

# Situation Report 1 Heavy rain & Hailstorm in Manipur

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### SITUATION UPDATE

- Heavy rains, accompanied by a hailstorm, lashed several parts of Manipur on Sunday, May 5, around 1400 hours, causing significant damage to houses and vehicles.
- Parts of Bishnupur, Imphal West, Imphal East, Thoubal, Kakching, Tengnoupal, kangpokpi, Noney and Churachandpur districts were affected by the adverse weather conditions
- Several houses sustained damage in different parts of the state, including Canchipur and Tera in Imphal West. The hailstorm left holes on tin roofs, exacerbating the destruction.
- Strong winds accompanying the storm blew away hutments in various areas, adding to the extent of the damage.
- The hailstorm caused cracks in the windshields of four-wheelers parked in the open, further impacting residents.
- Additionally, trees were uprooted in many areas due to the strong winds.
- The Imphal International Airport also sustained damage due to the hailstorm
- The electricity supply was disrupted in the affected areas, compounding the challenges faced by residents.
- Traffic flow was disrupted as debris littered the roads, impeding movement and requiring clearance efforts.

#### STAKEHOLDERS' RESPONSES

- Government is currently assessing the damage caused by the hailstorm.
- Chief Minister has urged all individuals whose houses were damaged in the recent hailstorm to submit photographs to their respective deputy commissioners for immediate repair assistance.
- Additionally, the Chief Minister has instructed all district officials to promptly submit reports detailing the extent of damages incurred due to the adverse weather conditions.
- The Meteorological Department has issued an orange alert for heavy to very heavy rains in several Northeastern states, including Manipur, until Tuesday, May 7.
- Sphere India in coordination with IAG Manipur is closely monitoring the situation.

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#### **Helpline numbers**

- 1. Bishnupur District: 9856401043
- 2. Tengnoupal District: 9366556373
- 3. Kakching District: 8787682707 / 9862054678
- 4. Tamenglong District: 9402816594
- 5. Imphal East District: 9366390171
- 6. Jiribam District: 70850 52630
- 7. Kangpokpi District: 81320 67577
- 8. Thoubal District: 7042114822 / 8787668199
- 9. Senapati District: 7628992200
- 10. Chandel District: 81199 34085
- 11. Churachandpur District: 8837095176
- 12. Kamjong District: 7630897455
- 13. Imphal West District: 8132854956



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