

#### SITUATION SUMMARY

- ♦ Heavy pre-monsoon rains in Sri Lanka continues from 20th May 2018, have killed at least thirteen people, and more than 100,000 people are affected in 19 District as of today.
- Flooding and subsequent potential landslide threat has forced the evacuation of people in low-lying areas where four main rivers have reached flood levels, while four districts were on "red alert" for possible landslides.
- Spill gates of many reservoirs had to be opened across the island. NBRO has still given landslide threat to Ratnapura, Kalutara, Badulla, Kegalle, Kandy, Matale, Nuwara-Eliya, Galle, Colombo and Kurunegala due to earthslips, cut failures and rock falls.
- South-west monsoon still suppressed by the persisting wind circulations running until September.
- 125,954 people (32,136 families) have been affected (the Disaster Situation Report, DMC & National Disaster Relief Services Centre (NDRSC) at 1000 hours on 24rd of May 2018).
   NDRSC has provided 24.9 million cash allocations to the 12 District Secretaries to address the immediate needs of the affected populations.
- River water levels at many stations are gradually decreasing, in Kelani, Nilwala, Gin, Malwathu-oya, Maha-Oya rivers and some areas of Kalu river shows flood levels as of 24th May.

#### **CURRENT SITUATION**

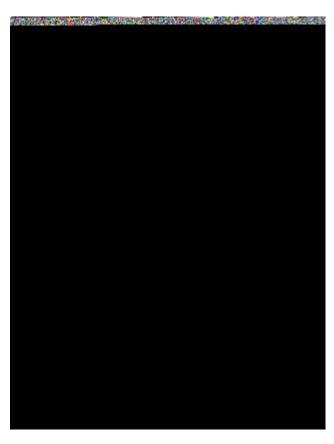
Department of Meteorology highlighted last 18-24 hours rainfall observed in main stations ended on morning hours of 24nd May 2018 showing reduction of rainfall in many areas; in Avissawella 92.6m, Ratnapura-68.4mm, Nivithigala-92.2mm, Galle-69.7mm, Mannar-54.7mm, Colombo-55.8mm. The highest rainfall recorded was around 122.7mm in Mallawa in Puttalam District.

Ministry of Irrigation, Water Resources and Disaster Management, has called a response planning meeting today with respective government officials to discuss response measure to face heavy flood incident in coming few days under the leadership of Hon Duminda Dissanayake. Ministry officials and other senior level officials from respective organizations, Military officers and District officials were presented at the discussion.

Still full access to Kaduwela main bridge towards Biyagama road is not restored due to damage to side-wall of the bridge, however authorities are attending to it. Access are denied in the Panwila-Bambaraella road due to a rock-fall in Kandy district.

DMC is coordinating with Military agencies through its EOC for better response interventions and NDRSC is undertaking needs assessment at local levels, especially in safety centers. Recorded housing damages; full damages 43 and partial damages 3,225.

FIGURE 01: Heavy rainfall received last 24 hours ending at 0830 hours on 24 May 2018



result of severe rains, 125,954 people (32,136 families) have been affected (the Disaster Situation Report , National Disaster Relief Services Centre (NDRSC) at 1000 hours on 24rd of May 2018). People at flood risk have been evacuated to safe locations and the total number of welfare centres. Approximately, 13,832 families have been evacuated into 251 welfare centres due to flood and landslide risks in 10 Districts. As of now 13 deaths were reported to the Disaster Management Centre.

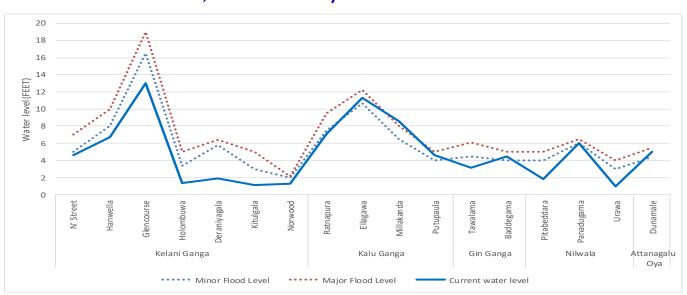
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Department of Irrigation has indicated that several major river levels are decreasing as of 24 May 2018, at 0900 hours which were at flood levels earlier.

