

No. EDN-HE(3)B(15)45/2025
Directorate of Higher Education
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1

Dated: Shimla-171001 the July, 2026

To

1. All the Principals, Govt. and Private Degree/Skt. College, SCERT Solan, GCTE Dharamshala, Himachal Pradesh.
2. The Chief Librarian, Central State Library Solan, District Solan, HP.
3. The Librarian, HP State Library Shimla-1, Himachal Pradesh.
4. All the Librarian/Incharge, District Public Libraries, Community Centre Libraries, Tehsil Libraries & Tribal Libraries in Himachal Pradesh.

Subject: - Installation and use of Aapda Rakshak Mobile App by the Government Officers and Officials.

Find enclosed herewith a copy of letter No. Rev (DMC)(C)15-1/2023-1 (GIS&RS-HIMCOSTE Project) dated 16.07.2026 received from the Additional Chief Secretary (Revenue) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, on the subject cited above.

In this regard, you are requested to go through the aforesaid letter and ensure the following: -

1. Disseminate the contents of the aforesaid letter among all teaching and non-teaching staff of your institution.
2. Ensure that all officers and officials install the Aapda Rakshak Mobile App and complete the registration process at the earliest.
3. Government officials may register through the appropriate login as prescribed in the enclosed instructions.
4. Encourage students and other stakeholders to install and use the Mobile App through the Citizen Login for receiving weather forecasts, disaster alerts, advisories and reporting disaster incidents.
5. Ensure wide publicity of the Mobile App within the institution to strengthen disaster preparedness and response.

The above instructions may be complied with on priority.

Encl.: As above.

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Copy to:-

1. The Additional Chief Secretary (Revenue) to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.
2. The Secretary (Education) to the Govt. of Himachal Pradesh for information please.
3. The Registrar(s) HPU Shimla-5/SPU Mandi, District Mandi, HP/all the Govt./Pvt. Universities in Himachal Pradesh.
4. P. A. to the Director of Higher Education, Himachal Pradesh.
5. All the Branch Officers/Superintendents/Officials/Staff of DHE, HP Shimla for information and further necessary action in the matter accordingly.
6. Technical Officer, IT Cell, D.H.E. HP Shimla-1 to upload the same on the Departmental website.
7. Guard File.

Additional Director (C) शिक्षा निदेशालय, उच्चतर विद्यालय
Directorate of Higher Education, H.P.

the July, 2026

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Additional Director (C)
Directorate of Higher Education, H.P.

Rev (DMC) (C)15-1/2023-II(GIS&RS-HIMCOSTE Project)
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Revenue (DM)

From

The Additional Chief Secretary (Revenue) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh

To

1. All the Administrative Secretaries to the Government of Himachal Pradesh.
2. All the Heads of Departments, Government of Himachal Pradesh.
3. All the Heads of Boards, Councils, Corporations, Societies, Government of Himachal Pradesh.
4. All the Deputy Commissioners-cum-Chairpersons, District Disaster Management Authorities (DDMAs), Himachal Pradesh.
5. All the Superintendents of Police, Himachal Pradesh.
6. All the Chief Medical Officers, Himachal Pradesh.
7. All the Commissioners of Municipal Corporations.
8. All the Executive Officers of Municipal Councils and Nagar Panchayats.
9. All Nodal Officers of Disaster Management at State and District Level

Dated, Shimla- 171002, the

16-07-2026

Subject:

Installation and use of *Aapda Rakshak* Mobile App by the Government Officers and Officials.

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to inform that the Himachal Pradesh State Disaster Management Authority (HPSDMA), in association with AGISAC-HIMCOSTE, has developed the *Aapda Rakshak* Mobile App to disseminate weather forecasts, early warning messages, disaster alerts and advisories, besides facilitating real-time reporting of major disaster incidents across the State.

All Government officers and officials are requested to install the *Aapda Rakshak* Mobile App and complete their registration. Government First Responders, including Police, Fire Services, SDRF, NDRF, field-level Revenue Officers and other authorised emergency responders, shall use the **Official Login**, whereas all other Government officers and officials may register and use the **Citizen Login**.

The application enables users to receive timely weather forecasts, disaster alerts and other important information issued by the competent authorities. Users may also report major disaster incidents through the application by uploading geo-tagged photographs and location details.

The information collected through the application will help HPSDMA identify hazard-wise black spots, analyse recurring disaster locations, assess the coverage of Early Warning Systems and plan the installation of additional monitoring and warning equipment in disaster-prone areas. This will support evidence-based disaster mitigation planning and contribute towards protecting human life and property. Key Benefits of the *Aapda Rakshak* Mobile App for Disaster Management are as under:

Real-time Incident Reporting: Enables citizens and Government officials to report disaster incidents instantly, ensuring timely response.

