GLOBAL MARITIME 191330 IST DATE/TIME OF ISSUE: 19-12-2024/0800 UTC GMDSS BULLETIN I 190900 ISSUED BY: INDIA METEOROLOGICAL DEPARTMENT, NEW DELHI 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 00 DEG N 6 DEG E, THECE TO CAPE GARDAFUI; THE EAST AFRICAN COAST SOUTH TO THE EQUATOR, THENCE TO 95 DEG E, TO 6 DEG N, THENCE NORTH EASTWARDS TO MYANMAR/THAIL FRONTIER IN 10 DEG N 98 DEG 30'E NORTHWARDS COVERING ENTIRE BAY OF BENGAL.

VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 19<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2024.TO 00 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER 2024.

PART-I STORM WARNING: NIL.

PART-II SYNOPTIC WEATHER SYSTEM AT 0300 UTC:

THE WELL MARKED LOW PRESSURE AREA OVER SOUTHWEST BAY OF BENGAL LAY OVER SOUTHWEST ADJOINING WESTCENTRAL BAY OF BENGAL AT 0830 HOURS IST OF TODAY, THE 19TH DECEMBER 2024. THE ASSOCIATED UPPER CYCLONIC CIRCULATION EXTENDS UP TO 5.8 KM ABOVE MEAN SEA LEVEL. THE SYSTEM IS LIKELY TO MOVE NEARLY NORTHWESTWARDS TOWARDS NORTH TAMIL NADU AND SOUTH ANDHRA PRADESH COAST DURING NEXT 12 HOURS. THEREAFTER, IT IS LIKELY TO MOVE NEARLY NORTHWARDS ALONG ANDHRA PRADESH COAST IN SUBSEQUENT 24 HOURS.

PART-III AREA FORECAST:

AREA: ARB A1 (ARABIAN SEA)-EQUATOR TO 10 DEG N W OF 80 DEG E. ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 19<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2024.TO 00 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> DEC. 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: NE/N-LY 15/20 KTS.

2) REST AREA: N-LY 10/15 KTS BEC NW/W-LY 10/20 KTS TO THE S OF 6 DEG N.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-2.5 M.
III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 63 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS 2) REST AREA: ISOLATED RA/TS.
IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 63 DEG E: VERY POOR 2) REST AREA: GOOD.

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2024.TO 00 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> DEC. 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: NE/N-LY 10/15 KTS.

2) REST AREA: N/NW-LY 05/10 KTS BEC W/SW-LY 10/20 KTS TO THE S OF 5 DEG N.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-2.5 M.
III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 63 DEG E: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS 2) REST AREA: FAIR.
IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 63 DEG E: POOR 2) REST AREA: GOOD.

ARB A2-ARABIAN SEA:-23 DEG 45 MIN N 68 DEG E TO 00 DEG N 63 DEG E TO CAPE GARDAFUI TO N OF 10 DEG N. 55 ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 19<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2024.TO 00 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> DEC. 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: N/NE-LY 10/20 KTS. II) WAVE HEIGHT: 0.5-2.0 M. III) WEATHER: FAIR. IV) VISIBILITY: GOOD.

ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2024.TO 00 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> DEC. 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: N/NE-LY 10/20 KTS. II) WAVE HEIGHT: 0.5-2.0 M.

III) WEATHER: FAIR.

IV) VISIBILITY: GOOD.

## BOB A3-BAY OF BENGAL: EQUATOR TO 10 DEG N BETWEEN E OF 80 DEG E WEST OF 10 DEG N/98 DEG 30 MIN E TO 6 DEG N/95 DEG E THENCE S-WARDS TO EQUATOR. BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 19<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2024.TO 00 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> DEC. 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) N OF 5 DEG N: SW-LY 05/15 KTS BEC E/SE-LY 10/15 KTS

TO THE E OF 88 DEG E.

2) REST AREA: W-LY 05/10 KTS.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-2.5 M. III) WEATHER: WIDESPREAD RA/TS. IV) VISIBILITY: VERY POOR.

## BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2024.TO 00 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> DEC. 2024.

I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: W/SW-LY 10/20 KTS BEC E/SE-LY 05/15 KTS TO THE E OF 90 DEG E. II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-2.5 M.

III) WEATHER: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.

IV) VISIBILITY: VERY POOR.

## BOB: A4: BAY OF BENGAL N OF 10 DEG N E OF 80 DEG E. BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 09 UTC OF 19<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2024.TO 00 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> DEC. 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) N OF 15 DEG N: E/SE-LY 10/20 KTS.

2) REST AREA: E/SE-LY 10/20 KTS BEC CYCLONIC 10/20 KTS AT 82 DEG E AND 12 DEG N.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-3.0 M.
III) WEATHER: 1) W OF 90 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS. 2) REST AREA: FAIR.
IV) VISIBILITY: 1) W OF 90 DEG E: VERY POOR.
2) DEGT AREA: 00000

2) REST AREA: GOOD.

## BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 00 UTC OF 20<sup>TH</sup> DEC 2024.TO 00 UTC OF 21<sup>ST</sup> DEC. 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: E/SE-LY 10/20 KTS BEC CYCLONIC 10/20 KTS

AT 83 DEG E AND 16 DEG N.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1.0-3.0 M.
III) WEATHER: 1) W OF 92 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS. 2) REST AREA: FAIR.
IV) VISIBILITY: 1) W OF 92 DEG E: VERY POOR.

2) REST AREA: GOOD.

ADVISORY: PLEASE BE AWARE. WIND 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 19/1700 UTC.

TOO: 19/1330.