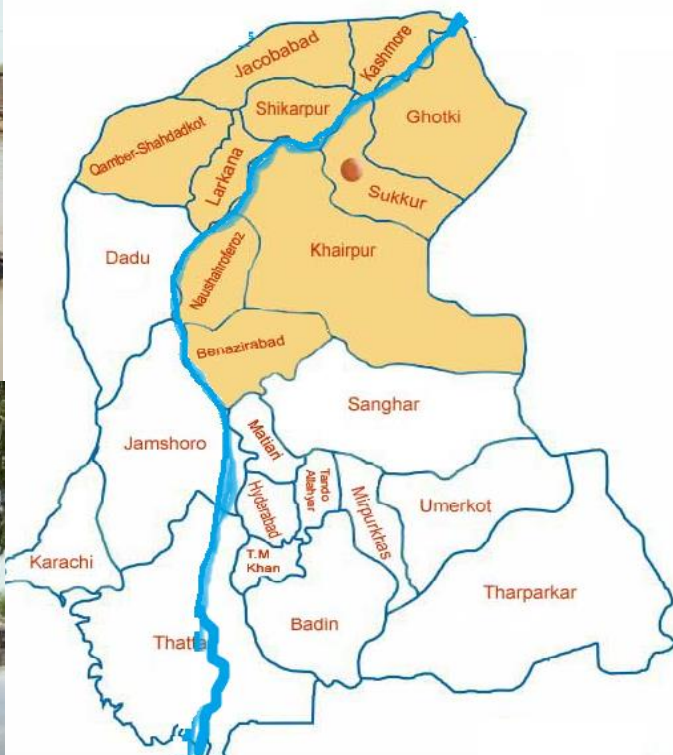




Sindh Rural Support Organization (SRSO)



***Situation & Flood Relief Report # 4 on Flood (2015)
affected areas of Northern-Sindh***

(August 06, 2015)

Introduction:

Monsoon in Pakistan generally penetrates from July to September (One Quarter) and produces widespread rains. While on the other side, early melting of snow and outburst of glacial lakes caused the riverine flooding in Sindh through Indus River and widespread rains with thunderstorms producing rainfall flooding in many areas of Sindh Province. At the present, the northern districts of Sindh province experiencing high level of flooding in Indus River. Regarding recent floods the PMD, PDMA and flood forecasting division Lahore already issued alerts/warnings to make all possible precautionary measures to avoid any unwanted situation in any area of Pakistan in result of floods.

The current flood situation report of northern districts of Sindh province where SRSO has been working over the period of 12 years, briefly provides the information with respect to the flood conditions prevailing in these northern districts particularly in kacha areas during the floods respectively. Report also highlights a quick view of possible support being carried out to extend the possible relief to the flood affected people. The district wise brief overview of current situation prevailing given as under:

The recent flood situation at Guddu and Sukkur Barrages:

The water-level at the Guddu Barrage has begun receding with a decline of more than 30,000 cusecs being recorded in 24 hours. On Thursday at noon, the upstream at the Guddu Barrage was recorded at 657,642 cusecs and downstream at 634,750 cusecs. At the Sukkur Barrage, the upstream was recorded at 699,600 cusecs and downstream at 650,090 cusecs, while at the Kotri Barrage the upstream was 403,513 cusecs and downstream was 380,008 cusecs with a continuous rise in the water level.

Classification of Flood level (flow of water in cusecs):



Relief activities by SRSO: (Updated by August 06, 2015)

Vaccination, Deworming and Treatment through Mobile Clinics

District	No of animals vaccinated	No of animals treated	No of animals dewormed	Remarks
Sukkur	135	20	72	Updated by 6 th Aug
Ghotki	3,254	272	3,254	Updated by 6 th Aug
Shikarpur	3824	1,758	693	Updated by 6 th Aug 2015
Total	7,213	2,050	4,019	

Assessment of Flood affected households

District	No of camps covered	No of Affected HHs registered	Remarks
Khairpur	6	1,147	Re-verification in process

Hand Pumps and PIT latrine Installed

District	No of Hand Pumps Installed	No of PIT Latrines installed	Population benefitted
Khairpur	20	53	1,700
Sukkur	0	2	200
Kashmore	13	0	1,100
Total	33	55	3,000

