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SECURITE

GALE WARNING FOR METAREA VIII (S)

ISSUED BY METEO-FRANCE/TROPICAL CYCLONE CENTER/LA REUNION 26/01/2020 AT 1200 UTC.

WARNING NUMBER: 016/6 (SOUTH-WEST INDIAN OCEAN)

10 MINUTES AVERAGE WIND SPEED IN KNOTS (KT)

(WIND GUSTS AT SEA MAY BE ABOUT 40% STRONGER THAN THE AVERAGED WIND)

MINIMUM SEA LEVEL PRESSURE IN HECTOPASCAL (HPA)

(INDICATIVE FIGURE).

GALE WARNING

BEGINNING OF VALIDITY: SUNDAY 26/01/2020 AT 1200 UTC.

PHENOMENON: POST-TROPICAL DEPRESSION 6 (EX-DIANE) 985 HPA

POSITION: WITHIN 20 NM RADIUS OF POINT 24.5 S / 69.2 E

(TWENTY FOUR DECIMAL FIVE DEGREES SOUTH AND SIXTY NINE DECIMAL TWO DEGREES EAST) AT 1200 UTC

MOVEMENT: EAST-NORTH-EAST 8 KT

THREAT AREAS:

SQUALLY WEATHER EXTENDING UP TO 250 NM IN THE SOUTHERN SEMI-CIRCLE.

GALE FORCE WINDS 35/45 KT AND VERY ROUGH TO HIGH SEAS WITHIN A 60 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE, EXTENDING UP TO 100 NM IN THE NORTH-EASTERN QUADRANT AND UP TO 130 NM IN THE SOUTHERN SEMI-CIRCLE.

NEAR GALE FORCE WINDS 30 KT AND ROUGH TO VERY ROUGH SEAS WITHIN A 90 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE, EXTENDING UP TO 175 NM IN THE NORTH-EASTERN QUADRANT AND UP TO 350 NM IN THE SOUTHERN SEMI-CIRCLE.

STRONG GUSTS UNDER SQUALLS.

FORECAST POSITION AND INTENSITY:

12H, VALID 2020/01/27 AT 00 UTC:

24.2 S / 69.8 E, MAX WIND = 40 KT, POST-TROPICAL DEPRESSION

24H, VALID 2020/01/27 AT 12 UTC:

25.2 S / 69.9 E, MAX WIND = 40 KT, POST-TROPICAL DEPRESSION

OTHER INFORMATION:

NIL.