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HIGH SEA FORECAST FOR MET. AREA VIII (N)

AREA OF COVERAGE: AREA OF THE INDIAN OCEAN ENCLOSED BY LINES FROM THE INDO-PAKISTAN FRONTIER AT 23°45'N 68 DEG E TO 12 DEG N 6 DEG E, THENCE TO CAPE GARDAFUI; THE EAST AFRICAN COAST SOUTH TO THE EQUATOR, THENCE TO 95 DEG E, TO 6 DEG N, THENCE NORTHEASTWARDS TO MYANMAR/THAILAND FRONTIER IN 10 DEG N 98 DEG 30'E AND NORTHWARDS COVERING ENTIRE BAY OF BENGAL.

VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 23<sup>RD</sup> JULY 2023 TO 00 UTC OF 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023

PART-I STORM WARNING: NIL

PART-II SYNOPTIC WEATHER SYSTEM AT 0300 UTC:

THE CYCLONIC CIRCULATION OVER WEST-CENTRAL & ADJOINING NORTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL NOW LIES OVER SOUTH ODISHA & NEIGHBOURHOOD AT 3.1 KM ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL.

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 23<sup>RD</sup> JULY 2023 TO 00 UTC OF 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023 I)WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1)W OF 60 DEG E: SW-LY 25/35 KTS 2)REST AREA: SW/W-LY 15/25 KTS. II)WEATHER: SCATTERED RA/TS. III)VISIBILITY: 6-4 NM. IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 2.5-5.0 MTR.

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023TO 00 UTC OF 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023 I)WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1)W OF 60 DEG E: SW-LY 25/35 KTS 2)REST AREA: SW/W-LY 15/25 KTS. II)WEATHER: SCATTERED RA/TS. III)VISIBILITY: 6-4 NM. IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 2.5-5.0 MTR.

ARB A2-ARABIAN SEA:-23 DEG 45 MIN N 68 DEG E TO 12 DEG N 63 DEG E TO CAPE GARDAFUI TO N OF 10 DEG N (.) **ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 23<sup>RD</sup> JULY 2023 TO 00 UTC OF 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023** I)WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1)N OF 20 DEG N: SW/W-LY 10/25 KTS. 2)S OF 20 DEG N TO THE W OF 65 DEG E: 25/35 KTS. 3)REST AREA: SW/W-LY 20/25 KTS. II)WEATHER: 1)E OF 60 DEG E: FAIRLY WIDESPRED RA/TS. 2)REST AREA: FAIR. III)VISIBILITY: 1)E OF 60 DEG E: 4-3 NM. 2)REST AREA: 10-8 NM. IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 3.5-5.5 MTR.

ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023TO 00 UTC OF 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023 I)WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1)N OF 20 DEG N: SW-LY 15/25 KTS. 2)S OF 20 DEG N TO THE W OF 65 DEG E: 25/35 KTS. 3)REST AREA: SW/W-LY 20/25 KTS. II)WEATHER: SCATTERED RA/TS. III)VISIBILITY: 6-4 NM. IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 3.5-5.5 MTR.

BOB A3-BAY OF BENGAL: EQUATOR TO 10 DEG N BETWEEN E OF 80 DEG E AND WEST OF 10

DEG N/98 DEG 30 MIN E TO 6 DEG N/95 DEG E AND THENCE S-WARDS TO EQUATOR (.) BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 23<sup>RD</sup> JULY 2023 TO 00 UTC OF 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023 I)WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW-LY 15/25 KTS. II)WEATHER: SCATTERED RA/TS. III)VISIBILITY: 6-4 NM. IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 2.5-3.5 MTR.

BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023TO 00 UTC OF 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023 I)WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: S/SW-LY 15/20 KTS. II)WEATHER: SCATTERED RA/TS. III)VISIBILITY: 6-4 NM. IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 2.5-3.5 MTR.

BOB: A4: BAY OF BENGAL N OF 10 DEG N AND E OF 80 DEG E (.) BOB-A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 23<sup>RD</sup> JULY 2023 TO 00 UTC OF 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023 I)WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1)N OF 18 DEG N: CYCLONIC 10/20 KTS. 2)REST AREA: W/SW-LY 15/25 KTS. II)WEATHER: WIDSPREAD RA/TS. III)VISIBILITY: 3-2 NM. IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-3.0 MTR.

BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023TO 00 UTC OF 25<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023 I)WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1)N OF 15 DEG N: CYCLONIC 10/20 KTS. 2)S OF 20 DEG N: SW-LY 20/30 KTS. II)WEATHER: WIDSPREAD RA/TS. III)VISIBILITY: 3-2 NM. IV)WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-3.5 MTR.

ADVISORY: PLEASE BE AWARE. WIND AND WAVE FORECASTS ARE AVERAGES. WIND GUSTS CAN BE 40 PER CENT STRONGER THAN THE FORECAST. MAXIMUM WAVE HEIGHT CAN BE TWICE THE FORECAST WAVE HEIGHT.

NEXT FORECAST WILL BE ISSUED AT 23/1700 UTC

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