



**Government of Odisha
Office of Special Relief Commissioner**

No. 2920 /R&DM(DM)

Date: 25.05.2021

MESSAGE

TO: THE COLLECTORS

BALASORE/ BHADRAK/ CUTTACK/ DHENKANAL/ GANJAM/ JAGATSINGHPUR/ JAJPUR/
KENDRAPARA/KHORDHA/ KEONJHAR/ MAYURBHANJ/ NAYAGARH/ PURI(.)

FROM: SPECIAL RELIEF COMMISSIONER & ADDITIONAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVT.

INFO: PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVT., DEPT. OF WATER RESOURCES/ SECRETARY TO GOVT., AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS' EMPOWERMENT/ COMMISSIONER-CUM-SECRETARY TO GOVT. F&ARD DEPT./ALL RDCs/ ADG, LAW & ORDER/ IG, FIRE SERVICES/ COMMANDANT, NDRF 03 BN, MUNDALI/ EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR (ADMN.), OSDMA (.)

THE SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM 'YAAS' (PRONOUNCED AS 'YASS') OVER WESTCENTRAL AND ADJOINING EASTCENTRAL & NORTH BAY OF BENGAL- (CYCLONE WARNING FOR ODISHA – WEST BENGAL COASTS- (.)

- 1. AS PER THE SPECIAL BULLETIN-17 ISSUED BY IMD TODAY (DT.25.05.2021),** THE SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM 'YAAS' (PRONOUNCED AS 'YASS') OVER EASTCENTRAL & ADJOINING WESTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL MOVED NORTHWESTWARDS WITH A SPEED OF ABOUT 17 KMPH DURING PAST 6 HOURS, AND LAY CENTRED AT 0830 HRS IST OF TODAY, THE 25TH MAY, 2021 OVER WESTCENTRAL AND ADJOINING EASTCENTRAL & NORTH BAY OF BENGAL NEAR LATITUDE 18.3°N AND LONGITUDE 88.3°E, ABOUT 280 KM SOUTH-SOUTHEAST OF PARADIP (ODISHA), 380 KM SOUTH-SOUTHEAST OF BALASORE (ODISHA), 370 KM SOUTH-SOUTHEAST OF DIGHA (WEST BENGAL) AND 370 KMS SOUTHSOUTHWEST OF SAGAR ISLANDS (WEST BENGAL)(.)

IT IS VERY LIKELY TO MOVE NORTH-NORTHWESTWARDS, INTENSIFY FURTHER INTO A VERY SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM DURING NEXT 12 HOURS. IT WOULD CONTINUE TO MOVE NORTH-NORTHWESTWARDS, INTENSIFY FURTHER AND REACH NORTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL NEAR NORTH ODISHA AND WEST BENGAL COASTS VERY CLOSE TO CHANDBALI-DHAMRA PORT BY THE EARLY MORNING OF WEDNESDAY, THE 26TH MAY. IT IS VERY LIKELY TO CROSS NORTH ODISHA-WEST BENGAL COASTS BETWEEN PARADIP AND SAGAR ISLAND CLOSE TO NORTH OF DHAMRA AND SOUTH OF BALASORE, DURING NOON OF WEDNESDAY, THE 26TH MAY AS A VERY SEVERE CYCLONIC STORM (.)

- 2. WEATHER FORECAST AND WARNING :**

RAINFALL

VALID UP TO 0830 HRS IST OF 26.05.2021 :

RED WARNING HEAVY TO VERY HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT A FEW PLACES WITH ISOLATED EXTREMELY HEAVY FALLS OVER THE DISTRICTS OF BALASORE, BHADRAK, KENDRAPADA AND JAGATSINGHPUR. (.)

ORANGE WARNING: HEAVY TO VERY HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT A FEW PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF MAYURBHANJ, JAJPUR, CUTTACK, KHURDHA & PURI (.)

YELLOW WARNING: HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ISOLATED PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF KEONJHAR, DHENKANAL AND GANJAM (.)

VALID FROM 0830 HRS IST OF 26.05.2021 UP TO 0830 HRS IST OF 27.05.2021):

RED WARNING: HEAVY TO VERY HEAVY RAINFALL AT A FEW PLACES WITH ISOLATED EXTREMELY HEAVY FALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR OVER THE DISTRICTS OF BALASORE, BHADRAK, JAJPUR, KENDRAPADA, JAGATSINGHPUR, CUTTACK, MAYURBHANJ, KEONJHAR AND DHENKANAL (.)

YELLOW WARNING: HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ISOLATED PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF ANUGUL, DEOGARH, KHURDHA, PURI AND SUNDERGARH. (.)

VALID FROM 0830 HRS IST OF 27.05.2021 UP TO 0830 HRS IST OF 28.05.2021 :

YELLOW WARNING: HEAVY RAINFALL VERY LIKELY TO OCCUR AT ISOLATED PLACES OVER THE DISTRICTS OF SUNDERGARH, DEOGARH AND KEONJHAR. (.)

- 3. WIND WARNING:** GALE WINDS SPEED REACHING 100-110 KMPH GUSTING TO 120 KMPH IS PREVAILING OVER MAJOR PARTS OF CENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL AND ADJOINING NORTH BAY OF BENGAL AND WOULD INCREASE GRADUALLY BECOMING 125-135 GUSTING TO 140 KMPH FROM TODAY EVENING. SQUALLY WIND SPEED REACHING 55-65 KMPH GUSTING 75 KMPH IS PREVAILING OVER NORTH BAY OF BENGAL AND ALONG AND OFF ODISHA–WEST BENGAL COASTS(.)

