



SITUATION REPORT- 1

Delhi-NCR Rains & Waterlogging

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SITUATION UPDATE AND RESPONSE

- Heavy rain pummeled Delhi and the National Capital Region on Wednesday evening, inundating most parts of the city, and resulting in the **deaths of 07-people**. [Read More>>](#)
- **Three people were electrocuted near Gurgaon's IFFCO Chowk metro station** after heavy rain lashed the national capital on Wednesday evening. A woman and her son drowned in a drain in East Delhi's Mayur Vihar Phase 3. A 12-year-old child tragically died from electrocution in Delhi's Bindapur area due to fallen power lines submerged in water after heavy rain. The incident occurred around 7 PM yesterday while the child was returning home from tuition.
- **Schools shut due to waterlogging, traffic snarls:** All government and private schools were declared shut today after waterlogging and traffic snarls in several areas in Delhi.
- Waterlogging choked traffic in key areas such as ITO, Minto Bridge, Pul Prahladpur Railway Underpass, MB Road, Dhaula Kuan, Mathura Road, Sarita Vihar Metro Station, the carriageway from Moolchand towards Chirag Dilli, areas of Jangpura, Gaffar Market, Sadar Bazar, Anuvrat Marg. [Read More>>](#)
- As many as 10 flights, which were supposed to land at the Delhi airport, were diverted due to the torrential downpour.
- **Red alert issued:** The India Meteorological Department (IMD) issued a red alert in the entire Delhi-NCR warning of moderate to heavy rain or thunderstorms accompanied by gusty winds (speed 30 to 50 kilometers per hour) and will continue in Delhi till August 5. [IMD Forecast-Read More>>](#)
- **House, School Wall Collapse:** The incessant rainfall also led to a house collapse in north Delhi's Sabzi Mandi area, in which one person was injured. Five fire engines, deployed to the spot, faced traffic congestion while arriving amid heavy rain.



Number of Casualties: 07



PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSES

- **Citizens asked to stay in:** The incessant rainfall prompted the weather department to include Delhi in its list of "areas of concern" in the National Flash Flood Guidance Bulletin. Citizens have been advised to remain indoors, secure windows and doors, and avoid unnecessary travel.
- Delhi Police issues traffic advisories to avoid waterlogged areas and potholes.
- The Delhi Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) issued IEC materials for the general public on Do's & Don'ts of Floods and Waterlogging.
- District GB Nagar's local organizations are organising a coordination meeting to review the preparedness and plan for preliminary assessment, if required.



Source of Information

Media, Social Media, Sphere India WhatsApp Group



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