**DSWD DROMIC Report #6 on the**

**Effects of Weather Disturbances in Eastern Visayas**

as of 23 February 2021, 6PM

**SUMMARY**

On 08 February 2021, the Low-Pressure Area (LPA) was last spotted at about 580km east of Davao City and lasted for more than 24 hours. Tail-end of a Frontal System continuously affects the Eastern Visayas with cloudy skies, scattered rain showers and thunderstorms. Due to prolonged periods of rainfall brought by these weather disturbances, flooding occurred in areas that are highly or very highly susceptible to these hazards.

*Source: DSWD-FO VIII*

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

A total of **28,203 families** or **136,727 persons** were affected by the flooding incident in **116 barangays** in **Eastern Visayas** (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** | | **116** | **28,203** | **136,727** |
| **REGION VIII** | | **116** | **28,203** | **136,727** |
| **Eastern Samar** | | **11** | **3,734** | **15,006** |
|  | *Arteche* | *9* | *1,135* | *4,610* |
|  | *Jipapad* | *1* | *2,510* | *10,040* |
|  | *Maslog* | *1* | *89* | *356* |
| **Leyte** | | **105** | **24,469** | **121,721** |
|  | *Alangalang* | *7* | *791* | *3,955* |
|  | *Palo* | *15* | *2,383* | *11,736* |
|  | *San Miguel* | *21* | *5,696* | *28,480* |
|  | *Santa Fe* | *19* | *4,636* | *23,180* |
|  | *Tanauan* | *8* | *233* | *720* |
|  | *Tolosa* | *9* | *4,000* | *20,000* |
|  | *Dulag* | *26* | *6,730* | *33,650* |

*Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.*

*Source: DSWD-FO VIII*

1. **Status of Displaced Families / Persons Inside Evacuation Center**

A total of **7,253 families** or **35,520 persons** took temporary shelter in **eight (8) evacuation centers** in **Eastern Visayas** (see Table 2).

***Table 2. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Inside Evacuation Centers***

| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY** | | **NUMBER OF EVACUATION CENTERS (ECs)** | | **NUMBER OF DISPLACED** | | | |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **INSIDE ECs** | | | |
| **Families** | | **Persons (Actual)** | |
| **CUM** | **NOW** | **CUM** | **NOW** | **CUM** | **NOW** |
| **GRAND TOTAL** | | **8** | **-** | **7,253** | **-** | **35,520** | **-** |
| **REGION VIII** | | **8** | **-** | **7,253** | **-** | **35,520** | **-** |
| **Eastern Samar** | | **1** | **-** | **60** | **-** | **277** | **-** |
|  | *Arteche* | *1* | *-* | *60* | *-* | *277* | *-* |
| **Leyte** | | **7** | **-** | **7,193** | **-** | **35,243** | **-** |
|  | *Alangalang* | *1* | *-* | *55* | *-* | *272* | *-* |
|  | *Palo* | *1* | *-* | *2,383* | *-* | *11,736* | *-* |
|  | *San Miguel* | *1* | *-* | *1,921* | *-* | *9,510* | *-* |
|  | *Santa Fe* | *1* | *-* | *825* | *-* | *4,125* | *-* |
|  | *Tanauan* | *1* | *-* | *233* | *-* | *720* | *-* |
|  | *Tolosa* | *1* | *-* | *763* | *-* | *3,815* | *-* |
|  | *Dulag* | *1* | *-* | *1,013* | *-* | *5,065* | *-* |

*Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.*

*Source: DSWD-FO VIII*

1. **Damaged Houses**

A total of **15 houses** were **partially damaged** due to the effects of the weather disturbances (see Table 3).

***Table 3. Number of Damaged Houses***

|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY** | | **NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES** | | |
| **Total** | **Totally** | **Partially** |
| **GRAND TOTAL** | | **15** | **-** | **15** |
| **REGION VIII** | | **15** | **-** | **15** |
| **Leyte** | | **15** | **-** | **15** |
|  | *Santa Fe* | *15* | *-* | *15* |

*Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.*

*Source: DSWD-FO VIII*

1. **Assistance Provided**

A total of **₱ 2,723,830.23** worth of assistance was provided to the affected families; of which, **₱2,508,061.23** from **DSWD** and **₱215,769.00** from **LGUs** (see Table 5).

***Table 5. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons***

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| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| **REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY** | | **COST OF ASSISTANCE** | | | | |
| **DSWD** | **LGU** | **NGOs** | **OTHERS** | **GRAND TOTAL** |
| **REGION VIII** | | **2,508,061.23** | **215,769.00** | **-** | **-** | **2,723,830.23** |
| **Eastern Samar** | | **1,333,716.36** | **-** | **-** | **-** | **1,333,716.36** |
|  | *Jipapad* | *1,333,716.36* | *-* | *-* | *-* | *1,333,716.36* |
| **Leyte** | | **1,174,344.87** | **215,769.00** | **-** | **-** | **1,390,113.87** |
|  | *Palo* | *486,817.35* | *-* | *-* | *-* | *486,817.35* |
|  | *Santa Fe* | *108,786.00* | *-* | *-* | *-* | *108,786.00* |
|  | *Tolosa* | *578,741.52* | *-* | *-* | *-* | *578,741.52* |
|  | *Dulag* | *-* | *215,769.00* | *-* | *-* | *215,769.00* |

*Source: DSWD-FO VIII*

**SITUATIONAL REPORT**

**DSWD-DRMB**

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| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
| 23 February 2021 | * The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of the DSWD-DRMB is closely coordinating with DSWD-FO VIII for significant reports on the status of affected families, assistance, and relief efforts. |

**DSWD-FO VIII**

| **DATE** | **SITUATIONS / ACTIONS UNDERTAKEN** |
| --- | --- |
| 23 February 2021 | * DSWD-FO VIII and LGU Tolosa united in Bayanihan by delivering the goods to flooded barangays on 10 February 2021. * DSWD-FO VIII prepositioned family food packs (FFPs) in Northern Samar and Biliran which can be distributed immediately by the P/C/MATs to local government units that need augmentation support. * DSWD-FO VIII communicated with the SWAD Teams and City/Municipal Actions Teams to be alerted on the weather disturbance. * Provincial Action Team (PAT) and DRMD PDO assigned are in close coordination with C/MDRRMO and C/MSWDO to monitor the situation on the ground and to ensure response activities of LGUs consider health protocols, especially during the management of their respective evacuation centers. |

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

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