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**NOTIFICATION**

No 8537/R&DM(DM) Date: 31.10.2018

Having taken into account the conditions as arising from dry spell, poor crop conditions, ascertained the distress situation that is likely to develop in the area affected by these conditions through crop field verification and on the basis of reports available from the Collector, Bargarh, Bolangir, Deogarh, Jharsuguda, Kalahandi, Nabarangapur, Nuapada, Sambalpur and Sundargarh the State Government do hereby declare drought of moderate/ severe nature in an area of 2,33,173.8 hectares in 5,633 villages under 1,186 Gram Panchayats of 66 Blocks and 78 wards in 16 ULBs of 9 districts as per the list given below:

Sl. No.	District	No of affected Blocks	No of affected GPs	No of affected Villages	No of affected ULBs	No of affected wards	Sown area with damage between 33% and 50% to crops	Sown area with damage above 50% to crops	Total sown area with damage > 33% to crops
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
1	Bargarh	10	127	678	2	3	38008.0	0	38828.0
2	Bolangir	10	231	1125	2	17	22089.0	4217.0	26306.0
3	Deogarh	1	13	112	0	0	545.0	0	545.0
4	Jharsuguda	5	78	349	3	17	18239.4	12837.5	31076.9
5	Kalahandi	5	117	403	1	4	7425.0	1893.0	9318.0
6	Nabarangapur	10	172	754	2	9	1941.0	16.0	1957.0
7	Nuapada	5	123	623	1	5	22242.0	0	22242.0
8	Sambalpur	7	141	730	2	9	36180.9	0	36180.9
9	Sundargarh	13	184	859	3	14	31554.0	35986.0	67540.0
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>1186</b>	<b>5633</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>178224.3</b>	<b>54949.5</b>	<b>233173.8</b>

The declaration of drought would come into effect immediately and would continue to be in effect for six months from this date unless revoked earlier by an order of the State Government.

The State Government hereby authorizes the Collectors to undertake relief measures in the notified area.

**ORDER**

Ordered that this Notification be published in the next issue of *Odisha Gazette*.

By order of the Governor

*Mishra De Sethi*  
Special Relief Commissioner &  
Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government,  
Disaster Management

Memo No. 8538 /R&DM(SR) Date: 31.10.2018

Copy forwarded to the Director, Printing, Stationary and Publication, Odisha, Cuttack for publication in the next Extra-ordinary issue of the Odisha Gazette and supply 100 copies to Revenue & D.M.(Special Relief) Department.

  
Special Relief Commissioner &  
Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government,  
Disaster Management

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Special Relief Commissioner &  
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Disaster Management

Memo No. 8540 / R&DM(SR) Date: 31.10.2018

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Special Relief Commissioner &  
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Special Relief Commissioner &  
Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government,  
Disaster Management