Geo-tagged Reporting: Captures the exact location along with photographs and videos, facilitating rapid assessment and verification.

Improved Coordination: Strengthens coordination among DDMA, DEOCs, SEOC and line departments through a common digital platform.

Community Participation: Empowers citizens, volunteers, NGOs and other stakeholders to actively contribute to disaster reporting and preparedness through the **Citizen Login**.

Faster Response & Better Coordination: Facilitates timely sharing of field information with DDMA, DEOCs, SEOC and line departments for improved disaster response.

Protects Life and Property: Timely reporting and dissemination of information support prompt response, thereby helping to minimise loss of life and damage to property.

Supports a Disaster-Resilient Himachal Pradesh: Creates a comprehensive State-wide disaster database for informed decision-making, resource planning and long-term disaster risk reduction.

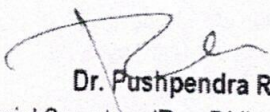
In view of the increasing frequency of disasters in Himachal Pradesh since 2023 onwards, your active participation is essential. You are, therefore, requested to install the *Aapda Rakshak* Mobile App and also encourage your colleagues, family members and other citizens to install the application and report major disaster-related incidents through the **Citizen Login**. Your small contribution can significantly strengthen the State's Disaster Management System and help save lives. The details for downloading the application are as under:

- **Mobile App/Web Portal:** <https://hpsdma.hp.gov.in/AppLogin.aspx>
- **Google Play Store:** The *Aapda Rakshak* Mobile App will be available on the Google Play Store shortly. Once launched, users may search for "**Aapda Rakshak**" to download and install the application.
- **Tutorial/User Manual:** The Tutorial/User Manual of the *Aapda Rakshak* Mobile App is enclosed as **Annexure-A**.

In addition to the above, the *Aapda Rakshak* Mobile App will provide several additional facilities in the coming days, including a Tourist Registration module and other disaster management-related services for the convenience of citizens, tourists and Government agencies.

For any clarification, technical assistance or support regarding the *Aapda Rakshak* Mobile App, the concerned officers/officials may contact Dr. Rohit Chauhan, HPSDMA, at Mobile No. 94184-82869.

Yours faithfully,


Dr. Pushpendra Rana,

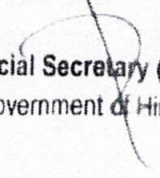
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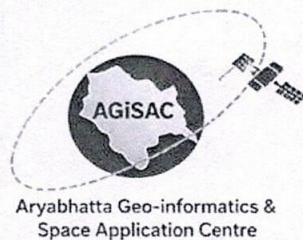
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The Sr. Private Secretary to the Chief Secretary to the Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171002, for kind information of the Worthy Chief Secretary, Himachal Pradesh.


