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Special Agromet Advisory for Possible Heavy Rainfall

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According to the information received from the Bangladesh Meteorological Department, there is a possibility of moderate to heavy rainfall across the country on 26-28 May 2024. There is a possibility of heavy rainfall especially in the coastal districts. In such a situation, the following agromet advisories are given to protect standing crops from the harmful effects of rainfall:

1. If the transplanted boro paddy is matured 80%, harvest immediately and keep it safe and dry place.
2. Immediately harvest matured vegetables and fruit crops.
3. Avoid irrigation, fertilizer and pesticide application.
4. Increase the height of bunds around the crop fields.
5. Keep drains clean so that water does not accumulate on the ground.
6. Tie sugarcane bushes, arrange poles for bananas and other horticultural crops and vegetables.
7. Surround the pond with netting to prevent fish from being swept away by heavy rainfall.
8. Keep livestock and poultry in a dry and safe place.

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