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ROUGH SEAS BULLETIN #4

DISCONTINUATION OF ROUGH SEAS BULLETIN

This is the final bulletin on sea conditions around Trinidad and Tobago and updates Bulletin Number 3 issued on 14th January, 2015.

Recent reports to the Trinidad and Tobago Meteorological Service, as well as observed buoy data indicate that sea conditions along the exposed coastlines of Trinidad and Tobago have shown gradual improvement over the past 24 hours as the winds in the lower levels of the atmosphere are weakening. Seas in open waters are moderate and occasionally choppy with wave heights averaging 2.5 metres in open waters and remain below 1.0 metre in sheltered areas.

Numerical Weather Prediction models are suggesting further improvement in sea conditions and expect a gradual return to a state of normalcy over the next 12 to 24 hours.

AT THIS TIME THEREFORE, THE TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO METEOROLOGICAL SERVICE IS DISCONTINUING FURTHER BULLETINS RELEVANT TO THE PREVIOUSLY DISTURBED STATE OF THE SEA.

As a precautionary measure, Small Craft Operators, Sea Bathers and all other Marine Interests are advised to continue to exercise caution when venturing into the sea.

The Trinidad and Tobago Meteorological Service will continue to monitor sea conditions affected by weather events and will alert concerned interests, if the situation warrants.

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