However, the recorded rainfall was minimal in the major river catchment areas during past 24 hours ending from 8 30 hours of 24 May 2018. Therefore, the flood levels will fade away gradually.

**Source: Department of Meteorology** 

FIGURE 02: River water level, 0900 hours 24 May 2018



**Source: Department of Irrigation** 

River gauges in Nilwala, Gin, Kalu, Kelani, Attanagalu-Oya, Ma-Oya, Mahaweli showing normal water levels

#### FLOOD STATUS AND FORECASTED IMPACT

FIGURE 03: Affected Districts and areas prioritization for response





Total affected Families 32,136 and evacuated 13,832 families



Number of households at high risk— Full damage 43, Partially damage 3,225 houses

### **FLOOD RESPONSE AND RESCUE OPERATIONS**

#### Table 01: Details of Tri Forces allocation to the emergency response

### (Colombo, Matara, Galle, Kalutara, Ratnapura and Kegalle)

### **Deployed Forces:**

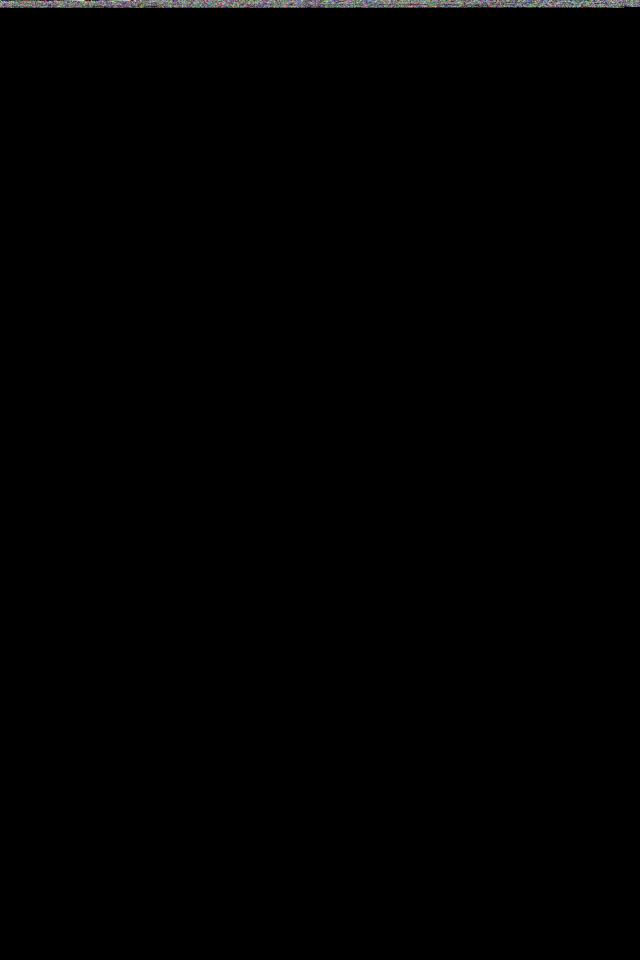
SN	Tri Force	Officers	Others	Total
1	Navy	10	191	201
2	Army	23	502	525
3	Air force			
4	Police			
	Total	33	693	726

### Stand by Forces:

SN	Tri Force	Officers	Others	Total
1	Navy	26	580	606
2	Army	184	5204	5388
3	Air force	9	261	270
4	Police	-	-	
	Total	219	6045	6264

#### **Resources allocation for the Police**

SN	District	Engine Boat	Catamaran	Engine
1	Ratnapura	10	08	01
2	Kalutara	11	10	01
3	Galle	06	03	
4	Badulla	02	02	
5	Gampaha	05	05	02
6	Matara	03	05	
7	Colombo	13	06	01
8	Kegalle	01	01	
9	Puttalam	02		
10	Hambantota	01		
11	Kurunegala	05	07	
	Total	59	47	05