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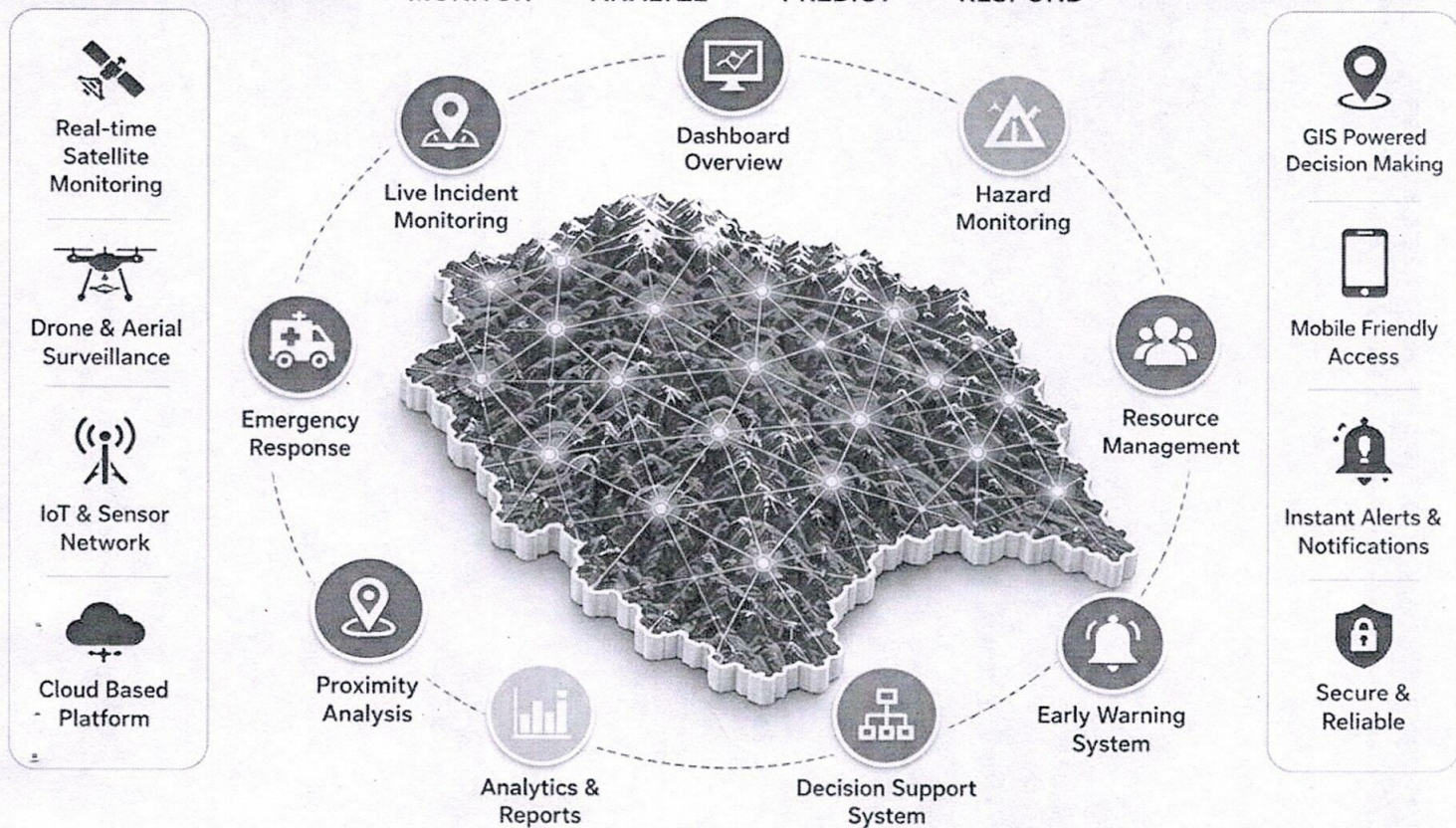


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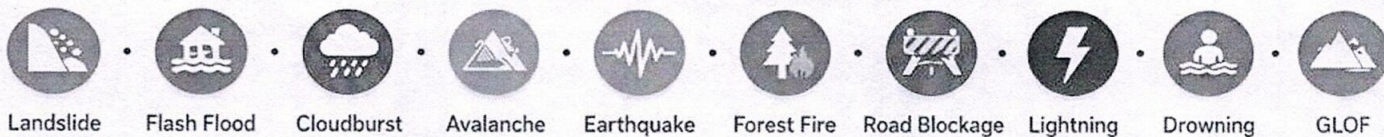
USER GUIDE

Integrated Disaster Monitoring & Rapid Incident Reporting System

MONITOR • ANALYZE • PREDICT • RESPOND



HAZARDS WE MONITOR



Department of Revenue,
State Disaster Management Authority
Disaster Management & Civil Defence
Department, Government of
Himachal Pradesh

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आपदा प्रबंधन

Himachal Pradesh Disaster Management System

Safer Himachal, Stronger Together



Disaster Risk Monitoring and Response System

Monitor | Analyze | Respond | Decide

Real-time • Reliable • Responsive



Decision Support System

Real-time Analytics for Informed Decision Making



Dashboard Overview

Real time situation overview



Hazard Monitoring

Live hazard & risk monitoring



Analytics & Reports

Data analytics & reports



Tourism Reg./Tracking

Track & manage resources



GIS Map View

Interactive maps & layers



Weather & Alerts

IMD alerts & updates



Incident History

Past incidents analysis



Decision Support

Insights for better decisions

Open Decision Support System →



Rapid Incident Reporting System

Report Incidents Quickly & Accurately



Landslide

Insights for better disaster response



Flash Flood



Cloudburst



Road Blockage



Avalanche



Power Outage



Drowning



Earthquake



Height Fall



Lightning



Road Accident



Building Damage



Forest Fire



Fallen Tree

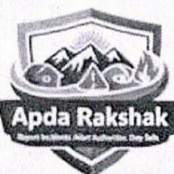


Other Incident

Report New Incident →

Download App from here

आपदा प्रबंधन Mobile App



Mobile App

Report. Alert. Stay Safe.

Download Apda Rakshak mobile app to report incidents on the go and stay updated.



Quick Incident Reporting



Real-time Alerts



Live Updates



GPS Tagging



Photo Upload

Note

Use the modules and reporting features to contribute towards a safer Himachal Pradesh.



