

DSWD DROMIC Report #2 on the Armed Conflict in Calbayog City, Samar as of 17 February 2023, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 06 February 2023, an armed conflict transpired in Calbayog City, Samar between the troops of Philippine Army and members of the Communist Party of the Philippines - New People's Army (CPP-NPA).

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) VIII

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **981 families** or **4,905 persons** are affected in **11 barangays** in **Calbayog City, Samar** (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	11	981	4,905
REGION VIII	11	981	4,905
Western Samar	11	981	4,905
Calbayog City	11	981	4,905

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VIII

III. Status of Displaced Population

a. Outside Evacuation Center

There are **nine (9) families** or **45 persons** temporarily staying with their relatives or friends (see Table 2).

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	OUTSIDE ECs			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	9	9	45	45
REGION VIII	9	9	45	45
Western Samar	9	9	45	45
Calbayog City	9	9	45	45

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VIII

IV. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱557,770.00** worth of assistance was provided by **DSWD** to the affected families (see Table 3).

Table 3. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
GRAND TOTAL	557,770.00	-	-	-	557,770.00
REGION VIII	557,770.00	-	-	-	557,770.00
Western Samar	557,770.00	-	-	-	557,770.00
Calbayog City	557,770.00	-	-	-	557,770.00

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

Source: DSWD FO VIII

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	753,725,191.03	172,991	137,012,363.16	349,437,258.92	1,240,174,813.11
DSWD CO	748,725,126.18		-	-	748,725,126.18
NRLMB NROC	-	84,536	61,644,113.84	301,969,363.80	363,613,477.64
NRLMB VDRC	-	80,768	70,904,189.32	24,071,276.44	94,975,465.76
DSWD FO VIII	5,000,064.85	7,687	4,464,060.00	23,396,618.68	32,860,743.53

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 17 February 2023, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱748.73 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO VIII.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 165,304 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 84,536 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 80,768 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 7,687 FFPs available at DSWD FO VIII.
- ₱349.44 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VIII warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
16 February 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VIII distributed food packs to the families affected by the armed conflict in coordination with the LGU of Calbayog City, Samar, and the Philippine Army.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
16 February 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VIII 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 VIII for significant disaster response updates and assistance provided.

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