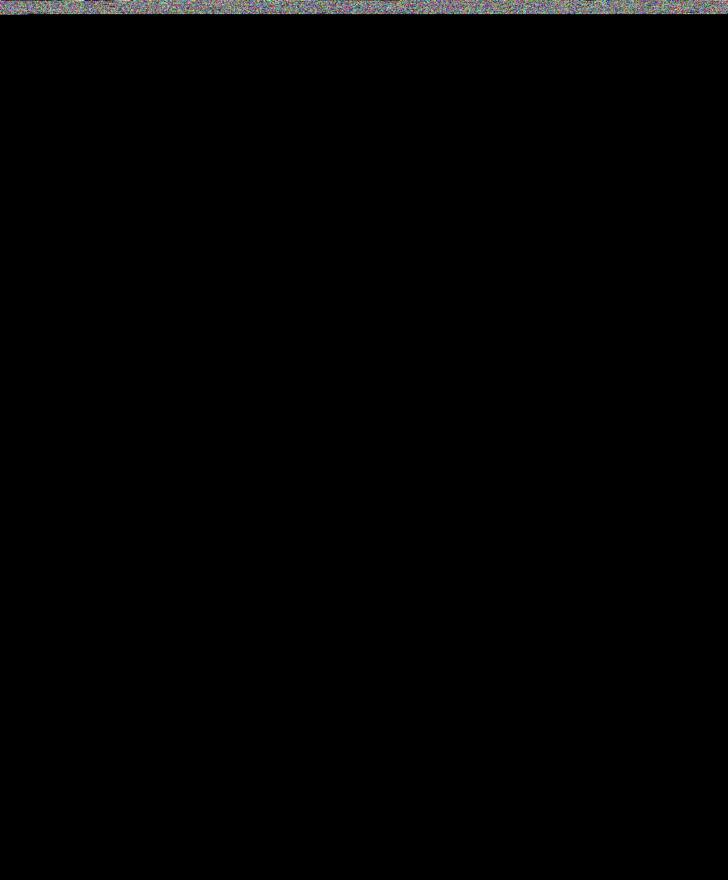


# Current needs at ground compiled by NDRSC

	Adminst	Adminstrative Division						Re	Requirements	ents						
No	District	Division	Male Hy- giene kits	Female Hygiene kits	Baby Hy-Blan giene kits kets	,	Bed Sheets	Towels	Mos- quito coil	Mats	Folding mettress e	Kitchen sets	clothe s	Water pumps	tents	Tarpoline Shets
1		Mahawewa	717	1,076	329	200	250	250	40	275	100	859	125			
		Arachchikattuwa	137	206	69	250	100	100	30	100	20	136	50			
		Pallama	28	87	50							23				
	#:··C	Nattandiya	1,319	1,979	099	1500	400	400	85	400	200	1,800	200			
	Puttalam	Chilaw	08	120	40	200	200	200	40	200	100	06	100			
		Madampe	6	14	5							7				
		Wennappuwa	0	0	0	20	20	50	30	25			25			
		District Secretariat	0	0	0	200										
	Sub Total (06)	tal (06)	2,321	3,482	1,161	3,000	1,000	1,000	225	1,000	450	2,744	200	25	50	1,000
2		Gampaha	276	414	138	250	009	150				744		25		
		Dompe	14	21	7	15	20	10				13				
		Wattala	3,216	4,824	1,608	2400	4,000	1,000				2,328				
	Gampaha	Biyagama	2,948	4,422	1,474	2000	4,000	1,000		200	100	1,942				
		Diulapitiya	163	244	81	130	250	50				122				
		Kelaniya	2,327	3,491	1,164	1600	3,500	750				1,568				
		Jaela	27	40	13	20	40	10				17				
	Sub Total (07)	tal (07)	8,970	13,455	4,485	6,415	12,410	2,970	0	200	100	6,234	0	25	30	1,000
