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IMD issuing extremely heavy rainfall alert for Assam, and Meghalaya

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National Weather Forecasting Centre, India Meteorological Department (IMD) is issuing an alert for Bihar, Jharkhand, Sub-Himalayan West Bengal & Sikkim, Arunachal Pradesh, Assam & Meghalaya and Nagaland, Manipur, Mizoram & Tripura predicting heavy to very heavy falls during the next 3-4 days. There is a possibility of extremely heavy rainfalls Assam and Meghalaya on today 21 July 2020.

As per IMD, strong winds from the and Bay of Bengal and Arabian Sea to the lower tropospheric level in northeastern, adjoining East India and northwest India have created favorable conditions for heavy to very heavy rainfall in Jammu & Kashmir, Ladakh, GilgitBaltistan & Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Punjab, Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi and Uttar Pradesh during next 24 hours and rainfall intensity & distribution very likely to decrease thereafter.

IMD has issued a red alert for Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi, East Uttar Pradesh, Bihar, East Madhya Pradesh, Vidarbha, Jharkhand and north Odisha during next 12 hours. IMD has also issued a strong wind alert for Southwest and adjoining westcentral Arabian Sea, and the Eastcentral & Northwest Arabian Sea and along & off Karnataka-Maharashtra coasts during the next five days. Fishermen are advised not to venture into this area during the period mentioned.