McLarens Storm Surge Bulletin

Storms Dudley & Eunice

AMBER ALERT

16 February 2022 - Ireland

- Two storms are forecasted this week to impact Ireland named Dudley and Eunice, striking between Wednesday and Friday, bringing high winds of up to 90 mph, heavy rain and snow.
- Yellow and amber weather warnings are in place #TwoStorms

"#StormDudley will bring a spell of wet & very windy weather tomorrow. A yellow wind warning is in place nationwide from noon Wednesday until noon Thurs, with the strongest winds expected in coastal areas and on high ground. Large coastal waves & some coastal flooding possible."

Met Éireann (@MetEireann)

 Hot on the heels of Dudley, storm Eunice is forecast to strike on Thursday and arrive on our shores on Thursday evening. This system carries the potential for damage and travel disruption throughout Friday.

"#StormEunice will bring strong winds, heavy rain and some snow through Thursday night & Friday morning. A Weather Advisory is in place with weather warnings expected to be issued in the coming days..."

Met Éireann (@MetEireann)

 Multiple storms within 90 days will naturally affect the resilience levels of people and their properties and we are ready to respond empathetically to those vulnerable and affected by this heightened weather activity.

McLarens Response

- It is early days of this storm cycle but we have already received weather related losses today and anticipate a steady increase in loss intake this week and beyond.
- We have activated our Surge Plan and both on-site and video surveys are already underway as we utilise the flexibility of our response to meet the needs of your customers.
- Given the widespread nature of the storms we anticipate claims throughout Ireland, and we are well placed to respond.

Outlook

- Our Surge Plan status remains at Red but we are expecting capacity to remain sufficient to respond and operate within SLAs.
- We will continue to monitor any specific hotspots over the next 24-48 hours and respond accordingly.

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