani	05.50		5.80 F	05.80 S	5.82 R

- No. of District Affected: 6 (Gajapati, Ganjam, Rayagada, Puri, Kandhamal & Kendrapada)
- No. of Blocks Affected: 52 (Gajapati-7, Ganjam-22, Puri-6, Kendrapada-9, Kandhamal-6, Rayagada-2)
- Population Affected: 38, 77,044
- Persons evacuated and sheltered: 3,25,644 persons were evacuated and sheltered in 1162 relief centres on account of cyclone and subsequent flood. Today, 1, 27,262 persons stands evacuated and sheltered in 963 relief centres

#### **Infrastructure Damage:**

- Electricity and road communication disrupted due to falling of trees in Gajapati District.
- Major portion of Foot Bridge over Kalingadala barrage (River Bahuda) has been washed away due to heavy rain in Ganjam district. Rushikulya water has entered into Aska jail after damaging the main gate.
- Trees have fallen in some places causing road blocks in Rayagada district.
- Land slide occurred at Bengedangaghat, Daringibadi due to heavy rainfall In Kandhamal District. 4 bridges have been damaged.
- House Damaged: As per preliminary estimate, 1514 numbers of houses damaged in Ganjam, Kandhamal and Puri district. (Ganjam- 1455, Puri-38, Kandhmal- 21)
- Crop Damage: 85612 hect (approx) of Crop area affected in Ganjam district
- Livestock: As per preliminary estimate 50000 livestock affected & 1543 livestock casualty occurred.

# **Action Taken**

### 1. Gajapati

- 13,139 persons have been evacuated and sheltered in 161 shelters
- Fire Service Team & NDRF team engaged in cutting of trees for road clearance.
- Road from Kashinagar to Paralakhemundi and Gumma to Paralakhemundi and other roads have been cleared
- DG (Fire Services) has sent 45 power saws and manpower available at Cuttack to Gajapati district
- OFDC has sent 70 skilled persons with 13 Power Saws & axe and other equipment for road clearances
- 6 rescue team consisting 30 personnel with 6 boats are in operation in Gajapati district
- 34 teams with 50 Power saw are working to clear up roads from Mohana to Paralakhemundi and other roads

#### 2. Ganjam

- No. of free kitchen centers opened- 395
- 94265 people have been in evacuated and sheltered in 683 shelters
- Gopalpur Road, Berhampur town road, medical college internal roads, Hinjili-Seragada SH cleared. All most all important roads cleared in the district
- 42 nos. of mobile medical teams deployed
- 145 nos. of Medical Relief Centres opened
- 115 Pregnant women shifted to Maa Gruha
- 50 team consisting of 150 personnel with power saw are engaged in clearing the falling trees on roads.
- 150 personnel divided into 25 teams with 25 power boats deployed to different places for rescue operation.
- Additional 12 teams consisting of 65 personnel mobilized from Cuttack, Bhubaneswar and Puri deployed to Aska for rescue & relief

# 3. Rayagada

- 16 Free kictchen centers at 14 villages are in operation at Gunupur & Rayagada covering 1138 beneficiaries.
- Polythene have been distributed to the people whose houses are damaged

- Fire Services deployed to the affected areas.
- Road clearing is going on.
- 1 Medical Relief Centre opened
- 26 Pregnant women shifted to Maa Gruha.

#### 4. Puri

- Cooked food & Chuda have been provided to 15798 persons
- No. of Relief Camps Opened- 62
- 3 pumps have been utilized in Puri city for dewatering

### 5. Kandhamal

• 290 persons have been evacuated and sheltered in 3 shelters

# 6. Kendrapada

• 2632 persons have been evacuated and sheltered in 38 shelters

#### 7. Bhubaneswar and Cuttack cities

- 12 Pumps in Bhubaneswar have been used for dewatering the water logged areas.
- 10 Pumps in Cuttack have been used for dewatering the water logged areas
- 8. **Other Action:** Two Naval Helicopters requisitioned from Indian Navy has reached Gopalpur. Air dropping operation will start from tomorrow morning in Aska, Ganjam district.

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