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Bangladesh floods not due to Tripura dam : MEA

The Ministry of External Affairs (MEA) denied that floods in Eastern Bangladesh were caused by the opening of Dumbur dam in Tripura .

The clarification comes after protesters in Bangladesh blame India for the floods in eastern districts of Bangladesh .

Indian High commissioner in Dhaka met interim government chief Mohammad Yunus and expressed “ concern “ about heightened security threats to the Indian embassy and personal living in Bangladesh over the rumours .

Dunbur Dam is. “ Auto releasing” water as a consequence of heavy rainfall , MEA said in a statement .

The Dunbur Dam is built on Gumti which flows through India and Bangladesh.

India and Bangladesh share 54 rivers .

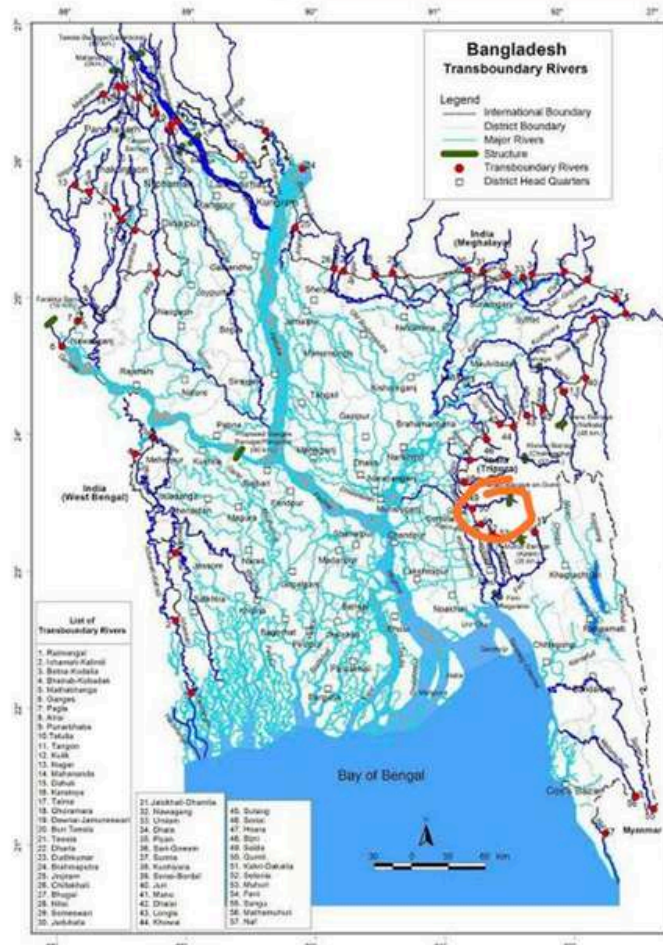
Tripura has witnessed heavy rain from August 19 to 22 .

This has resulted in the death of 12 persons in Tripura . The water level is above danger level in Dhalai , Khowai , South Tripura , West Tripura , North Tripura and Unakoti districts .

Landslip incidents have occurred at 2,032 locations . 1,789 of these have been cleared for restoration .

The state govt has opened 450 relief camps in which more than 65,000 people have taken shelter .

NDRF and SDRF have been deployed for search and Rescue operations .



Doctors in capital calls off 11 day strike aw SC broker peace

Following Supreme Court appeal on Thursday , doctors in Many states , called of their strike against brutal rape and murder of of a trainee doctor in Kolkata hospital .

The court said that it will prevent doctors from any adverse action by hospital authorities , once they get back to hospitals .

The court ordered creation of an Online Portal to receive suggestions and grievances even anonymously .

The court directed the health ministry to provide safety to doctors till the report of NTF comes .

No problem can be solved in battle field

PM Modi was warmly received by his Counterpart Donald Tusk .The two held bilateral talk .

Some major outcomes of bilateral meeting are :

- India and Poland have agreed to upgrade their ties to “strategic partnership “ .
- India and Poland have agreed to formulate and execute a five year action plan that will guide their collaboration between 2024 to 2028 .The areas identified for cooperation are political dialogue and security cooperation , trade and investment , climate , energy , mining , science and Technology , transport and connectivity , terrorism , cyber security , health , people to people ties and cultural cooperation .
- PM Modi announced the Jam Saheb of Nawanagar Youth Exchange programme under which every year 20 young person's from Poland will be taken on a tour to India .

PM Modi called Polish companies which are leaders in Food Processing to join Mega Food Park Projects in India .

“ We join polish companies to join make in India and make for the world “ the PM said .

No problem can be solved in battlefield , says Modi

Speaking on conflict in Ukraine and other parts of the world , In a remark after a bilateral meeting with PM Modi said “ this is India’s firm belief that no problem can be solved on the battlefield .

In any battle the loss of lives of innocent people has become for humanity . We support dialogue and diplomacy for the early restoration of peace and stability . “

“ For this , India is ready to provide all possible support . “ PM Modi said .

Congress ,National Conference announce pre poll alliance for J&K assembly election

The Congress and National Conference (NC) have decided to forge a pre - poll alliance for the upcoming J&K assembly elections .

