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F.2 (E)/2024-NDMA (MW/Hill-Torrent-Alert)
Government of Pakistan
Prime Minister's Office
National Disaster Management Authority
Near ITP Office, Main Murree Road
ISLAMABAD



Dated: 1630 hrs – 23rd July 2024

Subject: **FLASH FLOOD ALERT – DG KHAN DIVISION HILL TORRENTS**

Reference: a. *NDMA National Monsoon Contingency Plan 2024*
b. *NDMA's Monsoon Weather Projection - July 2024 dated 22nd June 2024.*
c. *NDMA Weather Advisory dated 21st July 2024.*

Flash flooding is expected in Hill Torrents of Districts DG Khan and Rajanpur **from 1800 hours on 23rd July to 0800 hours on 24th July**. **Immediate and necessary measures to be undertaken** by **PDMA Punjab, Punjab Irrigation Department** and respective District Administration(s) / **DDMA(s)** and **Rescue 1122 Punjab** are **advised to ensure following along with any other measures deemed necessary**: -

- a. Maintain **enhanced alert level / monitoring** of developing situation to reduce reaction / response times.
- b. All civic agencies / rescue services (Rescue 1122 / Fire Brigade / Ambulance / Civil Defence) to **remain alert** and **ensure availability** of **personnel** and **equipment** during the mentioned period, especially in at-risk areas.
- c. People living in or nearby at-risk areas to be **sensitized about expected increase of water flows** and **flash flooding situation**.
- d. Timely **evacuation of at-risk population from low-lying / flood prone areas** as per Evacuation Plans and ensure availability of shelter, food and medicines in those shelter camps.
- e. Locals / farmers / cattle herders be **forewarned to shift cattle away from low lying areas / at-risk areas**.
- f. **Restrict vehicle movement in low lying / at-risk areas**.
- g. Provision of **POL for back-up generators at water pumping stations** and **timely pre-placement of de-watering equipment for de-flooding**.
- h. DISCOs and relevant local administration / departments to **ensure that necessary arrangements are undertaken** to avoid electrocution incidents and timely restoration of power supply.
- i. Coordinate with concerned departments for **clearance of roads** in case of any blockage / obstruction, waterlogging.

- j. Travelers and tourists are **forewarned about risks posed at 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.
 - k. In case of any eventuality, **Special SITREP / Update** be shared immediately with NDMA.
2. **Flood Forecasting Division / PDMA Punjab**. Please share **regular updates on water flows from DG Khan Division Hill Torrents every 3 hours** with NDMA.
 3. **Press Information Department Only**. With the request for **wider circulation and public awareness**.
 4. Forwarded for information / necessary action, please.



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FFD HILL TORRENT FLASH FLOOD WARNING



Flood Forecasting Division
Lahore

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Ministry of Aviation (Aviation Division)
Pakistan Meteorological Department
Dated: 23-July 2024

Significant Flood Warning for

DG Khan Division Hill Torrents

A Moderate to Heavy rainfall is being reported by Meteorological Satellites.

keeping in view the latest Hydro-Meteorological conditions, it is informed that **Moderate Flash Flooding** is expected in the Hill torrent of DG Khan Division (DG Khan & Rajanpur Regions) during the period from **1800 PST of 23rd July to 0800 PST of 24th July.**


All concerned authorities are advised to remain "ALERT" and take necessary measures to avoid any untoward situation during the forecast period.

Issued time: 1615 PST

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