8		Kuruvita	19	29	10	15	30					14				
		Ratnapura	457	989	229	300	700	150				329				
		Elapatha	62	93	31	50	75					20				
	Ratnapura	Kiriella	25	38			30			Ī		16				
		Pelmadulla	40	09	20		09			Ī		40				
		Openayake	13	19	9		15					13				
		Ayagama	35	52	17	35	50					31				
	Sub Total(07)	tal(07)	029	926	325	470	096	150	0	0	0	493	0	20	100	2,000
4	Kaliitara	Bulathsinhala	24	36			20	50		Ī		16				
	מומנמומ	Walalavita	26	39	13	25	50	50				22				
	Sub Total (02)	tal (02)	20	75			100	100	0	0	0	38	0	20	50	1000
2		Udubaddawa	29	101			100	35		Ī		71				
		Pannala	104	156			150	40		Ī		93				
	Kurunegala	Bamunakotuwa	62	93		25	75	20		Ī		55				
		Alawwa	27	41			40	10		Ī		19				
		Kuliyapitiya West	33	50	17		20	10				25				
	Sub Total (05)	tal (05)	293	440	147	100	415	115	0	0	0	263	0	30	15	1000
9		Seethawaka	213	320	107	75	300	09				137				
	Colombo	Colombo	32	48	16		20					20				
		Kolonnawa	377	565	188	100	200	100				280				
	Sub Total (03)	ral (03)	621	932	311	175	850	160	0	0	0	437	0	25	15	200
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			12,900	13,330						1,200						0,000

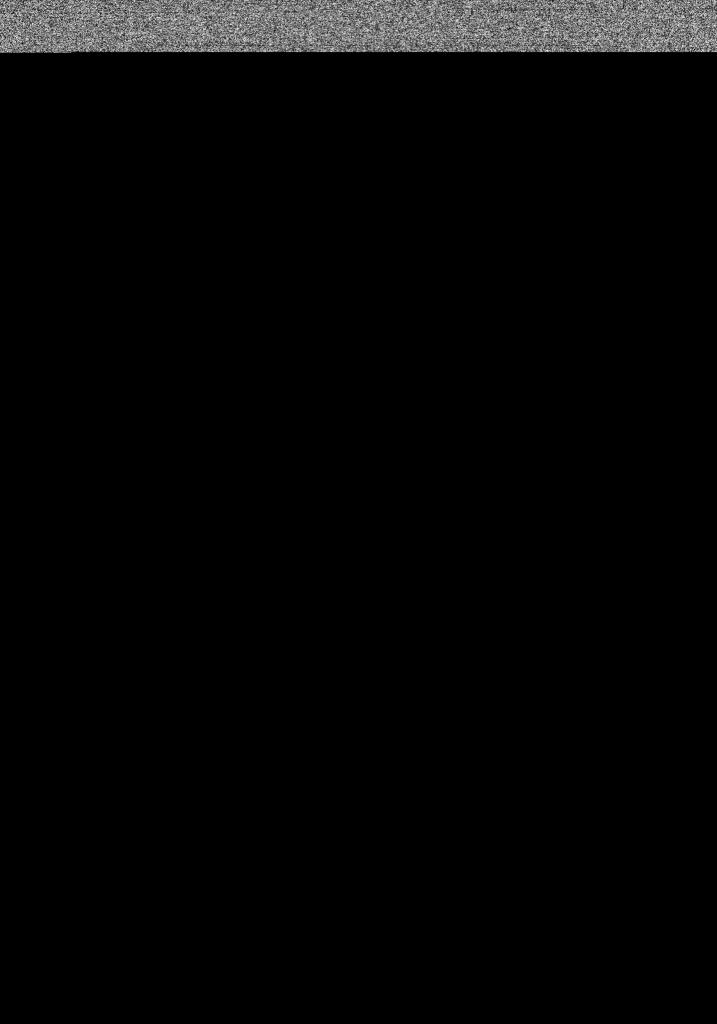
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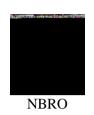


