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PALAKKAD DISTRICT

AAS 50/2018(99), Friday 14.12.2018

CURRENT SYNOPTIC SITUATION A Deep depression lies over Southeast Bay of Bengal near lat. 8.5^oN / Long 87.4 ^oE and likely to intensify into a cyclonic storm during next 24 hours and into a severe cyclonic storm in subsequent 36 hours and likely to move north-northwestwards

WEATHER FORECAST FOR THE NEXT FIVE DAYS:

Weather parameters	15.12.2018	16.12.2018	17.12.2018	18.12.2018	19.12.2018
Rainfall (mm)	0	0	0	0	0
Maximum temperature (°C)	34	33	33	33	34
Minimum temperature (°C)	24	24	24	24	24
Total cloud cover (octa)	3	4	3	3	2
Maximum Relative Humidity (%)	86	88	87	85	83
Minimum Relative Humidity (%)	60	60	60	60	60
Wind speed (kmph)	6	3	3	3	4
Wind direction (deg)	270	270	230	230	230

No rainfall is forecasted for coming five days in the district by India Meteorological Department.

AGRO-METEOROLOGICAL ADVISORIES:

Crop	Crop stage	Pest/ Disease	Advisories		
Paddy	Tillering stage	Brown spot, Blast, Bacterial leaf Blight	There is a chance of Brown spot, Blast and Bacterial Leaf Blight disease in paddy. As a precaution, spray 20g pseudomonas per one litre of water.		
Vegetables (Cucurbits)	Fruiting stage	Pumpkin caterpillar	There is a chance of Pumpkin caterpillar in Cucurbits. Apply 2 ml <i>Flubendiamide</i> (Fame) per ten litre of water.		
Banana	-	Spodoptera	Destroy the affected leafs along with the <i>Spodoptera</i> . If <i>Spodoptera</i> attack is severe, spray quinalphos 2ml per one litre of water or chlorantraniliprole 3 ml per ten litre of water.		
Animal Husbandry	Provide plenty of clean drinking water in the cattle sheds and grazing lands. (CAADECCS, KVASU, Mannuthy)				