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GLOF EVENTS PREDICTED IN GILGIT-BALTISTAN FROM FRIDAY TO MONDAY (14TH-17TH AUGUST 2020)

Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD) has issued a Weather Alert regarding GLOF events in Gilgit Baltistan from 14th - 17th August 2020. According to PMD, there will be **High Temperatures** from **Friday to Monday** (14th - 17th August 2020) in Gilgit Baltistan followed by **Westerly Wave** on the evening of **Monday** (17th August 2020).

- 2. As a result, increase in the rate of melting of snow/ice is expected on Saturday & Sunday (15th & 16th August 2020) followed by the rain event on Monday (17th August 2020), which could trigger GLOF events in the vulnerable areas of Gilgit- Baltistan especially in Gilgit, Hunza, Nagar, Shigar, Ghanche, Bagrot and Yasin.
- 3. In view of the above likely situation, all concerned organizations including GB-DMA are advised to remain **ALERT** and take all necessary precautionary measures well in time to avoid any loss of precious human lives and damages to private & public property.

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