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Sub: Withdrawal of Southwest Monsoon from some parts of Rajasthan, Kutch and north Arabian Sea

1. Withdrawal of Southwest Monsoon:

- In view of (i) anti-cyclone established over Rajasthan & adjoining areas in the lower tropospheric levels, (ii) substantial reduction in moisture content over Rajasthan & adjoining areas and (iii) dry weather conditions over most parts West Rajasthan & Kutch, the southwest monsoon has withdrawn from some parts of Rajasthan, Kutch and north Arabian Sea, today the 29th September 2018.
- Withdrawal line of southwest monsoon passes through Anupgarh, Nagore, Jodhpur, Jalore, Nalia, lat. 23.0 °N & long. 68.0°E, lat. 23.0°N & long. 65.0°E and lat. 23.0°N & long. 60.0°E. The withdrawal map is given in Annexure.

2. Forecast for further withdrawal:

Conditions are becoming favourable for further withdrawal of southwest monsoon from remaining parts of Rajasthan; some parts of Punjab, Haryana (including Delhi), Uttar Pradesh, Madhya Pradesh and some more parts of Gujarat & north Arabian sea during next 2-3 days.

