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Ministry of Climate Change
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ISLAMABAD

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Dated: 21 July 2017

Subject: **More Rains Predicted in Next 3 Days**

Fresh PMD Weather Advisory dated 21 July 2017 is enclosed at Annex A. All concerned are requested to ensure following precautionary measures to avoid any loss of life or property:-

- a. Public awareness to vacate dangerous buildings, remain away from electric wires / poles, avoid swimming / venturing in flooded water channels.
- b. Issue timely alerts / warnings to people along reaches of major rivers and their tributaries / Nullahs for requisite precautionary measures.
- c. Clearance of sewerage / drainage system in all major cities especially Karachi, Islamabad, Rawalpindi, Sargodha, Gujranwala, Lahore, Faisalabad, Multan, Hyderabad & Peshawar. Critical monitoring of main sewerage channels passing from all major cities by relevant stakeholders / City Governments. Any unusual rise in water of such water channels be timely intimated to all concerned.
- d. NHA, FWO and C&W Departments of respective Provinces / Regions to remain vigilant in restoring road links. KKH, Gilgit – Skardu Road & Roads of AJK must be kept in special focus.
- e. Tourists be cautioned to avoid travelling to areas vulnerable to landslides.
- f. Concerned PDMA's, FWO and NHA are requested to accord priority to evacuate local and tourist populations held up due to any road blockages.
- g. Considering possibility of rains in Sindh, Eastern Balochistan & D.G Khan Division, vulnerable communities especially along hill torrents be sensitised for requisite precautionary measures.
- h. Emergency Services to be kept on Alert for timely response.
- i. In case of any eventuality, twice daily updates should be shared with NDMA.

2. Forwarded for information / necessary action, please.

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Time / Date: 1500 PST / July 21, 2017

Weather Advisory

MORE RAINS PREDICTED IN NEXT 3 DAYS

Met-Office informed that strong Monsoon currents will start to penetrate in ***eastern parts of Country from Saturday*** that will produce **more Monsoon rains in next 3 days** such as:

- Rain / thunderstorm with isolated ***heavy to very heavy falls*** are expected at a number of places in Rawalpindi, Sargodha, Gujranwala, Lahore, Faisalabad, Hazara, Mirpurkhas, Hyderabad Divisions and Kashmir during the period.
- Rain / thunderstorm with ***moderate to heavy falls*** are expected at scattered places in KP, FATA, D.G.Khan, Multan, Bahawalpur, Sahiwal, Sukkur, Larkana, Shaheed Benazirabad, Karachi, Sibbi, Zhob, Naseerabad Divisions and Gilgit-Baltistan during the period.

Note: All concerned authorities are advised to **remain ALERT during next 3 days.**

Spokesman