



**Ministry of Home Affairs
Government of India
Integrated Control Room for Emergency Response (ICR-ER)
ADVISORY NO. 06 (ICR-ER/Advisory/08-2026)**

Time of Issue: 1330 hours

Date: 14th August 2026

To,

Chief Secretary Odisha, West Bengal, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, Bihar, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh, Uttarakhand, DG (NDRF), DG (Coast Guard) and CISC HQ (IDS).

Cabinet Secretary, Secretary (M/o Petroleum and Natural Gas), Secretary (M/o Power), Secretary (MoD), Secretary (MoHFW), Chairman (ISRO), Chairman (Railway Board), Secretary (M/o Civil Aviation), Secretary (M/o Shipping and Waterways), Secretary (D/o Fisheries), Secretary (D/o Water Resources, RD & GR), Secretary (M/o Road Transport & Highway), Secretary (DoT) and Secretary (M/o Food Processing Industries).

INFO: Relief Commissioner Odisha, West Bengal, Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh, Bihar, Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh and Uttarakhand

Subject: Depression over Jharkhand

The Depression over Jharkhand and adjoining Gangetic West Bengal moved west-northwestwards with a speed of 18 kmph during past 06 hours and lay centred at 1130 hrs IST of today, the 14th August, 2026, over Jharkhand, near latitude 23.3°N and longitude 85.3°E, close to Ranchi (Jharkhand), 80 km south of Hazaribagh (Jharkhand), 130 km east-northeast of Jashpurnagar (Chhattisgarh), 150 km east-southeast of Daltonganj (Jharkhand) and 210 km east of Ambikapur (Chhattisgarh).

It is very likely to continue to move west-northwestwards across Jharkhand & adjoining north Chhattisgarh and weaken into well marked low pressure area during next 06 hours.

Warnings:

(i) Rainfall Warning:

Odisha: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely over north interior Odisha on 14th and heavy rainfall at isolated places during 15th -17th August.

Chhattisgarh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at a few places is very likely over north Chhattisgarh on 14th & 15th August and heavy rainfall at isolated places on 16th & 17th August.

Jharkhand: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely on 14th and heavy rainfall at isolated places during 15th - 17th August.

Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places is likely on 14th & 15th August; heavy to very heavy rainfall on 16th & 17th August.

Bihar: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy rainfall at isolated places is likely on 14th and during 16th- 17th August.

East Uttar Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall is very likely at isolated places on 14th ; heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15th and heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places during 16th -17th August.

West Uttar Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall is very likely at isolated places on 14th ; heavy rainfall at isolated places on 15th and heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places during 16th -17th August.

East Madhya Pradesh: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall is very likely at isolated places during 14th & 15th August and heavy rainfall at

isolated places during 16th -17th August.

Uttarakhand: Light to moderate rainfall at most places with heavy to very heavy rainfall at isolated places is very likely on 14th – 17th August.

(ii) Wind Warning:

- ❖ Squally winds with speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph are very likely to prevail over Northwest Bay of Bengal & along and off Bangladesh, Odisha-West Bengal coasts during next 12 hours and decrease gradually thereafter.
- ❖ Squally winds with speed reaching 35-45 kmph gusting to 55 kmph are very likely to prevail over south Jharkhand and adjoining north interior Odisha & north Chhattisgarh during next 12 hours and decrease thereafter.

(iii) Sea Condition:

- ❖ **Sea condition is very likely to be rough** over northwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Bangladesh, West Bengal & Odisha coasts during next 12 hours and improve gradually thereafter.

(iv) Fishermen Warning (Graphics Attached):

- ❖ Fishermen are advised not to venture into north Bay of Bengal, along & off Bangladesh, West Bengal, and Odisha coasts till 15th morning.

(v) Impact Expected and Action Suggested due to heavy rainfall and squally winds Impact expected:

- ❖ Breaking of tree branches, Horticulture crops like banana, papaya, drum sticks may be affected. Strong wind and rain may damage plantation, horticulture and standing crops.
- ❖ Partial damage to vulnerable structures due to strong winds and rain.
- ❖ Minor damage to kutcha houses/walls, huts and roads due to heavy rain.
- ❖ Loose objects may fly.
- ❖ Small ships, trawlers and boats may be affected.
- ❖ Road and rail traffic may be affected due to heavy rain and squally winds.
- ❖ Localised landslides, mudslides, landslips, water logging, inundation over low lying areas.
- ❖ Occasional reduction in visibility due to heavy rainfall.
- ❖ Helicopter services may get affected.

Action suggested:

- ❖ People are advised to keep a watch on the weather for worsening conditions and be ready to move to safer places accordingly.
- ❖ Take safe shelters; do not take shelter under trees, as there could be lightning.
- ❖ In case of expected lightning, unplug electrical/ electronic appliances, immediately, get out of water bodies and keep away from all the objects that conduct electricity.
- ❖ Tourism and recreational activities to be regulated.
- ❖ Onshore and offshore activities to be judiciously regulated.
- ❖ Helicopter services to be regulated.
- ❖ **In view of above, State Governments are advised to keep a close watch, monitor the situation in their areas regularly and take appropriate precautionary measures. District authorities are to be advised accordingly. It is also requested that MHA may be kept informed about any developments in this regard at ICR-ER telephone numbers- 011-23438252/53/54.**


Control Room Officer
ICR-ER, MHA
Email: icr-er@mha.gov.in

Copy to:

PS to HM, PS to MoS, Sr. PPS to HS/ Member Secretary NDMA, AS(DM) & JS(DM).