



**NATIONAL DISASTER MANAGEMENT AGENCY (NaDMA)
MEDIA RELEASE**

**Meteorological Services and NaDMA Monitoring
Tropical Storm Beryl.**

Release #5

St. George's, Grenada – Saturday, 29 June 2024, 11:30 a.m.

At 11:00 a.m., the center of Tropical Storm Beryl was located near latitude 10.0 North, longitude 47.8 West. Beryl is moving toward the west near 23 mph. A relatively quick westward to west-northwestward motion is expected during the next few days. On the forecast track, the system is expected to move across the Windward Islands late Sunday night and Monday. Maximum sustained winds have increased to near 65 mph with higher gusts. Rapid strengthening is now forecast, and Beryl is expected to become a major hurricane before it reaches the Windward Islands. Tropical-storm-force winds extend outward up to 45 miles from the center. The estimated minimum central pressure is 998 mb.

At 11:00 a.m., Grenada, Carriacou and Petite Martinique was placed under a Hurricane Watch.

A Hurricane Watch means that Hurricane conditions are possible within 48 hours over Grenada, Carriacou and Petite Martinique.

The Meteorological Office and the National Disaster Management Agency (NaDMA) will continue to monitor Tropical Storm Beryl and provide information on potential impacts.

The following are some preparedness actions that you should take:

- Update your family disaster plan.
- Have a Disaster supplies kit (3-day supply of non-perishable food, water, medication, flashlights, etc.)
- Trim overhanging trees and branches.
- Clear guttering and drains.
- Know where the nearest Emergency Shelters are located.

The public is also encouraged to follow the advisories and forecasts issued by the Meteorological Office and NaDMA.

For additional information, contact Mrs. Ruth Jacob-Roberts, Public Information Officer at NaDMA 440-8390-4: cell 533-0766, or email: admin@nadma.gd and pro@nadma.gd.

NaDMA is the official source for all disaster-related information in Grenada.

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