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Government of Pakistan
Prime Minister's Office
National Disaster Management Authority
ISLAMABAD



Date: **9 September 2022**
Time: **1630 hrs**

Subject: **Rain-wind / Thundershowers in Upper and Central Parts of the Country (10-14 Sep)**

Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD) has forecasted that moist currents are penetrating in upper parts of the country and likely to continue during next **4 to 5 days** which is likely to cause **rain-wind / thundershowers with isolated heavy falls** in parts of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Islamabad, Punjab, Sindh, Balochistan, Gilgit Baltistan & AJK from **10 Sep (Saturday) to 14 Sep (Wednesday)**; details attached as **Annex-A**. All concerned Federal Ministries / Departments, PDMA(s), GBDMA, SDMA, Provincial Irrigation Department (PIDs), Respective District Administration(s) / DDMA(s) and Municipal / City Administration(s) are advised to ensure following: -

a. **Flood Affected areas of the Country**

- (1) Enhanced alertness to be maintained by Local Administrations in light of weather forecast and existing on-ground conditions.
- (2) All rescue services (Rescue 1122 / Fire Brigade / Ambulance / Hospitals / Civil Defence) and LEAs to remain alert and ensure availability of personnel and equipment during the forecasted period, especially in at-risk areas.
- (3) Restrict vehicle movement in areas / nullahs prone to flash floods, low lying areas and close to water channels and landslide vulnerable locations.
- (4) Timely evacuation of at-risk population from landslide / flash flood prone areas as per Evacuation Plans and availability of shelter, food and medicines in those shelter camps.
- (5) Coordinate with concerned departments for clearance of roads in case of any landslides / blockage / obstruction, waterlogging and pre-placing of necessary emergency equipment at vulnerable / appropriate locations.

b. DISCOs and relevant Local Administration / Departments to ensure that necessary arrangements are undertaken to avoid electrocution incidents and timely restoration of power supply.

c. Travelers and Tourists are forewarned about risks posed at landslide / flash flood vulnerable locations and may be diverted to safe lay-by / waiting areas with

sufficient supply of water / food and essential medicines in case of adverse / dangerous road conditions by Police, NH&MP and Local Administrations.

d. In case of any eventuality, special SITREP / update be shared immediately with NDMA.

2. **Press Information Department Only.** With the request for wider circulation and public awareness.

3. Forwarded for information / necessary action, please.



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Press Release:

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Time: 1500 PST

Rain-wind/thundershower in upper and central parts of the country with occasional gaps

Met office informed that moist currents are penetrating in upper parts of the country and likely to continue during next 4 to 5 days. A westerly wave is also likely to enter upper parts of the country on 11th September (Sunday).

Under the influence of this weather system:

- Rain-wind/thundershower (with isolated heavy falls) is expected in Chitral, Dir, Swat, Kohistan, Shangla, Buner, Mansehra, Abbottabad, Haripur, Malakand, Bajaur, Peshawar, Mardan, Charsadda, Swabi, Nowshera, Kurram, Kohat, Waziristan, Kashmir, Gilgit-Baltistan, Islamabad, Rawalpindi, Murree, Attock, Chakwal, Jhelum, Sialkot, Narowal, Lahore, Gujranwala, Gujrat, Sheikhupura, Mianwali, Khushab, Sargodha, Hafizabad, Mandi Bahauddin, Jhang and Faisalabad from 10th to 14th September, while Bhakkar, Layyah, D.G.Khan and Muzaffargarh on 13th and 14th September with occasional gaps.
- Rain-wind/thundershower is expected in Tharparkar, Umarkot, Sanghar, Mirpurkhas, Thatta and Badin from 10th to 14th September, while in Lasbella, Kalat and Khuzdar on 13th and 14th September with occasional gaps.

Possible Impacts:

- **Rainfall may trigger landslides in Kashmir, hilly areas of Khyber Pakhtunkhwa, Gilgit Baltistan, Galiyat and Murree during the forecast period.**

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