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**PROVINCIAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY**  
**REHABILITATION DEPARTMENT**  
**GOVERNMENT OF SINDH**  
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**MOST URGENT**  
**BY FAX/WHATSAPP**

**Dated: 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2023**

To,

**The Deputy Commissioner(s)/Chairman DDMA(s)**  
East, West, South, Central, Korangi, Keamari, Malir districts

**Subject** **WELL-MARKED LOW-PRESSURE AREA OVER SOUTHWEST ARABIAN SEA**

Pakistan Meteorological Department has informed that a well-marked low-pressure area (strong weather system) lies over Southwest Arabian Sea at around Latitude **9.5 °N** & Longitude **61.5 °E** at a distance of about **1810km** southwest of Karachi & **1750km** south of Gwadar. Due to favorable environmental conditions, the system is likely to intensify further into a Depression and move in west/northwest direction towards Oman-Yemen coast. None of the Pakistan coastal area is likely to be impacted by the system.

2. In view of the above, the Deputy Commissioner(s)/ Chairman DDMA(s) are requested to take necessary precautionary measures.

  
**(AJAY KUMAR SEWANI)**  
**ASSISTANT DIRECTOR (OPS-II)**

A copy is forwarded for information & necessary action to:

1. The Senior Member Board of Revenue, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
2. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Home Department, Karachi.
3. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Health Department, Karachi.
4. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Irrigation Department, Karachi.
5. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Information and Archives Department, Karachi (With a request for wide publicity through the electronic & print media).
6. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Environment, Climate Change & Coastal Development Department, Karachi.
7. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, (GA) SGA&CD, Karachi.
8. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Works and Services Departments Karachi.
9. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Food Department Karachi.
10. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Agriculture Department Karachi.
11. The Secretary to Government of Sindh, Livestock & Fisheries Department, Karachi.
12. The Inspector General of Police, Sindh, Karachi.
13. The Commissioner(s) All Concerned.
14. The Director General, Health Services Sindh, at Hyderabad.
15. The Director General, Livestock & Fisheries Sindh, at Hyderabad
16. The Director General, Coastal Development Authority, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
17. The Director General, Pakistan Maritime Security Agency, Karachi.
18. The Director General, Sindh Building Control Authority, Karachi.
19. The Metropolitan Commissioner, Karachi Metropolitan Corporation, Karachi.
20. The Administrator, Defense Housing Authority, Karachi.



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21. The Deputy Secretary (Staff) to Chief Minister Sindh, Karachi.
22. The Deputy Secretary (Staff) to Chief Secretary Sindh, Karachi.
23. The Chief Executive Officer, PPHI, Sindh Karachi.
24. The Chief Executive Officer Sindh Integrated Emergency and Health Services, Karachi
25. The Chief Executive Officer, Cantonment Board Clifton, Karachi.
26. The Chief Executive Officer(s), Karachi Electric, HESCO, SEPCO.
27. The Chief Executive, Edhi Foundation, Al Mustafa Welfare Trust, Alamgir Welfare Trust, Alkhidmat Foundation, Khidmat-e-Khalq Foundation, Pakistan Red Crescent Sindh, Chhipa Welfare Organization.
28. The Head of Office, Pakistan FisherFolk Forum, Karachi.
29. The Director (Response), National Disaster Management Authority, Islamabad.
30. The Director Rescue, 1122/ Central Command & Control, Karachi.
31. The Head Quarters ComCoast Karachi.
32. The Head Quarters, 5 Corps, Karachi.
33. The Head Quarters ComKar, Pak Navy, Karachi.
34. The Head Quarters Pakistan Rangers, Sindh, Karachi.
35. The PS to Minister for Local Government, Housing and Town Planning, Rehabilitation, Government of Sindh, Karachi.
36. The PS to Secretary to Government Sindh, Rehabilitation Department, Karachi.
37. The PS to Director General, Provincial Disaster Management Authority, Sindh, Karachi

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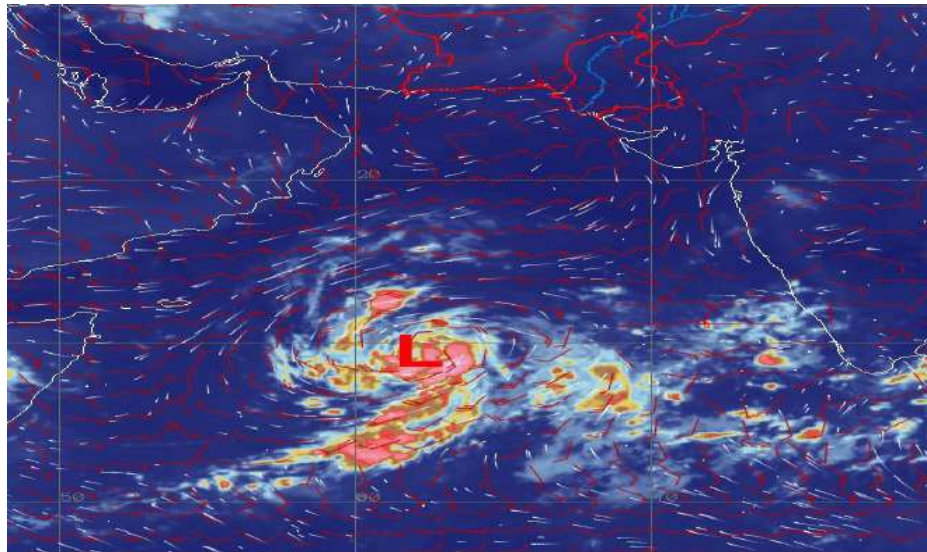
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## **Well-marked Low-pressure Area over Southwest Arabian Sea**

The PMD's Cyclone Warning Centre, Karachi informed that a well-marked low-pressure area (strong weather system) lies over Southwest Arabian Sea at around Latitude 9.5 °N & Longitude 61.5 °E at a distance of about 1810km southwest of Karachi & 1750km south of Gwadar. Due to favorable environmental conditions, the system is likely to intensify further into a **Depression** and move in west/northwest direction towards Oman-Yemen coast.

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Spokesman

Kind Attn:

- Chairman NDMA
- Governor, Sindh
- Chief Secretary Sindh
- Chief Secretary Balochistan
- DG, PDMA Sindh
- Commissioner Karachi
- Pakistan Navy
- DG, PDMA, Balochistan
- Coastal Development Authority, Balochistan
- Port Authorities, Karachi and Gwadar
- NIO (National Institute of Oceanography).