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## Special Advisory of a Low Pressure Area

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### PLEASE BE AWARE!

The low pressure area is now located over Comorine and adjoining Sri Lanka sea area. Under the influence of the low pressure system prevailing showery and cloudy condition over the island and surrounding sea areas is likely to continue.

General public, Naval and fishing communities are requested to be attentive about advisories issued by the Department of Meteorology in this regard.

### ADVISORIES

#### 1. Heavy Rainfall

Very heavy falls of above 150 mm can be expected at some places in Northern and Eastern provinces and heavy falls of about 100 mm can be expected at some places elsewhere.

#### 2. Winds

Winds speed will be 30-40 kmph over sea areas around the island and rough at times as the wind speed can increase up to 50-60 kmph at times over the deep sea area extending from Kankasanturai to Galle via Puttalam.

**Temporarily strong gusty winds (up to 70-80 kmph) and rough seas can be expected during thundershowers.**

#### 3. Sea Condition

Rough over Sea areas off the coast extending from Trincomalee to Puttalam via Kankasanturai and over the deep sea area extending from Puttalam to Galle via Colombo.

### ADVISORY FOR NAVAL AND FISHING COMMUNITY

Another low pressure area is likely to develop over Andaman Sea and adjoining Southeast Bay of Bengal during next 48 hours. It is very likely to move west-northwest wards and intensify further subsequently.

- Fishermen are advised to be vigilant in this regards

*The next bulletin will be issued at 2.00 pm at 08<sup>th</sup> November*