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HURRICANE WARNING FOR METAREA VIII (S)

ISSUED BY METEO-FRANCE/TROPICAL CYCLONE CENTER/LA REUNION 14/04/2013 AT 1800 UTC.

WARNING NUMBER: 036/10 (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).

HURRICANE WARNING

BEGINNING OF VALIDITY: SUNDAY 14/04/2013 AT 1800 UTC.

PHENOMENON: TROPICAL CYCLONE 10 (IMELDA) 973 HPA

POSITION: WITHIN 20 NM RADIUS OF POINT 18.3 S / 60.6 E

(EIGHTEEN DECIMAL THREE DEGREES SOUTH AND

SIXTY DECIMAL SIX DEGREES EAST) AT 1800 UTC

MOVEMENT: SOUTH-EAST 7 KT

THREAT AREAS:

SQUALLY WEATHER WITHIN 80 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE, EXTENDING UP TO 230 NM FROM THE CENTRE IN THE SOUTHERN SEMI-CIRCLE.

HURRICANE FORCE WINDS 65/75 KT AND VERY HIGH TO PHENOMENAL SEAS WITHIN A 25 NM FROM THE CENTRE, EXTENDING UP TO 30 NM IN THE EASTERN SEMI-CIRCLE.

STORM FORCE WINDS 50/60 KT AND HIGH TO VERY HIGH SEAS WITHIN A 40 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE, EXTENDING UP TO 45 NM IN THE SOUTH-WESTERN QUADRANT, UP TO 50 NM IN THE NORTH-EASTERN QUADRANT AND UP TO 55 NM IN THE SOUTH-EASTERN QUADRANT.

GALE FORCE WINDS 35/45 KT AND VERY ROUGH TO HIGH SEAS WITHIN A 60 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE, EXTENDING UP TO 70 NM IN THE SOUTH-WESTERN QUADRANT, UP TO 85 NM IN THE NORTH-EASTERN QUADRANT AND UP TO 100 NM IN THE SOUTH-EASTERN QUADRANT.

NEAR GALE FORCE WINDS 30 KT AND ROUGH TO VERY ROUGH SEAS WITHIN A 90 NM RADIUS FROM THE CENTRE, EXTENDING UP TO 95 NM IN THE SOUTH-WESTERN QUADRANT, UP TO 110 NM IN THE NORTH-EASTERN QUADRANT AND UP TO 130 NM IN THE SOUTH-EASTERN QUADRANT .

STRONG GUSTS UNDER SQUALLS.

FORECAST POSITION AND INTENSITY:

12H, VALID 2013/04/15 AT 06 UTC:

19.7 S / 61.7 E, MAX WIND = 65 KT, TROPICAL CYCLONE

24H, VALID 2013/04/15 AT 18 UTC:

21.2 S / 62.2 E, MAX WIND = 50 KT, SEVERE TROPICAL STORM

OTHER INFORMATIONS:
NIL.