

No. PDMA(S)/7(78)/15/396 PROVINCIAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY REHABILITATION DEPARTMENT GOVERNMENT OF SINDH PLOT NO. 26-C, MAIN KHAYABAN-E-JAMI, DHA PHASE-VII, KARACHI Phone: 021-99332003-5, Fax: 021-99332007



<u>MOST URGENT</u> BY FAX / WHATSAPP

Dated: 12th August, 2022

To, Chairman DDMA's/ Deputy Commissioner (All in Sindh)

DEPRESSION ALERT-II

Subject: DEPRESSION OVER NORTHEAST ARABIAN SEA

Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD) has informed vide its Depression Alert-II, dated, 12th August, 2022, at 2200 hours, that, the **Depression (Intense Low-Pressure Area)** over Northeast Arabian Sea has moved nearly in west-northwest direction during last 8 hours and now located near Latitude 22.5N and Longitude 65.0 E, at a distance of about **330km southwest of Karachi**, **370km from Thatta and 290km south of Ormara**. Maximum sustained surface winds are **45km/hour** gusting to **55km/hour** around the system centre. The system is likely to move further in west-northwest direction.

Currently none of Pakistan coastal area is under any threat from this weather system. PMD Tropical Cyclone Warning Centre, Karachi is closely monitoring the system and updates will be issued accordingly.

Possible Impacts

- Sea conditions would remain very rough during **next 3 days**.
- Fishermen of Sindh are advised not to venture in open sea till **14th August**.

All concerned Authorities are requested to remain vigilant and keep them abreast for update through PMD and PDMA websites.

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A copy is forwarded for information & necessary action to:

- 1. The Senior Member Board of Revenue / Relief Commissioner Sindh, Govt. of Sindh, Karachi.
- 2. The Secretary to Chief Minister, Chief Minister's House/ Secretariat, Karachi.
- 3. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Local Government Department, Karachi.
- 4. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Health Department, Karachi.
- 5. The Secretary to Government of Sindh. Agriculture Department, Karachi.
- 6. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Irrigation Department, Karachi.
- 7. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Information Department, Karachi (With a request for wide publicity through the electronic & print media).
- 8. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Livestock Department, Karachi



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- 9. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Forest Department, Karachi
- 10. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Environment, Climate Change & Coastal Development Department, Karachi
- 11. The Commissioner (s) (all in Sindh).
- 12. The Director General, Sindh Building Control Authority, Karachi.
- 13. The Director General, Sindh Coastal Development Authority, Karachi.
- 14. The Director General Climate Change, Directorate General of Climate Change Sindh, Karachi.
- 15. The Managing Director, Karachi Water and Sewerage Board.
- 16. The Chief Executive Officer, Sindh Integrated Emergency Health Services, Karachi.
- 17. The Deputy Secretary (Staff) to Chief Minister Sindh, Karachi.
- 18. The Deputy Secretary (Staff) to Chief Secretary Sindh, Karachi.
- 19. The Director (Response), National Disaster Management Authority, Islamabad.
- 20. The Project Director, Hub Dam Project, Street.1/5, Block-U, North Nazimabad, Karachi
- 21. The Head Quarters ComCoast Karachi.
- 22. The Head Quarters ComKar, Karachi
- 23. The Head Quarters, 5 Corps, Karachi.
- 24. The Chief Executive Officer, HESCO/SEPCO/K-Electric (with a request to ensure availability of uninterrupted power supply to the Essential Services Department, Hospitals and KW&SB/WASA Pumping Stations).
- 25. The Chief Executive, Edhi Foundation, Al Mustafa Welafre Trust, Alarngir Welfare Trust, Alkhidmat foundation, Khidmate-Khaliq Foundation, Paksitan Red Crescent Sindh, Chhipa Welafre Organization
- 26. The Staff Officer to Chairman, National Disaster Management Authority, Islamabad.
- 27. The Incharge Rescue, 1122, Karachi.
- 28. The PS to Advisor to Chief Minister Sindh, for Relief & Rehabilitation, Karachi.
- 29. The PS to Secretary to Government Sindh, Rehabilitation Department, Karachi.
- 30. The PS to Director General, Provincial Disaster Management Authority, Sindh, Karachi.