



**PROVINCIAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY  
REHABILITATION DEPARTMENT  
GOVERNMENT OF SINDH**

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No. PDMA(S)/AD(Ops)/Spl Adv/GH/Tha&Jsh/2022

Karachi, Dated 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 2022

To,

The Deputy Commissioner(s) / Chairmen DDMA's,  
Thatta and Jamshoro Districts.

Subject: **SPECIAL ADVISORY – RAIN/ THUNDERSTORM (2<sup>ND</sup> -05<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 2022)**

I am directed to refer to the subject cited above.

2/- As per the weather warning issued by this authority, No. PDMA(S)/7(78)/15/342 dated 01<sup>st</sup> July, 2022, (Copy enclosed) there is most likely possibility of thunderstorm and rain throughout the province specifically in district Thatta and Jamshoro from 2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> July, 2022. Therefore, large number of tourists may venture towards Keenjhar Lake (District Thatta) and Al-Manzar spot on Kotri Barrage (District Jamshoro), during the mentioned dates.

3/- The influx of tourists in prevailing / likely weather conditions, inadequate road capacity and limited boarding / lodging facilities if not handled well by local administration and relevant Authorities may lead towards any untoward situation/ incident.

4/- Therefore, the concerned Deputy Commissioner(s) / Chairmen DDMA's and other relevant Authorities are directed to ensure following: -

- a. Effective traffic control / management towards visitor spots.
- b. Ensure placement of breakdown / tow vehicles and mechanical / vehicle repair teams at vulnerable locations, enroute to the said tourist spots.
- c. Entry / Exit should be monitored to control entry of specified number of vehicles based on capacity of the area.
- d. Mass awareness campaign to update tourists from moving towards a particular spot.
- e. Placing Rescue Services on high alert including their forward positioning and timely response.
- f. Arrangements to accommodate stranded people in case of any emergency.

5/- It is pertinent to mention that in light of the PDMA Sindh's recent weather advisory concerning dust-thunderstorms/rain in Jamshoro and Thatta Districts, the scenario could get more problematic, increasing the difficulties for the tourists/ local masses. As a result, the critical factor of key stakeholders implementing mitigating measures takes on even more importance.

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7. The Director General, Climate Change, Karachi.
8. The Director General, Pakistan Meteorological Department, Islamabad.
9. The Divisional Commissioner, Hyderabad.
10. The Managing Director, Sindh Tourism Development Corporation, Karachi.
11. The Deputy Secretary (Staff) to Chief Minister Sindh, Karachi.
12. The Deputy Secretary (Staff) to Chief Secretary Sindh, Karachi.
13. The Director (Response), National Disaster Management Authority, Islamabad.
14. The Project Director, Sindh Resilience Project, Karachi.
15. The Chief Executive Officer, Sindh Integrated Health Services.
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17. The Headquarters ComCoast, Karachi.
18. The Headquarters Engineers, 5 Corps, Karachi.
19. The Staff Officer to Chairman, National Disaster Management Authority, Islamabad.
20. The Senior Superintendent of Police, District Thatta and Jamshoro.
21. The PS to Advisor to Chief Minister, Rehabilitation and Relief Department.
22. The PS to Secretary to Government of Sindh, Rehabilitation Department, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
23. The PS to Director General, Provincial Disaster Management Authority, Sindh, Karachi