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Landslide Early Warning තායයෑම් පිළිබද පුර්ව අනතුරු ඇඟවීම ගණ්ණ්ඩකු (ගුන්කේණ්ඩ්ක්කෙස

1<sup>st</sup> update:16.00 h on 22.05.2018, 2<sup>nd</sup> update:16.00 h on 23.05.2018 to 16.00 h on 24.05.2018



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හේ ජාග්යාමක හට්ටර් 1: அவதானிப்பு

Since the rainfall within the past 24 hours has exceeded 75mm, if the rain continues, be watchful on the possibility of landslides, slope failures, rock falls, cutting failures and ground subsidence.

පසු ගිය පැය 24 තුල වර්ෂාපතනය 75mm ඉක්මවා ඇති බැවින්, වර්ෂාව තවදුරටත් පවතී නම් නායයෑමේ, බෑවුම් කඩා වැටීමේ, ගල් පෙරළිමේ, පස් කණ්ඩි කඩා වැටීමේ සහ පොළොව ගිලා බැසීමේ අවදානම පිළිබදව විමසිලිමත් වන්න.

கடந்த 24 மணித்தியாலங்களில் மழைவீழ்ச்சி 75 மி.மீ களை மேவியுள்ளதனால்- மழை தொடருமாயின் மண்சரிவு, சாய்வு இடிந்து விழுகை, பாநை விழுகை, நிலவெட்டுசாய்வு இடிந்து விழுகை மற்றும் தரை உள்ளிறக்கம் என்பவற்றின் சாத்தியங்களுக்கான அவதானிப்புடன் இருக்கவும்.

Warning level 2: Color Code: අදියර 2: වර්ණ කේතය: எச்சரிக்கை மட்டம் 2: வர்ண குறியீடு: Alert Amber අවධාන ඇම්බර් எச்சரிக்கை செம்மஞ்சள் Since the rainfall within the past 24 hours has exceeded 100 mm, if the rains continue, be on alert on the possibility of landslides, slope failures, rock falls, cut failures and ground subsidence, being ready to evacuate to a safe location if the need arises.

පසුගිය පැය 24 තුළ වර්ෂාපතනය 100 mm ඉක්මවා ඇති බැවින්, වර්ෂාව තවදුරටත් පවතී නම් නායයෑම්, බෑවුම් කඩා වැටීම්, ගල් පෙරළීම්, පොළොව ගිලා බැසීමේ සහ පස් කණ්ඩි කඩා වැටීම් අවධානම පිළිබද අවධානයෙන් සිට අවශා වූවහොත් ආරක්ෂාකාරී තැනකට යාමට සූදානම් වන්න.

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පසුගිය පැය 24 තුළ වර්ෂාපතනය 150mm ඉක්මවා ඇති බැවින්, වර්ෂාව තවදුරටත් පවතී නම් නායයෑම්, බෑවුම් කඩා වැටීම්, ගල් පෙරළීම්, පොළොව ගිලා බැසීම් සහ පස් කණ්ඩි කඩා වැටීමේ අනතුරු වලින් වැලකීමට ආරක්ෂිත ස්ථානයකට යන්න.