Department of Revenue
State Disaster Management Authority
Government of Himachal Pradesh



Real-time



Reliable



Responsive

Developed by
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Application Centre (AGISAC)



Select Your Role (Citizen)



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Select Role

Choose your access type



Citizen

Public Incident
Reporting



Official

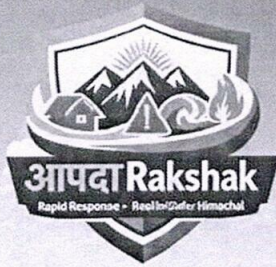
Department Officials



Police / Fire / SDRF

Emergency Response
Login

Emergency Helpline : 112



आपदा RAKSHAK

Rapid Incident Reporting Dashboard
Himachal Pradesh



Detecting Location...

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SOS

Emergency Call

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How to Report?



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Cloud Burst



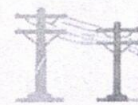
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Fallen Tree



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Fire



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Power Outage



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Road Blockage



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Building
Damage

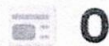


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Other Incidents

Click Here

+ REPORT NEW INCIDENT



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Today's Incident



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Incidents Under Process



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Active Alerts

Report New Incident

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Select Incident Type & Submit Report

Select Type of Incident from Here



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Flood



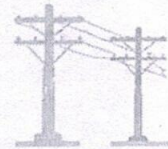
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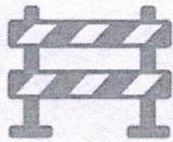
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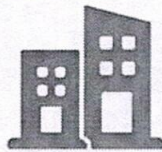
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Power Outage



Road Blockage



Building Damage



Drowning



Earthquake



Height Fall



Lightning



Road Accident



Avalanches



Other Incident

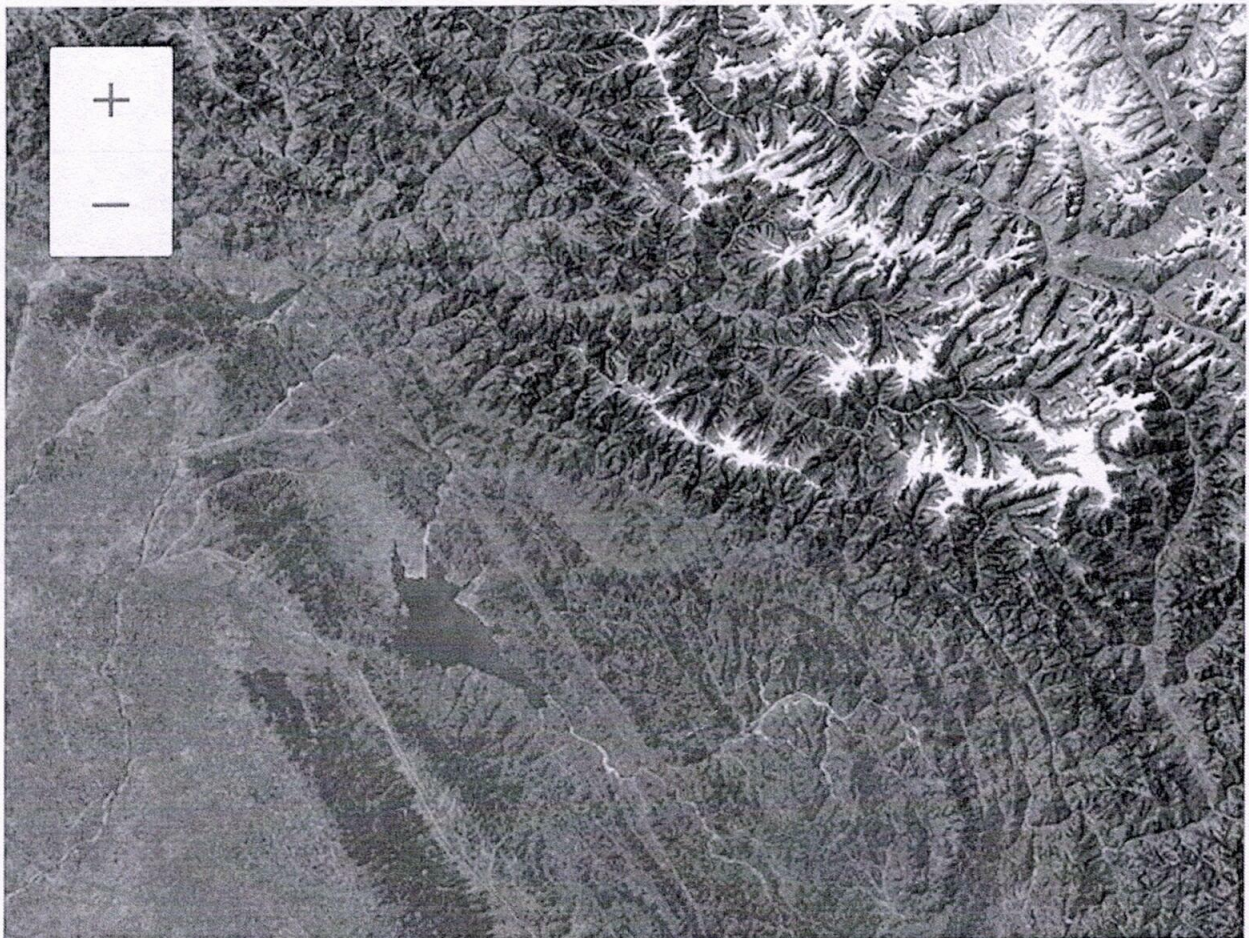
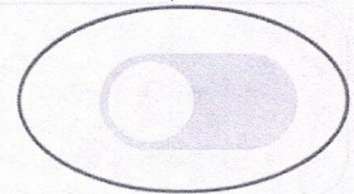
Incident Type

