**DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Fire Incident**

**in Canlapwas, Catbalogan City**

as of 4 December 2018, 6PM

**SUMMARY**

On 3 December 2018 at around 3:40 PM, a fire broke out in Canlapwas, Catbalogan City. The said incident resulted to totally and partially burned residential houses with an estimate of Php 600,000.00 worth of damages.

*Source: DSWD-FO VIII*

1. **Status of Affected Families / Persons**

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| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY**  |  **NUMBER OF AFFECTED**  |
|  **Barangays**  |  **Families**  |  **Persons**  |
| **GRAND TOTAL** |  **1**  |  **12**  |  **40**  |
| **REGION VIII** |  **1**  |  **12**  |  **40**  |
| **Western Samar** |  **1**  |  **12**  |  **40**  |
|   | *City of Catbalogan (capital)* | *1*  | *12*  | *40*  |

*Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.*

*Source: DSWD-FO VIII*

1. **Damaged Houses**

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| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY**  | **NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES**  |
|  **Total**  |  **Totally**  |  **Partially**  |
| **GRAND TOTAL** |  **9**  | **6**  |  **3**  |
| **REGION VIII** |  **9**  | **6**  |  **3**  |
| **Western Samar** |  **9**  | **6**  |  **3**  |
|   | *City of Catbalogan (capital)* |  *9*  |  *6*  | *3*  |

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**SITUATIONAL REPORT**

**DSWD-DRMB**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
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| 4 December 2018 | * The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of the DSWD-DRMB continues to closely coordinate with DSWD-FO VIII for significant reports on the status of affected families, assistance, and relief efforts.
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**DSWD-FO VIII**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
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| 4 December 2018 | * Provincial Action Team of Western Samar is in close coordination with the CSWDO of Catbalogan City. They are conducting an assessment as to the situation and current location of the affected families.
* DROMIC Focal Person is gathering data in coordination with the Western Samar Provincial Action Team and Bureau of Fire Protection.
* Regional Resource Operation Section (RROS) are also advised to be alerted to ensure the readiness of dispatching the Food and Non-Food commodities whenever needed for augmentation.
* Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) is still assessing the situation if there is a need for augmentation considering that the LGU of Catbalogan City will provide Family Food Packs to the fire victims.
* DSWD Field Office VIII Staff are also alerted whenever there is a need of workforce in the relief operation.
* The cause of fire incident is not yet identified and under investigation of the Bureau of Fire Protection.
* The reports on affected families and burned/damaged houses still in the process of validation.
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*The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of the DSWD-DRMB continues to closely coordinate with DSWD-FO VIII for significant disaster response updates and assistance provided.*

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