



PROVINCIAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY
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GOVERNMENT OF SINDH
PLOT NO 26-C MAIN KHAYABAN E JAMI
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CYCLONE TAUKTAE ALERT- 9

The Deputy Commissioner (s) / Chairman DDMA

Karachi, South, West, Malir, Kemari, East, Central, Korangi,
Hyderabad, Thatta, Sujawal, Badin, Mirpurkhas, Tando Allahyar, Tharparkar, Umerkot,
Sanghar & Shaheed Benzieabad.

Subject: Tropical Cyclone “TAUKTAE” Alert in the Southeast Arabian Sea

Pakistan Met Office informed that The Very Severe Cyclonic Storm “TAUKTAE” has tracked Northward at a speed of 15 Kmph during last 12 hours and now lay centered at 2000PST, 17 May 2021 near latitude 20.4N and longitude 71.2E, at a distance of about 580 km south of Thatta & 650 km south-southeast of Karachi. Maximum sustained winds around the system center are 180-200 Kmph gusting 220 Kmph. The system is likely to move further northward for some time, then recurve towards Northeast and cross Indian Gujarat by midnight today.

None of the Pakistan coastal area is under threat. However, under its influence, dust/thunderstorm-rain with few moderate to heavy falls and gusty winds of 40-60 Kmph are likely to occur in Tharparker & Umerkot districts, at isolated places in Badin & Sanghar districts during next 36 hours. Very hot & dry weather with gusty winds likely to continue in Karachi, Hyderabad, Shaeed- Banzirabad, Badin, Mirpurkhas, Tando Allahyar & Thatta districts till tomorrow evening. Gusty winds may affect the fruit orchards in above mentioned districts. Sea Conditions will remain rough to very rough and fishermen of Sindh are advised to suspend their activities till 19 May 2021

However, it is requested to please take precautionary measures to avert loss of life & property.

(Signature)
(Maqsood Hussain Soomro)
Assistant Director (Operations)

A copy is forwarded for information & necessary action to:

1. The Secretary Health, Department Govt of Sindh, Karachi
2. The Secretary Local Govt Department, Govt of Sindh, Karachi.
3. The Secretary (GA) SGA&CD Govt. of Sindh, Karachi.
4. The Secretary, Fisheries, Department, Govt of Sindh, Karachi.
5. The Secretary, Live Stock, Department, Govt of Sindh, Karachi.

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6. The Director Information, Information Department, Karachi (For publication)
7. The Commissioner (S) Karachi & Hyderabad, Sh. Benazirabad Divisions.
8. The Director (Response) NDMA, Islamabad.
9. The Head Quarters ComKar, Karachi.
10. The Head Quarters ComCoast, Karachi.
11. The Head Quarters Engineers 5 Corps, Karachi.
12. The Deputy Secretary (Staff) to Chief Minister Sindh, Karachi.
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14. The PS to Minister, Rehabilitation Department, Govt of Sindh, Karachi.
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16. The PS to Director General PDMA Sindh, Karachi