**DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on Heavy Rains due to**

**Inter Tropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ) in Bicol**

as of 12 January 2021, 6PM

**SITUATION OVERVIEW**

Issued on 08 January 2021 at 4:00 PM, PAGASA forecasted that the Inter Tropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ) will bring Cloudy skies with scattered rain showers and thunderstorms. Possible flash floods or landslides due to moderate to heavy rains

*Source: PAGASA Severe Weather Bulletin*

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

A total of **235 families** or **831 persons** were affected by the Heavy Rains

due to Inter Tropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ) in **Viga, Catanduanes** (see Table 1).

***Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons***

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| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY** | | **NUMBER OF AFFECTED** | | |
| **Barangays** | **Families** | **Persons** |
| **GRAND TOTAL** | | **1** | **235** | **831** |
| **REGION V** | | **1** | **235** | **831** |
| **Catanduanes** | | **1** | **235** | **831** |
|  | *Viga* | *1* | *235* | *831* |

*Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.*

*Source: DSWD-FO V*

**SITUATIONAL REPORT**

**DSWD-DRMB**

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| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
| 12 January 2021 | * The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of the DSWD-DRMB is closely coordinating with DSWD-FO V for significant reports on the status of affected families, assistance, and relief efforts. |

**DSWD-FO V**

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| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
| 12 January 2021 | * The DSWD-FO V is continuously monitoring the weather updates and information. * The DSWD-FO V will provide 470 family food packs to the affected families amounting to ₱194,674.00 * A total of 117 families or 485 persons have preemptively evacuated in Sorsogon |

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*The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of the DSWD-DRMB is closely coordinating with concerned DSWD Field Offices for any significant disaster response updates.*

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