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		Divisional Secretari	at Divisions and Lo	ocations
District	Level 1 (Yellow)	Level 2 (Amber)	Level 3 (Red)	Areas and places which need special attention
Rathnapura		Ayaganma Kahawatta Kalawana Kiriella Kolona Nivitigala Pelmadulla Balangoda Godakawela Imbulpe Opanayaka Weligepola  Divisional secretariat divisions and surrounding areas.	Ratnapura↑ Elapatha↑ Kuruwita↑ Ehaliyagoda↑  Divisional secretariat divisions and surrounding areas.	All mountainous areas, manmade cut slopes and roads within the relevant DS divisions අදාල පුාදේශීය ලේකම් කොට්ඨාශ තුල පිහිටි කළුකර බෑවුම් හා ඒ ආශිත පුදේශ තුල පිහිටි
Kegalle	Warakapola  Divisional secretariat division and surrounding areas.	Galigamuwa Kellgalle Yatiyanthota Rambukana  Divisional secretariat divisions and surrounding areas.	Bulathkopitiya ↑ Dehiovita ↑ Deraniyagala ↑ Ruwanwella ↑ Aranayaka ↑ Mawanalle ↑ Divisional secretariat divisions and surrounding areas.	ப්ரதேச செயலக பிரிவினுள்ளான சகல மலைப்பாங்கான பகுதிகள் மற்றும் வெட்டப்பட்ட நிலச் சாய்வுகள்  Specially: All the landslide susceptible areas previously identified by NBRO.  විශේෂ: ජාතික ගොඩනැගිලි පර්යේෂණ සංවිධානය විසින්
Kandy	Thumpane  Divisional secretariat division and surrounding areas.	Pasbage Korale GangaIhala Korale Udapalatha Doluwa Delthota* Divisional secretariat divisions and surrounding areas.		නායයෑමේ අවදානමක් ඇති ලෙස පුර්වයෙන් හදුනාගෙන ඇති පුදේශ <u>ඛ්ෂோமாக</u> : NBROඛ්னால் முன்னர் அடையாளப்படுத்தப்பட்ட மண்சரிவுக்கான ஏதுநிலையுள்ள சகல பிரதேசங்கள்.

Matale	Matale, Rattota, Ukkuwela  Divisional secretariat division and surrounding areas.			
Nuwara Eliya			Ambagamuwa↑ Kothmale↑ Nuwara Eliya ↑  Divisional secretariat divisions and surrounding areas.	
Badulla	Haldumulla  Divisional secretariat division and surrounding areas.			
Kalutara		Beruwala* Kalutara* Millaniya* Divisional secretariat divisions and surrounding areas.	Palinda Nuwara↑ Agalawatta↑ Bulathsinhala↑ Ingiriya↑ Walalawita↑  Divisional secretariat division and surrounding areas.	
Galle			Elpitiya↑ Galle Four Gravest↑ Nagoda↑ Neluwa↑ Thawalama↑ Divisional secretariat division	

		and surrounding	
		areas.	
	Ibbagamuwa Malwalapitiya Mawathegama Rideegama		
Kurunagala	Divisional secretariat divisions and surrounding areas.		
Colombo	Seethawaka  Divisional secretariat division and surrounding areas.  Be vigilant on the possibility of slope, cut slope		
	and retaining wall failures.		
Gampaha	Be vigilant on the possibility of slope, cut slope and retaining wall failures.		

**Note**:  $\uparrow$  shifted one level up,  $\uparrow \uparrow$  shifted two levels up,  $\downarrow$  shifted one level down,  $\downarrow \downarrow$  shifted two levels down. \*newly added with the last update

විශේෂ සටහන: කරුණාකර මෙම නායයෑම් පිළිබඳ පූර්ව අනතුරු හැඟවීම් කාලසීමාව තුළ පහත කරුණු වෙත ඔබේ අවධානය යොමු කරන්න.

- 1. පහත දැක්වෙන නායයෑම් පූර්ව ලක්ෂණ පිළිබද සැලකිලිමත් වන්න.
  - 🕨 පොළවේ ඇති වන ඉරි තැලීම්, ගැඹුරට හැරුණු පැළුම් හා පොළවේ ගිලා බැසීම්
  - 🍃 කුමයෙන් ඇලවී යන ගස්, විදුලි කණු, වැටවල් හා දුරකථන කුළුණු ආදිය
  - 🕨 ගොඩනැගිලිවල ගෙබිම හා බිත්තිමත ඇතිවන පිපුරුම් හා ඒවායේ කුමික වර්ධනය වීම්
  - 🕨 එක්වර ජල උල්පත් ඇතිවීම හෝ පෙර පැවති ජල උල්පත්බොරවීම, අවහිරවීම හෝ නැතිවීම
- 2. එවත් තායයාමක පූර්ව ලක්ෂණ දක්තට ලැබෙත පුදේශ වලිත් හැකි ඉක්මතින් ඉවත් වත්ත.

