

No. PDMA(S)/7(78)/15/4002 PROVINCIAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY REHABILITATION DEPARTMENT



GOVERNMENT OF SINDH

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MOST URGENT BY FAX/WHATSAPP **Tropical Cyclone Alert-VII** Dated: 23rd October, 2023 **Time: 1030 PST**

To,

The Deputy Commissioner(s)/Chairman DDMA(s)

East, West, South, Central, Korangi, Keamari, Malir districts

Subject EXTREMELY SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM (ESCS) OVER SOUTHWEST

ARABIAN SEA

Pakistan Meteorological Department has informed that the Extremely Severe Cyclonic Storm (ESCS) "TEJ" over Southwest Arabian Sea continued to move northwestward during last 12 hours and now lies cantered around Latitude 14.4 °N & Longitude 53.2 °E at a distance of about 300km southwest of Salalah (Oman), 220km southeast of Al Ghaydah (Yemen) and 1520km southwest of Gwadar (Pakistan). Maximum sustained surface winds are 150-160 Km/h gusting 180 Km/h, sea conditions being very high & maximum wave height is 35 feet around the system center. The system is likely to continue moving in northwest direction and cross Yemen coast near Al Ghaydah by midnight as a Very Severe Cyclonic Strom (VSCS) with packing winds of 120-130 Km/h gusting 150 Km/h. No impact on any of Pakistan coastal area from this system.

> (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.



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- 19. The Metropolitan Commissioner, Karachi Metropolitan Corporation, Karachi.
- 20. The Administrator, Defense Housing Authority, Karachi.
- 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.
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- 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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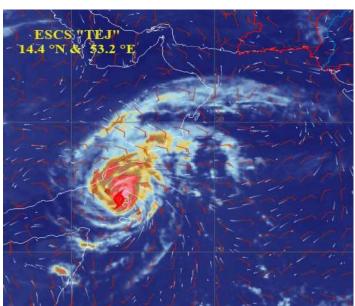
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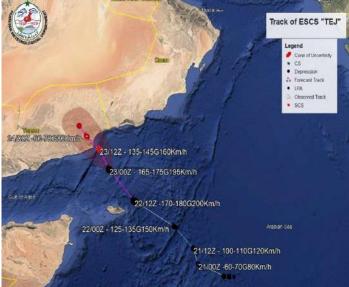
Extremely Severe Cyclonic Storm (ESCS) over Southwest Arabian Sea

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Satellite Imagery, 23rd October 2023, 0930PST



Observed and Forecast Track of Cyclone Sd/= Spokesman

Kind Attn:

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