

ARE WE READY FOR MONSOON?

58

of the 90 dams have more than 50 per cent storage



83,319

storm water drains stretching about 14,754.63 km long desilted

3,915 chainsaws, 2,897 earthmovers, 2,115 generators and 483 giant pumps, and equipment for search and rescue missions kept ready

121 multidisciplinary safety centres and 5,106 relief camps, and State and National Disaster Relief Forces mobilised

21,000 high-frequency VHF, 600 satellite phones and 296 Navtex and Navic equipment kept ready to give instant weather alerts to fishermen

Toll-free 1070 and 1077 helplines and 24x7 helplines kept operational. People can also report through WhatsApp number 9445869848 or via TNSMART website

RAINFALL FROM OCT 1 TO NOVEMBER 2

■ Ariyalur, Coimbatore, Erode, Karur, Pudukkottai, Tirunelveli, Tiruvarur and Villupuram received **60 per cent more rainfall than average**

■ Cuddalore, Kanniyakumari, Dindigul, Kallakurichi, Mayiladuthurai, Nagapattinam, Namakkal, The Nilgiris, Perambalur, Ranipet, Sivaganga, Tenkasi, Thanjavur, Theni, Tirupur, Tiruvannamalai, Thoothukudi, Tiruchy and Vellore **received 20 per cent more than the average**

■ Chennai, Chengalpattu, Dharmapuri, Kancheepuram, Krishnagiri, Madurai, Ramanathapuram, Salem, Tirupattur, Tiruvallur and Virudhunagar **received normal rainfall**