Flood Relief and Information Camp

District	Name of Camp	No of workers at Camp	Facilities Provided
Ghotki	Shank Band/Qadirpur	2	
	Bago Daho	2	11 Boats for transportation. Assessment of IDPs

Kashmore	Tori Band	2	Through VOs supported IDPs for transportation
Khairpur	Fareedabad Band	2	Assessment of IDPS at area of Kingri Taluka

Boats for the Transportation to flood affectees

District	No of Boats provided	No of Population transported	Remarks
Ghotki	11	1,167	Started 3/8/2015
Kandhkot @ Kashmore	2	6,400	Started 27/7/2015
Total	13	7,567	

Flood situation and Relief activities as District wise:

After the severe alerts by PMD & PDMA regarding regular conditions prevailing in northern districts in view of recent floods. After such alerts the population living in kacha areas gradually evacuated from their areas and shifted at safe places in camps established at the sides of protective band. Relief activities immediately started by the district Governments in their respective districts. SRSO also executed number of relief activities in various districts under the existing context of flood situation in districts. The brief overview of existing situation of relief activities started by govt, SRSO given in the report.

District Khairpur:

- Commissioner Sukkur Mr Abbas Baloch and DC Khairpur accompanied with CEO SRSO visited the different Camps of flood affected area of Khairpur District on 5th August 2015.
- CEO SRSO briefed about the initiative taken by SRSO for conducting initial assessment of 1200 flood affectees, Installing Hand 12 pumps and 40 Pit Latrines near Fareedabad, Ulra Jageer, Sadarji, Nawan Jatoi Band and others.
- Commissioner and DC appreciated the efforts of SRSO and emphasized SRSO to Manage Camps and support Government for proper assessment of IDP camps of Kingri Taluka.

- CEO SRSO agreed to install more Hand Pumps, Pit Latrine, Few Child Friendly Schools and Camp Coordination of the given area.
- Commissioner Sukkur, DC Khairpur, CEO SRSO expressed their heart felt sympathies and condolence with the families of two girls drowned due to flood water near Baharo Band.
- CEO SRSO also monitored the process of installing Hand pumps.



District Kashmore:

- Some 14,235 household from 183 villages of 8 UCs (Khewali, Gehalpur, Rasool Bux Chachar, Badani, Gublo, Haibat, Dari, Ghouspur) affected.
- 95% communities of Kacha area shifted to the pakka area or on Bands (KK, Torri and Rip band) remaining 5% community still at their home for take care their Homes.
- Total 46 Hand pumps were installed till yet (20 from HANDS, 20 Government and 6 SRSO)
- SRSO supported to IDPs in vaccination through Govt EPI programme
- SRSO is going to plan to organize mobile veterinary camp at Torri band with the support of Equine welfare project staff Jacobabad
- SRSO supported 4 Boats for rescue the community from flooded area.

Visit to Flood affected areas of Kashmore by CEO SRSO:

CEO SRSO visited the flood affected areas i.e. Tori Band, affected villages Sohanro Chachar, Durrani Mahar of district Kashmore on 6-Aug-2015. CEO made some activities there as under:

- Held meeting with LSO Haibat in order to discuss the role of LSO in relief activities along with SRSO in their respective UCs.
- CEO applauded the endeavors of LSO for flood affected communities at the ground level and further encouraged the LSO members for more efforts required to remove fear of flood in affected communities.
- CEO visited the affected areas by boat and assessed losses physically in two different villages of UC Haibat.
- Held a meeting with SRSO District Kashmore staff and directed them to take maximum efforts to provide possible relief to affected families in form of drinking water and PIT latrines.



- CEO SRSO emphasized on DM Kashmore to install additional hand pumps and also ensure the installation of PIT latrines at various locations on severe need basis.

District Shikarpur:

- More than 10,000 HHS from 74 villages of 7 UCs (Garhi Tegho, Mahmooda bagh, Sewhani, Chak, Mungrani, Mirzapur, Madeji) affected.
- 80% communities of Kacha areas shifted to the Pakka areas
- 6 medical camps arranged by the Pak Army
- One mobile veterinary clinic arranged by SRSO
- Supported LSO and rangers at Mirzapur area by providing Boats in collaboration with District Government.