Landslide

Enable map location only
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select location on map



Incident Image/Video Upload

Choose File

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Submit Incident

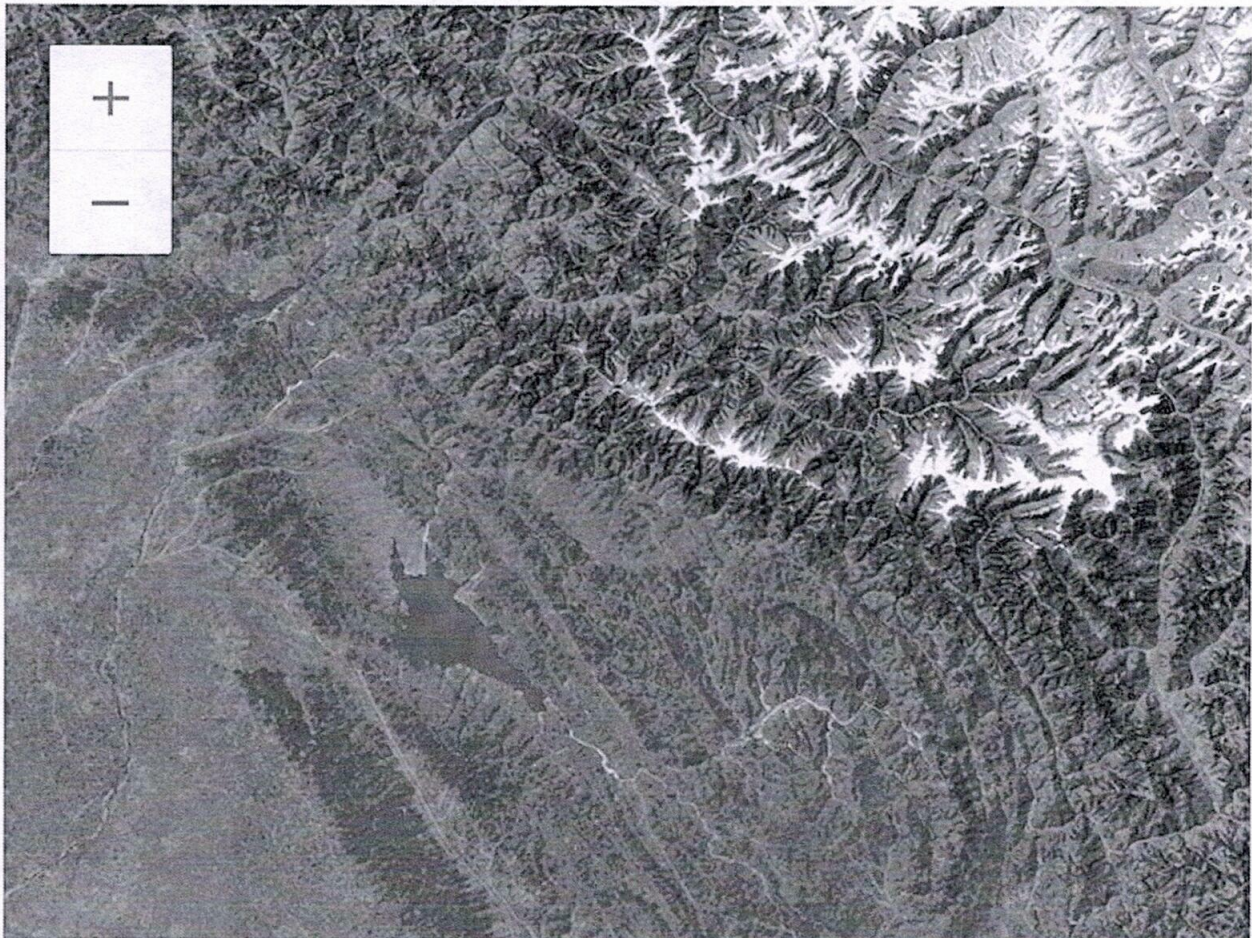
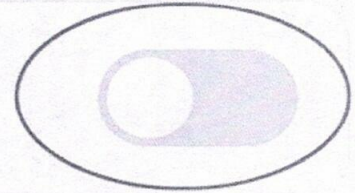
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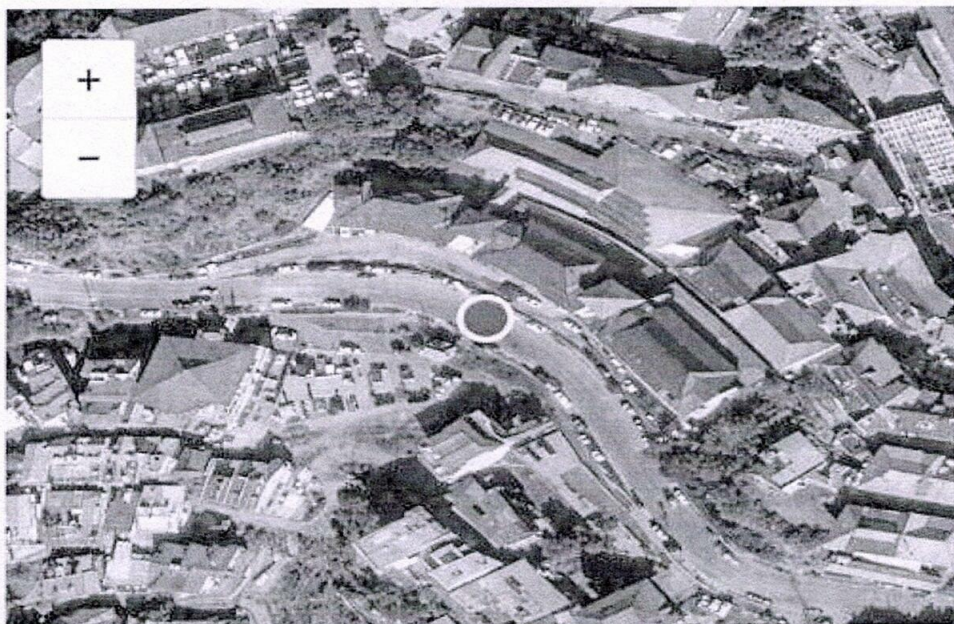
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select location on map



