



Landslides - A Case Study in Uttarkashi

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Landslide is the result of a wide variety of processes or occurrence of landslide depends on the inter-play of several processes, which include geological, geomorphological and meteorological factors. Similar to other part of India, the state, Uttaranchal is also suffering from environmental hazards and the landslide is one example of such phenomenon that affects the household, roads etc. Though the landslides occur periodically in different parts of Uttaranchal, they are severe particularly during the last few years inflicting threat to life and damaging the properties. The present study on Landslide has been carried out to find the possible causes, its impact and remedial measures in the study area Uttarkashi district of Uttaranchal.