3. ඊට අමතරව අනතුරට භාජනය ව්යහැකි යැයි අනුමාන කරන පුදේශ වල ජිවත් වන පුද්ගලයින් වැඩි වශයෙන් පරික්ෂාකාරී ව්යයුතු අතර දැඩි වර්ෂා තත්වය තවදුරටත් පැවතුනහොත් සුරක්ෂිත ස්ථානයක් කරා ක්ෂණිකව ඉවත්ව යාමට සූදානම්ව සිටිය යුතුය.

**සැ.යු:** ජාතික ගොඩනැගිලි පර්යේෂණ සංවිධානයෙන් සහ ආපදා කළමනාකරණ මධාාස්ථානයෙන් ලැබෙන වැඩිදුර උපදෙස් අනුගමනය කරන්න.

**Special Note:** During this Landslide Early Warning period, please pay attention to the following:

- 1. Pay your attention to the following pre landslide signs,
  - Development of cracks on the ground, deepened cracks and ground subsidence
  - > Slanting of trees, electrical posts, fences and telephone posts
  - > Cracks in the floors and walls of buildings which are built at slopes
  - > Sudden appearance of springs, emerging muddy water, blockage or disappearance of existing springs
- 2. People should move immediately away from the areas where they noticed the above pre-landslide signs.
- 3. Furthermore, people living in landslide susceptible areas should be extra vigilant and should be ready to move quickly to safe places if heavy rain continues.

**Note**: Communities are advised to follow the instructions given by National Building Research Organization and Disaster Management Center.

**விசேட குறிப்பு:** மண்சரிவு முன்னெச்சரிக்கை காலப்பகுதியில் பின்வருவனவற்றில் கவனம் எடுக்கவும்

- 1. பின்வரும் மண்சரிவு முன் அறிகுறிகளையிட்டு கவனத்தை செலுத்தவும்.
  - 🕨 நிலத்தில் வெடிப்பு உருவாகுதல், ஆழமாகும் வெடிப்புகள் மற்றும் தரை உள்ளிறக்கங்கள்.
  - 🕨 மரங்கள்,மின் கம்பங்கள், வேலிகள், மற்றும் தொலைபேசிக் கம்பங்கள் சாய்வடைதல்.
  - 🕨 சாய்வுகளில் அமைந்துள்ள கட்டிடங்களின் தரைமற்றும் சுவர்களில் வெடிப்புகள் உருவாகுதல்.
  - நிலத்திலிருந்து திடீரென நீரூற்றுகள், சேற்று நீா தோன்றுதல் மற்றும் தற்போதுள்ள நீரூற்றுகள் தடைப்படுதல் அல்லது இல்லாது போகுதல்.
- 2. மண்சரிவுக்கு முன்னரான அறிகுறிகளை கொண்ட இடங்களிலிருந்து உடனடியாக மக்கள் அப்பால் நகர வேண்டும்.
- 3. மேலும், பாதிப்பு ஏதுநிலையுள்ள பகுதிகளில் வாழும் மக்கள் மேலதிக விழிப்புடன் இருக்கவேண்டும் என்பதுடன் கடும் மழை தொருமாயின் விரைவாக பாதுகாப்பான இடங்களுக்கு நகர ஆயத்தமாகவும் இருக்கவேண்டும்.

**குறிப்பு**: தயவுசெய்து தேசிய கட்டிட ஆராய்ச்சி நிறுவனம் மற்றும் அனர்த்த முகாமைத்துவ நிலையம் என்பவர்றின் அறிவுறுத்தல்களை பின்பர்றவும்

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