Latitude

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Longitude

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District

SHIMLA

Tehsil

Shimla Rural

Village

Shimla (urban)

Incident Image/Video Upload

Choose File

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Capture & Upload Video
/Image from Here

Upload a short incident video (maximum 20 seconds).

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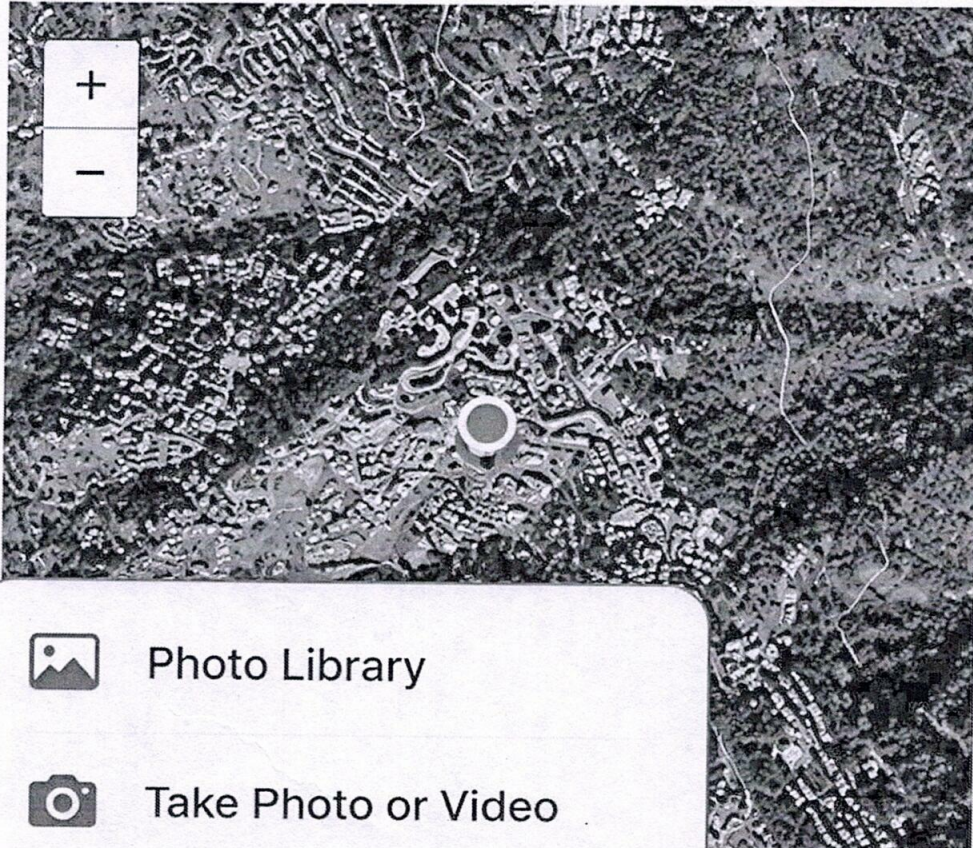


