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**Subject: Wet spell over Western Himalayan Region and over adjoining plains till 04<sup>th</sup> February, 2024 with peak intensity on 31<sup>st</sup> January & 01<sup>st</sup> February, 2024.**

**Two Western Disturbances in quick succession are likely to affect northwest India during next 5-6 days.** Under the influence of these systems:

- Light/moderate fairly widespread to widespread rainfall/snowfall very likely over Jammu, Kashmir, Ladakh, Gilgit, Baltistan & Muzaffarabad, Himachal Pradesh and Uttarakhand during next 6 days (30<sup>th</sup> January to 04<sup>th</sup> February) and decrease significantly thereafter.
- Isolated **heavy rainfall/snowfall** also likely over Kashmir valley, Himachal Pradesh on 31<sup>st</sup> January & 01<sup>st</sup> February, Uttarakhand on 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2024.
- Light/moderate scattered to fairly widespread rainfall very likely over Punjab, Chandigarh, Haryana, Delhi and isolated to scattered rainfall over Uttar Pradesh during 31<sup>st</sup> January & 01<sup>st</sup> February, 2024.
- Isolated **hailstorm** also likely over Jammu-Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Punjab, Haryana on 31<sup>st</sup> January and over Uttarakhand on 31<sup>st</sup> January & 01<sup>st</sup> February, 2024.
- **Strong surface winds of the order of 30-40 kmph** very likely over Punjab and Haryana-Chandigarh-Delhi on 31<sup>st</sup> January.

The state-wise forecast is given below:

S.No.	State	Forecast
1.	Jammu and Kashmir	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Light to moderate rain/snowfall accompanied with thunderstorm &amp; lightning at most places on 30<sup>th</sup> &amp; 31<sup>st</sup> January; at a few places very likely on 1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> February and at many places on 3<sup>rd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> February.</li><li>• <b>Heavy rainfall/snowfall at isolated places also likely on 31<sup>st</sup> January and 1<sup>st</sup> February.</b></li><li>• <b>Light to moderate hailstorm is likely at isolated places on 31<sup>st</sup> January.</b></li></ul>

2.	Himachal Pradesh	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Light to moderate rain/snowfall accompanied with thunderstorm &amp; lightning at most places on 30<sup>th</sup> January to 1<sup>st</sup> February; at an isolated places very likely on 2<sup>nd</sup> February and at most places on 3<sup>rd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> February.</li> <li>• <b>Heavy rainfall/snowfall at isolated places likely on 31<sup>st</sup> January and 1<sup>st</sup> February.</b></li> <li>• <b>Light to moderate hailstorm is likely at isolated places on 31<sup>st</sup> January.</b></li> </ul>
3.	Uttarakhand	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Light to moderate rain/snowfall accompanied with thunderstorm &amp; lightning at most places on 31<sup>st</sup> January &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> February; at an isolated places very likely on 30<sup>th</sup> January &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> February and at a few places during 3<sup>rd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> February.</li> <li>• <b>Heavy rainfall/snowfall at isolated places likely on 31<sup>st</sup> January.</b></li> <li>• <b>Light to moderate hailstorm is likely at isolated places on 31<sup>st</sup> January &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> February.</b></li> </ul>
4.	Punjab	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Light rain accompanied with thunderstorm, lightning &amp; gusty winds (30-40 kmph) at isolated places on 30<sup>th</sup> January; at many places on 31<sup>st</sup> January &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> February and at a few places very likely on 3<sup>rd</sup> February &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> February.</li> <li>• <b>Light to moderate hailstorm is likely at isolated places on 31<sup>st</sup> January.</b></li> </ul>
5.	Haryana, Chandigarh & Delhi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Light rain accompanied with thunderstorm, lightning &amp; gusty winds (30-40 kmph) at many places on 31<sup>st</sup> January &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> February and at isolated places on 3<sup>rd</sup> February &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> February over Haryana &amp; Chandigarh.</li> <li>• <b>Light to moderate hailstorm is likely at isolated places on 31<sup>st</sup> January.</b></li> <li>• Light rain accompanied with gusty winds (30-40 kmph) at most places is also likely over Delhi on 31<sup>st</sup> January and light rainfall/drizzle on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> February.</li> </ul>
6.	West Uttar Pradesh	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Light rain accompanied with thunderstorm, lightning &amp; gusty winds (30-40 kmph) at a few places on 31<sup>st</sup> January &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> February and at isolated places on 3<sup>rd</sup> February &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> February.</li> </ul>
7.	East Uttar Pradesh	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Light rain accompanied with thunderstorm, lightning &amp; gusty winds (30-40 kmph) at isolated places on 31<sup>st</sup> January, 1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> February.</li> </ul>
8.	West Rajasthan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Light rain accompanied with thunderstorm, lightning &amp; gusty winds (30-40 kmph) at isolated places on 31<sup>st</sup> January, 2<sup>nd</sup> &amp; 3<sup>rd</sup> February.</li> </ul>
9.	East Rajasthan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Light rain accompanied with thunderstorm, lightning &amp; gusty winds (30-40 kmph) at isolated places on 31<sup>st</sup> January, 3<sup>rd</sup> &amp; 4<sup>th</sup> February.</li> </ul>

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