March 3, 2020

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The National level search and Rescue Exercise (SAREX-2020) is being conducted by Coast guard at North Goa on Caranzalem beach. The Rehearsals has been scheduled on March 04, 2020 from 8.00 a.m. onwards and final exercise will be conducted on March 6, 2020. The exercise will be witnessed by International observers from 36 countries which will involve activation of SAR agencies, followed by Mass Rescue Operation due to stimulation of Air crash which would require setting of triage camps mobilization of ambulances, and medical staff, shifting of rescued personnel to trauma centres/hospitals and other supporting activities. The Hovercrafts will be involved in shifting of rescued personnel from sea to triage camps at Caranzalem beach. There will be Police security on the beach.

The general public is requested not to panic as this is only a mock drill on both days on March 4 and 6, 2020 at Caranzalem beach.

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