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Subject: Adverse weather over North-west India from 7th March to 11th March, 2017

An active Western Disturbance will affect north-west India from 7th March to 11th March, 2017. Details of the expected weather are given as follows:-

- Fairly widespread rainfall/snowfall will commence over Jammu & Kashmir and Himachal Pradesh from 7th March evening. The intensity & spatial distribution of precipitation will increase from 8th March with fairly widespread to widespread precipitation over Jammu & Kashmir and Himachal Pradesh, upto 10th March and decrease thereafter.
- Scattered to fairly widespread precipitation would occur over Uttarakhand from 7th March evening to 9th March and widespread on 10th March.
- Scattered to fairly widespread rain / thundershower would occur over Punjab, Haryana & Chandigarh during the period 8th evening to 10th March.
- Light isolated to scattered rain/thundershower would occur over northern parts of Rajasthan during 8th evening to 10th March.
- Light isolated to scattered rain / thundershower would occur over Uttar Pradesh during 8th evening to 11th March.

Heavy rainfall / snowfall warning / Hail warning

- Isolated heavy rainfall/snowfall with squall/hail would occur over J&K on 8th and 9th March.
- Isolated thunder squall / hail would occur over HP and Uttarakhand from 9th to 10th and isolated heavy rainfall / snowfall on 9th March 2017.
- Thundersquall with hail very likely at isolated places over Northern parts of Punjab and Haryana on 9th and 10th and over UP on 10th March 2017.

Weather over National Capital Region (NCR)

- Thundery development / Dust storm is likely to occur at few places on 8th evening/night over NCR. One or two spells of rain/thunderstorm are likely to occur at many places of NCR between 9th evening to 10th evening.

For updated detailed weather forecast, kindly see our website (<http://www.imd.gov.in>), (<http://amssdelhi.gov.in/>)