

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



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WEATHER OUTLOOK

Subject: <u>RAIN/THUNDERSTORM IS EXPECTED IN KARACHI AND OTHER</u> <u>DISTRICTS OF THE PROVINCE</u>

Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD) has issued a press release dated 13th July, 2022, that, hot and humid weather is likely to prevail over most parts of the province. However partly cloudy to cloudy with **chances of thunderstorms/rain** in **Thatta, Badin, Dadu, Jamshoro, Mithi, Tharparkar, Umerkot, Islamkot, Mirpur Khas, Jacobabad, Qambar-Shahdadkot and Kashmore** districts. However partly cloudy to cloudy with **chances of light rain/drizzle** in Karachi

For the next 48 hours, widespread rain thunderstorms with few heavy/very heavy falls are likely to occur in Karachi division, Hyderabad, Thatta, Badin, Mirpurkhas, Umerkot, Tharparker, TM Khan, Tando Allayer, Sanghar, Nawabshah, Noshahro Feroze, Khairpur, Sukkur, Larkana, Jacobabad, Qambar-Shahdadkot, Dadu, Jamshoro, Shikarpur, Ghotki and Kashmore districts.

Keeping in view above, it is recommended that concerned Deputy Commissioners/ Chairmen DDMA other relevant authorities/ stakeholders may take all necessary precautionary measures including:

- Ensure availability of dewatering machines and the staff during rainfall.
- Improve coordination with emergency services, also with various line departments.
- Establishment of helpline Cell number to address needs of affected people at priority basis.
- Ensure provision of water and necessary emergency medicines to the general public during emergency.
- Stockpile necessary emergency relief/ medicine stores especially in affected areas.
- Ensure availability of uninterrupted power supply through intimate coordination with concerned line departments and provision / availability of standby generators for hospitals.



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- Emergency services and ambulances with trained paramedics to remain available round the clock.
- Emergency Services / Fire Brigades to remain alert for possible fire incidents and ensure preventive measures against fires due to electrification, where possible.
- Coordinate with concerned departments (NHA, NH&MP and FWO) for issuing necessary alerts to travelers, especially over long distances to take precaution and avoid over exposure to the rainfall.

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A copy is forwarded for information & necessary action to:

- 1. The Secretary to Chief Minister, Chief Minister's House/ Secretariat, Karachi.
- 2. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Local Government Department, Karachi.
- 3. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Health Department, Karachi.
- 4. The Secretary to Government of Sindh. Agriculture Department, Karachi.
- 5. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Information Department, Karachi (With a request for wide publicity through the electronic & print media).
- 6. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Livestock Department, Karachi
- 7. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Forest Department, Karachi
- 8. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Environment, Climate Change & Coastal Development Department, Karachi
- 9. The Commissioner (s) (all in Sindh).
- 10. The Director General, Sindh Building Control Authority, Karachi.
- 11. The Director General, Sindh Coastal Development Authority, Karachi.
- 12. The Director General Climate Change, Directorate of Climate Change Sindh, Karachi.
- 13. The Managing Director, Karachi Water and Sewerage Board.
- 14. The Managing Director, Sindh Tourism Development Corporation, Karachi.
- 15. The Deputy Controller, Directorate of Tourist Services, Karachi.
- 16. The Deputy Commissioner (s) / Chairmen DDMAs (all in Sindh).
- 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 Head Quarters ComCoast Karachi.
- 21. The Head Quarters ComKar, Karachi
- 22. The Head Quarters, 5 Corps, Karachi.



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- 23. The Chief Executive Officer, HESCO/SEPCO/K-Electric (with a request to ensure availability of uninterrupted power supply to the Essential Services Department and Hospitals).
- 24. The Chief Executive, Edhi Foundation, Al Mustafa Welafre Trust, Alarngir Welfare Trust, Khidmate-Khaliq Foundation, Paksitan Red Crescent Sindh, Chhipa Welafre Organization
- 25. The Staff Officer to Chairman, National Disaster Management Authority, Islamabad.
- 26. The PS to Advisor to Chief Minister Sindh, for Relief & Rehabilitation, Karachi.
- 27. The PS to Secretary to Government Sindh, Rehabilitation Department, Karachi.
- 28. The PS to Director General, Provincial Disaster Management Authority, Sindh, Karachi.