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FLASH FLOOD ALERT



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To:

1. Secretaries to Govt. of the Punjab,
 - i. HUD & PHED Department
 - ii. Local Government & Community Development Department
 - iii. Agriculture Department
 - iv. Environment Protection Department
 - v. Specialized Healthcare & Medical Education Department
 - vi. Health & Population Department
 - vii. Forest, Wildlife & Fisheries Department
 - viii. Communications & Work Department
 - ix. Transport & Mass Transit Department
 - x. Tourism, Archaeology and Museums Department
 - xi. Higher Education Department
 - xii. School Education Department
 - xiii. Punjab Emergency Services (Rescue 1122), Department
2. IG Motorways
3. Divisional Commissioner DG Khan
4. Deputy Commissioners/Chairman DDMA's DG Khan and Rajanpur
5. Director General of WASAs, Punjab
6. Managing Director WASA, DG Khan

SUBJECT: FLASH FLOOD ALERT FOR HILL TORRENTS IN DERA GHAZI KHAN AND RAJANPUR (2ND TO 4TH APRIL)

Met office (vide Letter No. A-02/2026) has informed that a strong westerly weather system is expected to affect **South Punjab (Hill torrents of Dera Ghazi Khan and Rajanpur districts)** from **2nd and 4th April**.

- **Nullahs originated from hill torrents of Dera Ghazi Khan and Rajanpur districts are expected to experience flash flooding along with elevated flows**
2. All concerned authorities are advised to remain **ALERT** and take necessary measures to avoid any untoward situation during the forecast period. Residents of **vulnerable and low-lying areas**, particularly those near streams and nullahs, should remain vigilant and avoid unnecessary movement during forecast period
 3. In order to maintain high level of preparedness and mitigation of the disaster, the District administrations of these districts and line departments are requested to ensure the following measures:
 - i. Ensure **sufficient staffing round-the-clock in DEOCs** for effective coordination and response.
 - ii. **Coordinate** with PDMA and all relevant departments to ensure **a unified prompt response**.
 - iii. Activate flood monitoring and **early warning system**.
 - iv. Ensure accurate and timely dissemination of **information on safety measures and evacuation plans** through **electronic and social media**.
 - v. Ensure **pre-placement of heavy earth moving machinery** at chokepoints / at-risk regions for managing breaches/cuts and restoration of roads.
 - vi. Ensure **strengthening of embankments** and inspection of flood protection structures.
 - vii. **Clear any hindrances** in water channels to ensure smooth water flow.
 - viii. Deploy **additional staff** and resources to high-risk areas.
 - ix. Stay **alert Rescue 1122** and ensure pre-position search and rescue teams (DRF) along with necessary equipment.
 - x. Ensure **arrangement of transportation** to evacuate people from flood-prone areas
 - xi. Generate **Situation Reports (SITREPS)** to cover any major incidents during forecast period.
 - xii. Ensure **data collection and reporting** for post-flood analysis and improvements.
 4. Respective information is submitted for necessary action.

CC:

- 1) Chief Secretary, Punjab
- 2) SMBR/Relief Commissioner, Punjab, Lahore
- 3) Director General, PDMA, Punjab.


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