

8th MONSOON FORUM

10 May 2023

Laamu. Fonadhoo, Maldives

AGENDA

9:30	Arrival of participants and Breakfast/Tea/Coffee <i>Start the forum at 10:15 hrs.</i>	-
10:15	Recitation of Holy Quran	<i>Aminath Aleesha Ali (9A, Laamu Atoll Education Centre)</i>
10:18	Opening Remarks	<i>Ismail Ali President, L. Atoll Council</i>
10:23	Remarks (UN-ESCAP & RIMES)	<i>Dr. Prangya gupta (ESCAP) MS. Nina Karla Alparce Jaim (RIMES)</i>
10:27	Vote of thanks	<i>Abdul Muhusin Ramiz (Director Meteorology, MMS)</i>
10:30	Group Photo	-
10:40	Introduction of Participants	<i>Self-introduction</i>
11:00	Weather services provided by MMS including Alert criteria	<i>Mohamed Shahudh (Meteorologist, MMS)</i>
11:25	General Climate and Weather Systems.	<i>Ahmed Rasheed (Director Meteorology, MMS)</i>
11:40	Brief overview on Earthquake and Tsunami Early Warning System	<i>Ibrahim Humaid (Seismologist, MMS)</i>
11:55	Disaster/Hazard impact assessment and reporting mechanism in Maldives	<i>Sofeenaz Hassan (Secretary General, NDMA)</i>
12:15	Lunch & Prayer Break	-
13:15	Review of the 2022 SW Monsoon Season and 2023 NE monsoon season	<i>Aishath Rasheeda (Meteorologist, MMS)</i>
13:35	Understanding future climate risk, exposure and impacts in Maldives using downscaled climate projection information	<i>Dr. Prangya Gupta - ESCAP</i>
13:55	Impacts based forecasting using wave model data	<i>Dr. Prangya Gupta - ESCAP</i>
14:15	Interactive session on Island and Sectoral Experiences on Forecast-based Opportunities and Risks Management during the 2022 Southwest Monsoon Season 2023 NE/dry season: <i>To be facilitated by RIMES/ESCAP/MMS</i>	<i>Participants</i>
15:00	Presentation of Seasonal Climate Outlook/Sub-Seasonal Information for the remainder SW monsoon season:	<i>Aishath Rasheeda (Meteorologist, MMS)</i>
15:15	Interpretation and Translation of Seasonal Climate Outlook and Integration with other Relevant Information for Decision-Making	<i>MS. Nina Karla Alparce Jaim RIMES.</i>
15:45	Discussion and identification of specific requirement from Islands and sectors: <i>To be facilitated by MMS/RIMES/ESCAP</i>	<i>Participants</i>
16:00	Way Forward and Closing Remarks	MMS
16:05	Tea/Coffee	-
16:30	End	