

GOVERNMENT OF SINDH REHABILITATION DEPARTMENT PROVINCIAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

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SITUATION UPDATE

- The relief activities in the drought hit districts of Tharparkar and Umerkot continue since last more than 10 days.
- The Board of Revenue Sindh today notified two more districts of Sanghar and Khairpur as drought calamity. 7 dehs in two Talukas of Sanghar i.e. Khipro and Sanghar and 14 dehs in Taluka Nara of Khairpur have been notified as drought hit areas.
- Till-to-date, 17,762 persons in Tharparkar, 7334 in Umerkot and 3842 persons in Sanghar have been treated in various fixed and mobile hospitals.
- 2,249,171 cattlehead in Tharparkar, 30,350 in Umerkot and 21,841 cattelhead in Sanghar have been treated/vaccinated till to-date.
- 02 children under 5 years age in Umerkot have died according to the report of concerned Deputy Commissioner.
- PDMA Sindh has dispatched a total of 4000 family ration bags to drought affected districts on 16.03.2014. The dispatch includes 1000 bags each to Talukas Islamkot and Diplo of Tharparkar District, 1000 bags to Umerkot and 1000 bags to Taluka Khipro of Sanghar district.
- Till to date, 173,892 families have been provided 50 kg wheat bags in Tharparkar.
- 3 trucks carrying relief goods received at Relief Collection Camp at Karachi have also been dispatched to drought hit areas of Sanghar.
- PDMA Camp Office at Mithi and PEOC at Head Office Karachi are functional round the clock.