

DSWD DROMIC Report #3 on the Armed Conflict in Brgy. San Jose, Sipalay City, Negros Occidental as of 21 January 2023, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 18 January 2023 at around 5:00 PM, an armed conflict between the Philippine Army and the New People's Army (NPA) transpired in Brgy. San Jose, Sipalay City, Negros Occidental resulting to the displacement of the families and individuals in neighboring barangays.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) VI

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **210 families** or **885 persons** are affected in **two (2) barangays** in **Negros Occidental** (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	2	210	885
REGION VI	2	210	885
Negros Occidental	2	210	885
<i>Cauayan</i>	1	74	322
<i>City of Sipalay</i>	1	136	563

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VI

III. Status of Displaced Population

a. Inside Evacuation Center

A total of **118 families** or **587 persons** sought temporary shelter in **three (3) evacuation centers** in **Negros Occidental** (see Table 2).

Table 2. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Inside Evacuation Center

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF EVACUATION CENTERS (ECs)		NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
			INSIDE ECs			
			Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	3	-	118	-	587	-
REGION VI	3	-	118	-	587	-
Negros Occidental	3	-	118	-	587	-
<i>Cauayan</i>	2	-	18	-	90	-
<i>City of Sipalay</i>	1	-	100	-	497	-

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VI

b. Outside Evacuation Center

A total of **92 families** or **298 persons** temporarily stayed with their relatives or friends (see Table 3).

Table 3. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Outside Evacuation Center

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	OUTSIDE ECs			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	92	-	298	-
REGION VI	92	-	298	-
Negros Occidental	92	-	298	-
<i>Cauayan</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>232</i>	<i>-</i>
<i>City of Sipalay</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>-</i>

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VI

c. Total Displaced Population

There were **210 families** or **885 persons** displaced in **Negros Occidental** (see Table 4).

Table 4. Total Number of Displaced Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	TOTAL			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	210	-	885	-
REGION VI	210	-	885	-
Negros Occidental	210	-	885	-
<i>Cauayan</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>322</i>	<i>-</i>
<i>City of Sipalay</i>	<i>136</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>563</i>	<i>-</i>

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VI

IV. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱691,540.00** worth of assistance was provided to the affected families; of which, **₱481,540.00** was provided by the **DSWD**, **₱145,000.00** was from the **Local Government Unit (LGU)**, and **₱65,000.00** from **Non-Government Organizations (NGOs)** (see Table 5).

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
GRAND TOTAL	481,540.00	145,000.00	65,000.00	-	691,540.00
REGION VI	481,540.00	145,000.00	65,000.00	-	691,540.00
Negros Occidental	481,540.00	145,000.00	65,000.00	-	691,540.00
<i>Cauayan</i>	<i>108,789.00</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>108,789.00</i>
<i>City of Sipalay</i>	<i>372,751.00</i>	<i>145,000.00</i>	<i>65,000.00</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>582,751.00</i>

Note: The reflected DSWD assistance only covers the cost of relief items distributed to different affected areas.

Source: DSWD FO VI

V. Response Actions and Interventions

a. Standby Funds and Prepositioned Relief Stockpile

OFFICE	STANDBY FUNDS	STOCKPILE			TOTAL STANDBY FUNDS & STOCKPILE
		FAMILY FOOD PACKS (FFPs)		OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS (FNIs)	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST		
TOTAL	28,751,706.78	134,628	78,313,443.00	106,068,104.82	250,670,622.04
DSWD CO	23,751,706.78		-	-	-
NRLMB NROC	-	66,589	34,699,108.00	93,052,582.58	225,651,537.04
NRLMB VDRC	-	30,206	23,075,036.00	11,758,637.24	2,297,498.00
DSWD FO VI	5,000,000.00	37,833	20,539,299.00	1,256,885.00	22,721,587.00

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 21 January 2023, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱23.75 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO VI.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 96,795 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 66,589 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 30,206 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 37,833 FFPs available at DSWD FO VI.
- ₱106.07 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VI warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
20 January 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VI augmented FNIs to the LGUs of Sipalay City and Cauayan.
19 January 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The DRMD-DRRS is coordinating with the Cauayan City Social Welfare and Development Office (CSWDO) for the provision of relief assistance to the affected families.

c. Internally Displaced Person (IDP) Protection

DATE	ACTIVITIES
19 January 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The affected families at the evacuation centers were provided with temporary tents and hot meals through the CSWDO.

d. Camp Coordination and Camp Management (CCCM)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
19 January 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The LGU of Sipalay through its CSWDO lead the management of the evacuation center.

e. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
19 January 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• DSWD FO VI through its Disaster Response Information Management Section (DRIMS) continuously monitors and coordinates with concerned offices for significant disaster response updates and augmentation requests.

The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of DSWD-DRMB is closely coordinating with DSWD FO VI for significant disaster response updates and assistance provided.

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