Photo Library



Take Photo or Video



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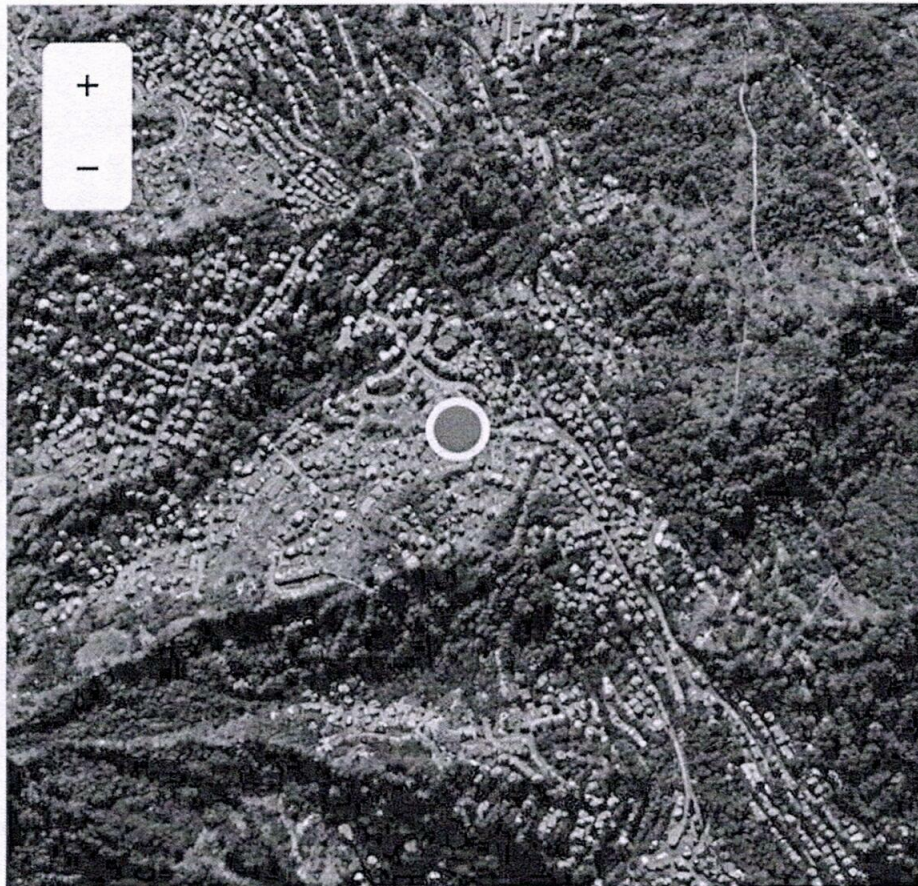