IT WOULD FURTHER INCREASE BECOMING 65-75 KMPH GUSTING TO 85 KMPH OVER NORTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL AND ALONG & OFF NORTH ODISHA AND ADJOINING WEST BENGAL COASTS INCLUDING JAGATSINGHPUR, KENDRAPARA, PURI, BHADRAK, BALASORE DISTRICTS OF ODISHA FROM 25TH MAY EVENING. SQUALLY WIND SPEED REACHING 40-50 KMPH GUSTING 60 KMPH WOULD PREVAIL OVER GANJAM, KHURDA, CUTTACK, JAJPUR & MAYURBHANJ DISTRICTS OF ODISHA FROM TODAY EVENING(.)

IT WOULD FURTHER INCREASE BECOMING GALE WIND SPEED 155-165 KMPH GUSTING TO 185 KMPH OVER NORTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL AND ALONG & OFF NORTH ODISHA AND ADJOINING WEST BENGAL COASTS INCLUDING JAGATSINGHPUR, KENDRAPARA, BHADRAK, FROM EARLY MORNING OF 26TH MAY AND WILL EXTEND TO BALASORE DISTRICT OF ODISHA FROM THE FORENOON OF 26TH MAY, 120-130 KMPH GUSTING TO 145 KMPH OVER MAYURBHANJ DISTRICT OF ODISHA FROM EARLY MORNING OF 26TH MAY(.)

GALE WIND SPEED REACHING 80-90 KMPH GUSTING TO 100 KMPH WOULD PREVAIL OVER PURI, CUTTACK, KHURDA AND JAJPUR DISTRICTS OF ODISHA DURING SAME

PERIOD. SQUALLY WIND SPEED REACHING 60-80 KMPH GUSTING TO 90 KMPH WOULD PREVAIL OVER GANJAM, DHENKANAL AND KEONJHAR DISTRICTS OF ODISHA FROM 26TH EARLY HOURS. SQUALLY WIND SPEED REACHING 50-60 KMPH GUSTING TO 70 KMPH WOULD PREVAIL OVER ANGUL, DEOGARH & SUNDERGARH DISTRICTS OF ODISHA DURING SAME PERIOD(.)

SQUALLY WIND SPEED REACHING 50-65 KMPH GUSTING TO 70 KMPH WOULD PREVAIL OVER KENDRAPARA, BHADRAK, BALASORE, KEONJHARGARH, MAYURBHANJ, DEOGARH, SUNDERGARH DISTRICTS OF ODISHA ON 27TH.) (.)

4. SEA CONDITION : SEA CONDITION IS HIGH TO VERY HIGH OVER WESTCENTRAL & ADJOINING EASTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL. IT IS VERY LIKELY TO BECOME VERY HIGH TO PHENOMENAL OVER NORTHERN PARTS OF CENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL, NORTH BAY OF BENGAL AND ALONG & ODISHA–WEST BENGAL COASTS FROM TODAY, 25TH EVENING TO 26TH MAY EVENING (.)

5. WARNING FOR FISHERMEN: THE FISHERMEN ARE ADVISED NOT TO VENTURE INTO SEA ALONG AND OFF ODISHA COAST AND NORTH BAY OF BENGAL TILL 27TH MAY, 2021 (.)

6. PORT WARNING : KEEP HOISTED GREAT DANGER SIGNAL NO. 10(GD10) AT PARADIP AND DHAMRA PORTS OF ODISHA, GREAT DANGER SIGNAL NO. 8(GD8) AT PURI PORT AND LOCAL CAUTIONARY SIGNAL NO. 3 (LC3) AT GOPALPUR PORT OF ODISHA (.)

7. STORM SURGE WARNING: KEEP HOISTED GREAT DANGER SIGNAL NO. 10(GD10) AT PARADIP AND DHAMRA PORTS OF ODISHA, GREAT DANGER SIGNAL NO. 8(GD8) AT PURI PORT AND LOCAL CAUTIONARY SIGNAL NO. 3 (LC3) AT GOPALPUR PORT OF ODISHA (.)

ADVISORY TO COLLECTORS

- SITUATION MAY BE CLOSELY MONITORED (.)
- TO REMAIN PREPARED TO MEET ANY WATER LOGGING/ LOCALISED FLOOD LIKE SITUATION INCLUDING URBAN AREAS (.)
- ALERT BDOS, TAHASILDARS, EES OF DOWR, RD AND WORKS ON MAINTAINING ROAD COMMUNICATION (.)
- CONTINUOUS VIGIL OF LOW LYING AREAS, DEWATERING WHEREVER REQUIRED INCLUDING URBAN AREAS MAY BE TAKEN UP (.)
- START FREE KITCHEN FOR EVACUATED PEOPLE (.)
- ENSURE FUNCTIONING OF CONTROL ROOM ROUND THE CLOCK (.)
- RAINFALL MAY BE REPORTED IMMEDIATELY TO THIS OFFICE (.)
- SITUATION REPORT MAY BE FURNISHED (.)
- **ADVICE FOR FISHERMEN TO BE STRICTLY IMPLEMENTED (.)**


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