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Remal to turn severe cyclone, make landfall in West Bengal, Bangladesh

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The deep depression over the east-central Bay of Bengal on Saturday evening intensified into a cyclonic storm, "Remal", and is likely to cross Bangladesh and the adjoining West Bengal coasts by Sunday midnight. The weather pattern is likely to continue to move nearly northwards and intensify into a severe cyclonic storm by Sunday morning. It is expected to cross the coasts between Sagar Island (West Bengal) and Khepupara (Bangladesh) around Sunday midnight with a wind speed of 110-120 kmph gusting to 135 kmph.

A special bulletin by the India Meteorological Department (IMD) on Saturday said: "The deep depression over east-central Bay of Bengal moved nearly northward with a speed of 12 kmph during the past



Storm surge: A street flooded during rain under the influence of the cyclone in Vijayawada on Saturday. G.N. RAO

6 hours, intensified into cyclonic Storm "Remal" and lay centered at 17:30 hrs IST of today, the 25th May 2024 over the north & adjoining east central Bay of Bengal near latitude 18.8°N and longitude 89.5°E."

The IMD has issued an orange alert in Kolkata, Howrah, Nadia, Jhargram, North 24 Parganas, South 24 Parganas and Purba Medinipur districts. It has predicted "heavy (7-11 cm) to very heavy rain (12-20 cm) at a few places over

North and South 24 Parganas, East Midnapore, Kolkata, Howrah and Hooghly districts" of southern Bengal. The IMD has predicted extremely heavy rain (over 20 cm) to be very likely at one or two places over North 24 Parganas, South 24 Parganas and East Midnapore districts.

The weather office has cautioned about gale wind speed reaching 60-70 kmph gusting to 80 kmph from Saturday evening. "It would increase further and

extend to adjoining areas of north Bay of Bengal becoming gale wind speed reaching 70-80 kmph gusting to 90 kmph from evening of today, the 25th May and 100-110 kmph gusting to 120 kmph over North Bay of Bengal from morning and 110-120 kmph gusting to 135 kmph from evening of 26th May," the special bulletin said. A red alert has been issued for fishermen advising them not to venture into the sea along and off West Bengal coast and deep sea area of the Bay of Bengal till May 27.

The National Disaster Response Force has stationed 12 teams across coastal areas of West Bengal.

The authorities of Kolkata airport have decided to suspend flight operations for 21 hours from Sunday noon in view of the possible impact of cyclone Remal, an official said.