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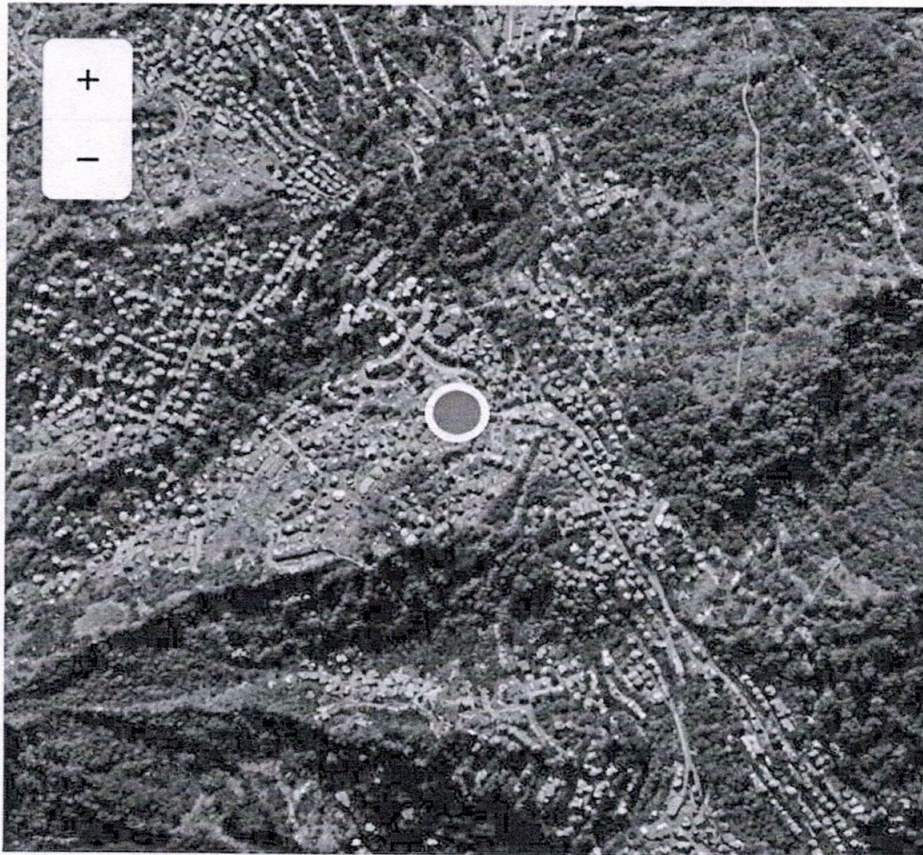
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GOVERNMENT OF
HIMACHAL PRADESH

Official User

Government Disaster
Reporting Module





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Select Role

Choose your access type



Citizen

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Login

Login to continue

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Registration



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User Registration

Create your account

Full Name

Mobile Number

Email ID

Department



Designation

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Flood



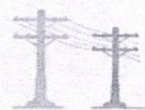
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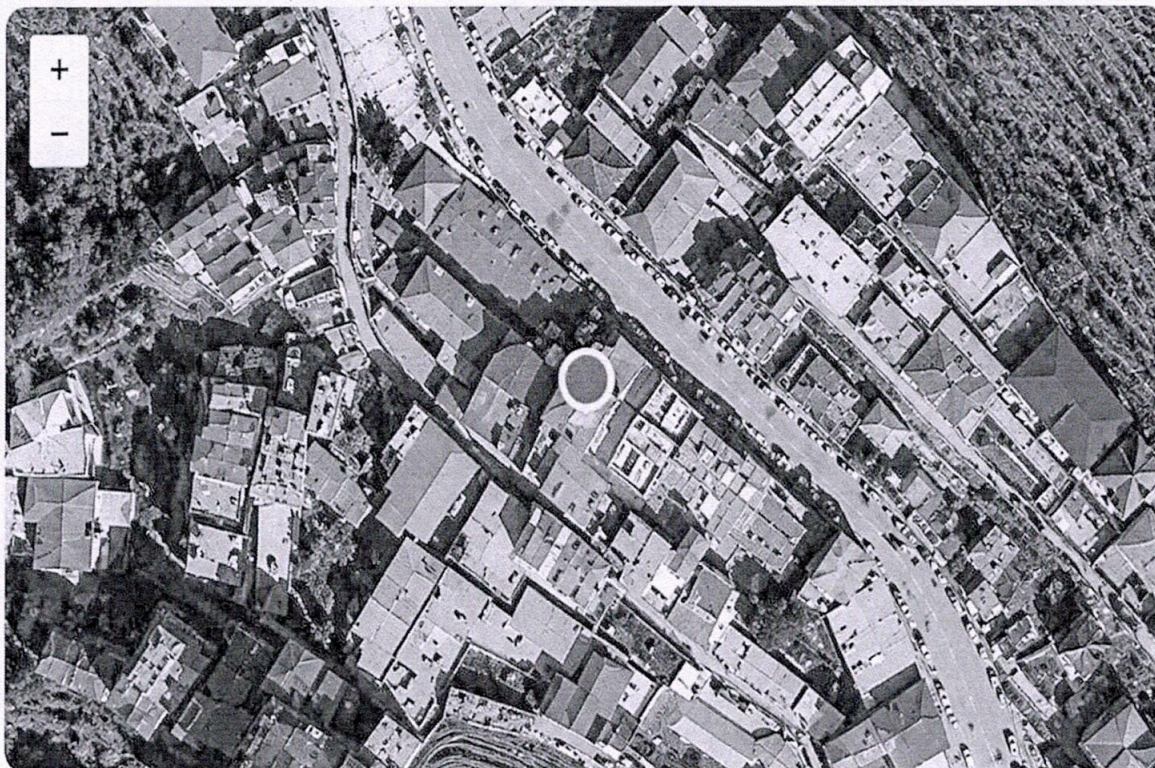


Others

Official Reporting Format

Incident Type

Landslide



District

SHIMLA

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