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#### Sub: A) Depression crossed south Konkan coast

B) Well marked low pressure area over coastal West Bengal and adjoining areas of North coastal Odisha & Northwest Bay of Bengal

### A) Depression crossed south Konkan coast

The depression over Eastcentral Arabian Sea close to south Konkan coast moved northeastwards with a speed of 6 kmph during past 6 hours, crossed south Konkan coast between Panjim (Goa) and Ratnagiri (Maharashtra) during 2030-2230 hours IST of 30<sup>th</sup> September and lay centered at 2330 hours IST of 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2023 over south Konkan, near latitude 16.8°N and longitude 73.5°E, about 25 km southeast of Ratnagiri (Maharashtra), 100 km north-northwest of Vengrula (Maharashtra) and 150 km north-northwest of Panjim (Goa).

It is very likely to move northeastwards and weaken into a Well Marked Low Pressure Area during next 24 hours.

Spatial rainfall distribution: Isolated: <25%, A few: 26-50%, Many: 51-75%, Most: 76-100% Rainfall amount (mm): Heavy rain: 64.5 – 115.5, Very heavy rain: 115.6 – 204.4, Extremely heavy rain: 204.5 or more.

# Warnings:

# (i) Rainfall (warning graphics enclosed)

### South Konkan:

Light/moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places and extremely heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

#### Goa:

Light/moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

#### North Konkan:

Light/moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

#### Costal Karnataka:

Light/moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

# **South Madhya Maharashtra:**

Light/moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

### Kerala:

Light/moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

# (ii) Wind warning:

**Squally wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph** over Eastcentral Arabian Sea along & off Maharashtra-Goa-Karnataka coasts is likely prevail during next 12 hours and gradually weaken thereafter.

### (iii) Sea condition

**Rough to very rough sea condition is very likely** over Eastcentral Arabian Sea along & off Maharashtra-Goa-Karnataka coasts during next 12 hours and gradually improve thereafter.

# (iv) Fishermen Warning (warning graphics enclosed)

Fishermen are advised not to venture into Eastcentral Arabian Sea along & off Maharashtra-Goa-Karnataka coasts on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

# B) Well marked low pressure area over coastal West Bengal and adjoining areas of North coastal Odisha & Northwest Bay of Bengal

The Well Marked Low Pressure Area over coastal West Bengal and adjoining areas of North coastal Odisha & Northwest Bay of Bengal lies over the same region at 2330 hours IST of 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2023. It is likely to move further west-northwestwards across Gangetic West Bengal and adjoining north Odisha & Jharkhand during next 12 hours.

## Warnings:

# (i) Rainfall (warning graphics enclosed)

# 01st October:

Light/moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely over North Odisha, North Chhattisgarh, Bihar, Jharkhand and Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim; isolated heavy rainfall over Gangetic West Bengal.

# 2<sup>nd</sup> October:

Light/moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is likely over North Odisha, Bihar, Jharkhand, Sub-Himalayan west Bengal & Sikkim; isolated heavy rainfall over Gangetic West Bengal.

# (ii) Wind warning:

**Squally wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph** is prevailing and likely over North Bay of Bengal along & off North Odisha -West Bengal and adjoining Bangladesh coasts on 1<sup>st</sup> October.

# (iii) Sea condition

**Rough sea condition is very likely** over North Bay of Bengal along & off North Odisha - West Bengal and adjoining Bangladesh coasts on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

# (iv) Fishermen Warning (warning graphics enclosed)

Fishermen are advised not to venture into North Bay of Bengal along & off North Odisha - West Bengal and adjoining Bangladesh coasts on 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

The system is under continuous surveillance and the next message will be issued at 0830 hours IST of today, the 1<sup>st</sup> October, 2023.

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OBSERVED AND FORECAST TRACK OF DEPRESSION OVER SOUTH KONKAN AND LOCATION OF WELL MARKED LOW PRESSURE AREA OVER COASTAL WEST BENGAL AND ADJOINING AREA BASED ON 1800 UTC (2330 IST) OF 30<sup>Th</sup> SEPTEMEBER, 2023.









