GLOBAL MARITIME 032230 IST DATE/TIME OF ISSUE: 03-08-2024/1700 UTC GMDSS BULLETIN II 031800 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 12 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 18 UTC OF 03<sup>RD</sup> AUGUST 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 05<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024.

PART-I STORM WARNING: NIL.

PART-II SYNOPTIC WEATHER SYSTEM AT 1200 UTC: SEASONAL WEATHER.

PART-III AREA FORECAST:

## AREA: ARB A1 (ARABIAN SEA)-EQUATOR TO 10 DEG N W OF 80 DEG E. ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 03<sup>RD</sup> AUG 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 04<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: SW-LY 15/30 KTS.

2) N OF 5 DEG N TO THE E OF 60 DEG E: SW/W-LY 10/20 KTS

BEC NW/W-LY 10/20 KTS TO THE E OF 70 DEG E.

- 3) S OF 5 DEG N TO THE E OF 60 TO 70 DEG E: ANTI-CYCLONIC 05/10 KTS.
- 4) REST AREA: SW-LY 05/10 KTS

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1) S OF 6 DEG N: 1.5-2.5 M.

2) REST AREA: 2.0-4.5 M.

III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 65 DEG E: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.

2) REST AREA: ISOLATD RA/TS.

IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 65 DEG E: POOR. 2) REST AREA: GOOD.

ARB A1-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 04<sup>TH</sup> AUG 2024.TO 12 UTC OF 05<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024.

I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 60 DEG E: SW-LY 15/30 KTS.

2)É OF 60 TO 75 DEG E: ANTI-CYCLONIC 05/10 KTS.

4) REST AREA: SW-LY 05/10 KTS

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 1) S OF 6 DEG N: 1.5-2.5 M.

2) REST AREA: 2.0-4.5 M.

III) WEATHER: 1) E OF 62 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.

2) S OF 5 DEG N TO THE W OF 62 DEG E: SCATTERED RA/TS.

3) REST AREA: FAIR.

IV) VISIBILITY: 1) E OF 62 DEG E: VERY POOR.

2) S OF 5 DEG N TO THE W OF 62 DEG E: MODERATE.

3) REST AREA: GOOD.

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 18 UTC OF 03<sup>RD</sup> AUG 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 04<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) S OF 20 DEG N TO THE W OF 65 DEG E: SW-LY 20/30 KTS. 2) REST AREA: SW/W-LY 15/25 KTS.

I) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.5-5.0 M.

III) WEATHER: 1) S OF 22 DEG N TO THE E OF 70 DEG E: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS. 2) REST AREA: FAIR.

IV) VISIBILITY: 1) S OF 22 DEG N TO THE E OF 70 DEG E: POOR.

2) REST AREA: GOOD.

ARB A2-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 04<sup>TH</sup> AUG 2024.TO 12 UTC OF 05<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024.

I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) S OF 20 DEG N TO THE W OF 60 DEG E: SW-LY 20/30 KTS. 2) REST AREA: SW/W-LY 15/25 KTS. II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.5-5.0 M.
III) WEATHER: 1) S OF 20 DEG N TO THE E OF 65 DEG E: SCATTERED RA/TS. 2) REST AREA: FAIR.
IV) VISIBILITY: 1) S OF 20 DEG N TO THE E OF 65 DEG E: MODERATE. 2) REST AREA: 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 18 UTC OF 03<sup>RD</sup> AUG 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 04<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SE/S-LY 05/10 KTS BEC SW-LY 10/20 KTS

TO THE N OF 5 DEG N.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-3.0 M.III) WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS.IV) VISIBILITY: POOR.

BOB A3-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 04<sup>TH</sup> AUG 2024.TO 12 UTC OF 05<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: 1) W OF 90 DEG E: SW-LY 10/20 KTS

2) REST AREA: ANTICYCLONIC 05/10 KTS.

II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-3.0 M. III) WEATHER: FAIRLY WIDESPREAD RA/TS. IV) VISIBILITY: POOR.

BOB: A4: BAY OF BENGAL N OF 10 DEG N E OF 80 DEG E. BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 18 UTC OF 03<sup>RD</sup> AUG 2024 TO 12 UTC OF 04<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW-LY 10/20 KTS. II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-3.0 M. III) WEATHER: 1)E OF 82 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS.

2) REST AREA: ISOLATED RA/TS. IV) VISIBILITY: 1)E OF 82 DEG E: VERY POOR 2) REST AREA: GOOD.

BOB A4-FORECAST VALID FROM 12 UTC OF 04<sup>TH</sup> AUG 2024.TO 12 UTC OF 05<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024. I) WIND DIRECTION AND SPEED: SW-LY 05/15 KTS. II) WAVE HEIGHT: 2.0-3.0 M. III) WEATHER: 1)E OF 85 DEG E: WIDESPREAD RA/TS. 2) REST AREA: ISOLATED RA/TS. IV) VISIBILITY: 1)E OF 85 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.