



Date: 26 September 2021

Time of issue: 1130 Hrs IST

WARNINGS FOR FISHERMEN

The **Cyclonic Storm 'Gulab'** (pronounced as Gul-Aab) over northwest and adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal moved nearly westwards with a speed of 17 kmph during last 06 hours and lay centered at 0830 hrs IST of 26 th September 2021, over northwest and adjoining westcentral Bay of Bengal near Lat. 18.4°N and Long. 86.4°E, about 180 km east-southeast of Gopalpur (Odisha) & 240 km east-northeast of Kalingapatnam (Andhra Pradesh). It is likely to move nearly westwards and cross north Andhra Pradesh - south Odisha coasts between Kalingapatnam & Gopalpur, as a Cyclonic Storm with maximum sustained wind speed of 75-85 kmph gusting to 95 kmph, around mid-night of today, the 26th September, 2021. The Landfall process will commence from late evening of today.

COAST	WIND WARNINGS
Tamil Nadu & Puducherry	<p>Day 1(26.09.2021) & Day 2(27.09.2021): Strong wind with speed reaching 45-55 Kmph is likely to prevail over Comorin area, Gulf of Mannar and Southwest Bay of Bengal.</p> <p>Fishermen are advised not to venture into these sea areas during the period mentioned above.</p>
Other than Tamil Nadu	<p>Day 1(26.09.2021) & Day 2(27.09.2021): Squally weather with wind speed reaching 40-50 Kmph is likely to occur over Kerala - Lakshadweep coasts and Southeast Arabian Sea.</p> <p>DAY 1(26.09.2021): Squally wind speed reaching 45-55 kmph gusting to 65 kmph likely to prevail along and off Odisha-North Andhra Pradesh coasts. It will gradually increase becoming gale wind speed reaching 75-85 kmph gusting to 95 kmph from afternoon of 26th till midnight along & off north Andhra Pradesh (Srikakulam, Vizianagaram, Visakhapatnam Districts) and south Odisha coasts (Ganjam, Gajapati Districts), 55-65 kmph gusting to 75 kmph along & off Khordha, Puri, Raigada & Koraput districts, 50-60 kmph gusting to 70 kmph over Navrangpur & Malkangiri districts of Odisha. Squally wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph likely to prevail along & off remaining parts of Odisha & Andhra Pradesh & West Bengal coasts and also over northeast Bay of Bengal on 26th Sept.</p> <p>Fishermen are advised not to venture into these sea areas during the period mentioned above.</p>

HIGH WAVE WARNING ISSUED BY INCOIS

ANDHRA PRADESH: High waves in the range of 2.5 - 3.5 meters are forecasted till 23:30 hours of 27-09-2021 along the coast of Andhra Pradesh from Visakhapatnam to Baruva. Surface Current speeds vary between 101 - 152 cm/sec.

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