Extreme rainfall alert for Rayalaseema, Coastal Andhra Pradesh, Yanam and southeast Telangana: IMD advisory to stay indoor

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India Meteorological Department (IMD) is issuing an alert for Rayalaseema, Coastal Andhra Pradesh, Yanam and southeast Telangana predicting extremely heavy rainfall on 26 November 2020. There is a possibility of heavy rainfall over South Interior Karnataka, Tamil Nadu, Puducherry and Karaikal on 26 November 2020, Rayalaseema, and Telangana on 27 November 2020 and Andaman & Nicobar Islands during 27-30 November 2020.

Western disturbance and Cyclonic Storm “NIVAR” over southwest Bay of Bengal have created conditions that are favorable for isolated extremely heavy rainfall activity
very likely over Ranipet, Tiruvannamalai, Tirupattur and Vellore districts of Tamil Nadu and Chittoor, Kurnool, Prakasam and Cuddappa districts of Andhra Pradesh and adjoining southeast Telangana on 26 November 2020.

As per the latest weather forecast by IMD, widespread rainfall/thundershowers with isolated heavy rainfall likely over Tamil Nadu, Puducherry, south coastal Andhra Pradesh, Rayalseema and south peninsular India. However, dry weather over the remaining parts of the country.

IMD is also issuing a strong wind alert for Southwest Bay of Bengal and along & off Puducherry, Villupuram & Chengalpattu districts of north Tamil Nadu on 26 November 2020. Fishermen are advised not to venture into this area during next 24 hours.

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