Visit by CEO SRSO at flood affected areas in Shikarpur:

CEO SRSO also made detailed visit in flood affected areas i.e. at Mehmooda bagh Band which almost touches the three UCs of district Shikarpur. During visit the CEO met with affected households which are temporarily settled in camps at Band.

- CEO held meeting with the affected population at different sites of Band and assessed the immediate need physically from the affected households.
- Based on need mentioned by respective affectees, the CEO directed the DM Shikarpur to prioritize plan in order to address the need required by the affected families at possible scale.
- CEO also directed to install the hand pumps and PIT latrines at various sites of Band near camps where the affected households are suffering for water and toilets.
- With proper involvement of respective LSOs all possible efforts to be taken to eliminate the sufferings of affected communities under the available resources.





Snaps during assessment at flood affected areas district Khairpur:



Immediate Support Needed/Required in flood affected areas:

1. The population recently shifted from their native villages to Protective band are genuinely requiring the safe drinking water.
2. The households shifted at Protective band are also lacking with food items hence requiring food for their families in order to supplement the need on immediate basis, particularly in district Ghotki, Kashmore-Kandhkot, Khairpur and Sukkur.
3. More shelters/tents need to be provided to the households who have evacuated recently and don't have any tent/shelter at protective bands in various districts.
4. Preventive mosquito nets and repellent are genuinely required at many locations where the relief camps are established.

Snaps of vaccination & treatment provided to Livestock:





SRSO sent Letters to the Commissioners & DCs to make them intimate/familiar on SRSO's relief activities & the information of focal persons to be contacted:



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No. SRSO/CEO/2015-16/DCs/08-01

August 05, 2015

SUBJECT: NOMINATION OF SRSO FOCAL PERSONS FOR FLOOD RELIEF & REHABILITATION ACTIVITIES.

In the past during FLOODS – 2010, SRSO had largely indulged in relief and rehabilitation activities, and keeping in view our experiences this time also with same zeal and zest, we offer ourselves to support and facilitate the affected population especially our organized communities in all operational districts of northern Sindh.

2. In this connection, we have initiated the activities at small scale, such as; identification of locations and SRSO visibility at organized camps, needs assessment of affected organized community and population present at camps, livestock vaccinations, installation of pit latrines and hand-pumps, etc.

3. Therefore, in order to share information and coordinate with District Governments and other stakeholders, we are pleased to nominate and disseminate the contacts of SRSO focal persons at Head Office and districts level (*refer attached Annex-1*).

4. We would be most delighted to serve the deserving poor population in this tragic time and are ready to provide full support, wherever need arises.

We look forward to the same support and coordination from concerned district governments.

Yours sincerely,

Muhammad Dittal Kalhoro
Chief Executive Officer

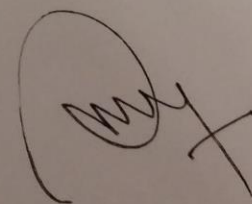
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- i. Deputy Commissioner – Sukkur
- ii. Deputy Commissioner – Khairpur
- iii. Deputy Commissioner – Ghotki
- iv. Deputy Commissioner – Naushero Feroz
- v. Deputy Commissioner – Shikarpur
- vi. Deputy Commissioner – Kashmore-Kandhkot
- vii. Deputy Commissioner – Jacobabad
- viii. Deputy Commissioner – Larkana
- ix. Deputy Commissioner – Qamber-Shahdadkot

Copy for information to:

- i. PS to Commissioner – Sukkur Division.
- ii. PS to Commissioner – Larkana Division.
- iii. Director General – Provincial Disaster Management Authority (PDMA)

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5	Mr. Ashique Hussain Kalwer (District Manager)	0345 – 1262965	Sukkur & Khairpur
6	Mr. Imam Ali Detho (District Manager)	0332 – 2984406	Ghotki
7	Ms. Ruqaya Leghari (District Manager)	0341 – 7776633	Naushero Feroz
8	Dr. Ghulam Rasool Samejo (Regional Manager)	0333 – 2619980	Shikarpur
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11	Mr. Manzoor Jalbani (District Manager)	0345 – 1262967	Jacobabad
12	Mr. Jamal Mustafa Shoro (Regional Manager)	0341 – 7770101	Head Office – Sukkur
13	Mr. Saleem Channa (Focal Person)	0300 – 3434709	Larkana / Shahdadkot



District Government Emergency Cell

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