

**U.T. Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu
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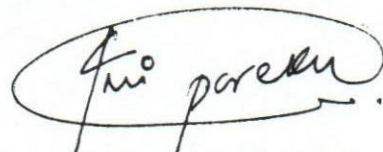
It is to bring to the attention of the public that Indian Meteorological Department (IMD) has issued an **Orange Alert - Cyclone Warning for Gujarat and Diu coasts** in wake of **Very Severe Cyclonic Storm "Tauktae"** (pronounced as Tau'Te) over east central Arabian Sea.

IMD has issued the warning that light to moderate rainfall (2.5 – 35.5 mm) at many places with heavy to very heavy falls (64.5- 244.4 mm) at isolated places over southern most Gujarat region (including Daman) 17th May 2021 with extremely heavy falls at isolated places on 18th May 2021 .

Squally wind speed reaching 40-50 kmph gusting to 60 kmph are likely over northeast Arabian Sea and along and off south Gujarat and Daman and Diu coasts from 16th May 2021. Gale winds speed reaching 70-90 kmph gusting to 100 kmph likely to prevail along and off Dadra, Nagar Haveli, Daman, Valsad, Navsari, Surat, Kheda districts from 17th mid-night till 18th May 2021 morning.

All fishing activities are suspended till 18th May 2021. Public is cautioned not to go near the beaches or sea and avoid non-emergency travel.

Citizens are advised to **remain alert, safe and follow the warning and alerts issued by Government agencies**. Public may contact the district control room 1077(0260-2231377) for any updates, information or help. The latest updates on the cyclone track are updated through social media.



(Charmie Parekh)
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To,

- 1) The Commanding Officer, Indian Coast Guard Air Station, Daman
- 2) The Superintendent of Police, Daman
- 3) The Field Publicity Officer, Information and Publicity Department, Daman for wide publicity.
- 4) The Superintendent , Fisheries Department, Daman
- 5) The Port Officer, Daman

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