Congress leader Rahul Gandhi and Mallikarjuna kHrge met NC President Farruq Abdullah to formalise the alliance .

CPI (M) is also part of the alliance .

Farooq Abdullah said that the seat Sharing has been finalised .

J&K has a total of 90 assembly seats . 47 seats lie in Kashmir , while 43 in Jammu .

The assembly elections in the state will be held between September 18 , September 25 , and October 1 .

Delhi Police busted ‘ terror network ‘

The Delhi Police on Thursday bursted an “ al qaeda inspired “ terror network that was active in states of Rajasthan , Jharkhand , and Uttar Pradesh , and detained 14 suspects in the case .

NDMA to monitor 189 high risk glacial lakes to prevent disaster

The National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) has finalised a list of 189 “ high risk “ glacial lakes for mitigation measures .

Glacial lake outburst is one of the major disasters which can damage property and cause loss of life . NDMA will attempt “ lake lowering measures “ , which are a buffer against any overflow .

The National Glacial Lake Outburst Floods Risk Mitigation Programme was approved on July 25 . There are 7500 glacial lakes in the Himalayas . India is monitoring 902 of them via remote sensing .



Reaching the lakes at high altitude is difficult owing to inhospitable conditions, it can be done only between months of July and September. So far 15 expeditions have been conducted to study the lakes in Sikkim, Ladakh, Himachal Pradesh and J&K. Last October, Lohnak lake in Sikkim overflowed and destroyed Chungthang dam over Teesta River; more than 40 people were killed in this.

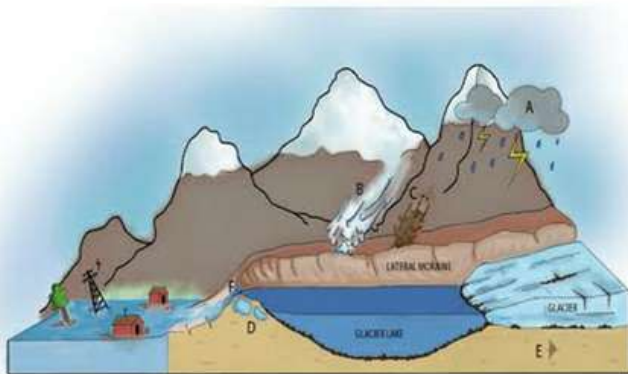
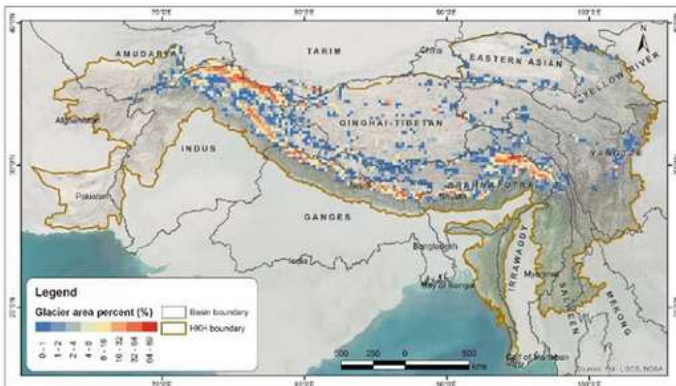


Figure-1: Illustrative graphic showing various reasons for GLOF occurrence (A) Cloudburst (B) Snow avalanche (C) Landslide (D) Melting of ice in moraine (E) Earthquake (F) Overflow

World :

Sri Lanka SC says Ranil guilty of ‘arbitrary and unlawful’ conduct

Sri Lanka's Supreme Court on Thursday found President Ranil Wickramasinghe guilty of “unlawful and arbitrary” conduct, in postponement of local body elections scheduled last year.

Just after holding office of President, Mr Wickramasinghe had cited the economic crisis and not enough funds to hold local elections.

The Election Commission could not hold elections because of lack of funds. The court directed Election Commission directed the election commission to conduct local elections “at the earliest possible”, it held “executive branch” for infringement of fundamental rights of citizens.

China lodges ‘serious protest’ with US over meeting Dalai Lama

Dalia Lama is currently in New York and undergoing knee surgery. Uzra Zeya, the US under secretary of state civilian security, Democratic and Human rights held an audience with the Dalai Lama and conveyed Joe Biden’s message. Chinese Foreign Ministry Spokesperson Mao Ning said, “China firmly opposes any country, allowing the Dalai Lama to make visits under any pretext and opposes government officials of any country meeting the Dalai Lama in any form.” China had opposed the “Resolve Tibet Act” passed by the US Congress. The Act talks of Tibet as a disputed region and calls for its independence.

Editorial :

**Death at work
A safety audit is necessary to prevent industrial accidents**

The editorial is about a reactor blast in pharma Company Escentia's plant in Atchutapuram Special Economic Zone (SEZ) in Anakapalli district, Andhra Pradesh. It is the worst industrial accident in the region in recent times. The accident was because of a leak of the chemical MTBE (Methyl butyl ether), which fell on the electrical panel leading to the accident.

The editorial says that the accident was because of negligence in safety procedures. Though the government elements these companies from regular safety checks so that it doesn't cause disruption in companies working. Government should do safety audits to industries in SEZ at regular time intervals to prevent such accidents.