

## DSWD DROMIC Report #4 on the Effects of the Dry Season

as of 09 June 2023, 6PM

### I. Situation Overview

On 23 March 2023, the Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA) released a press statement indicating that recent observations from several DOST-PAGASA stations showed a gradual increase in daily temperature over many parts of the country and the strengthening of the North Pacific High. Furthermore, the number of dry and warm days across the country will continue to increase, though isolated thunderstorms are also likely to occur, especially in the afternoon or evening hours.

The Municipality of Mayoyao, Ifugao reported agricultural losses in its crops due to the lack of water supply since March 2023. According to the Social Welfare and Development (SWAD) Team in Ifugao, in coordination with the Municipal Agricultural Office (MAO) of Mayoyao, the affected families or persons who are mostly farmers are in need of food, financial assistance, and livelihood support.

Several barangays in the Municipality of Tarragona in Davao Oriental also reported that majority of their residents who are mainly relying on farm crops production were also affected by the effects of dry season.

On 13 April 2023, the effects of the dry season were also reported in Brgy. Cabladan, Sibalom, Antique. Affected families who are farmers or farm workers experienced low farm crops production caused by poor vegetation that resulted in food shortage and low farm harvest and low income.

Reports also indicated that the livelihood of the families or persons in several municipalities in Ilocos Norte and Ilocos Sur, who are mostly farmers, have been affected by the dry season.

*Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) VI and CAR*

### II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **11,401 families** or **40,299 persons** in **96 barangays** are affected in **Regions I, VI, XI, and CAR** (see Table 1).

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>11,401</b>	<b>40,299</b>
<b>REGION I</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>7,963</b>	<b>23,212</b>
<b>Ilocos Norte</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>2,941</b>	<b>11,159</b>
<i>Badoc</i>	3	190	570
<i>CITY OF BATAC</i>	14	1606	6424
<i>Burgos</i>	4	280	1120
<i>Currimao</i>	4	55	265
<i>Nueva Era</i>	2	130	440
<i>Paoay</i>	2	100	300

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
<i>Pasquin</i>	7	340	1400
<i>Pinili</i>	2	140	240
<i>Sarrat</i>	2	100	400
<b>Ilocos Sur</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>5,022</b>	<b>12,053</b>
<i>Tagudin</i>	43	5022	12053
<b>REGION VI</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>870</b>
<b>Antique</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>174</b>	<b>870</b>
<i>Sibalom</i>	1	174	870
<b>REGION XI</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3,018</b>	<b>15,090</b>
<b>Davao Oriental</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>3,018</b>	<b>15,090</b>
<i>Tarragona</i>	7	3,018	15,090
<b>CAR</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>246</b>	<b>1,127</b>
<b>Benguet</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>344</b>
<i>Kibungan</i>	3	69	344
<b>Ifugao</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>177</b>	<b>783</b>
<i>Mayoyao</i>	2	177	783

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FOs

### III. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱91,524.00** worth of assistance was provided by **DSWD** to the affected families (see Table 2).

**Table 2. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons**

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>91,524.00</b>	-	-	-	<b>91,524.00</b>
<b>REGION VI</b>	<b>91,524.00</b>	-	-	-	<b>91,524.00</b>
<b>Antique</b>	<b>91,524.00</b>	-	-	-	<b>91,524.00</b>
<i>Sibalom</i>	91,524.00	-	-	-	91,524.00

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

Source: DSWD FO VI

### IV. Response Actions and Interventions

#### a. Stockpile and Standby Funds

**Table 8. Level of Stockpile and Standby Funds**

OFFICE	STANDBY FUNDS	STOCKPILE			TOTAL STANDBY FUNDS & STOCKPILE
		FAMILY FOOD PACKS		OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS (FNIs)	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>217,590,518.52</b>	<b>1,074,196</b>	<b>658,469,484.63</b>	<b>1,044,301,757.53</b>	<b>1,920,361,760.68</b>
DSWD CO	144,789,525.45		-	-	144,789,525.45
NRLMB NROC	-	105,618	65,028,260.23	217,644,209.96	282,672,470.19
NRLMB VDRC	-	73,542	52,397,960.48	42,313,131.41	94,711,091.89
DSWD FO I	4,360,000.00	82,987	58,573,313.95	76,106,684.40	139,039,998.35
DSWD FO II	5,000,000.00	80,365	26,057,779.00	39,896,533.31	70,954,312.31
DSWD FO III	5,000,000.00	46,899	30,247,264.18	53,455,688.85	88,702,953.03

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DSWD FO CALABARZON	5,492,710.00	70,652	42,011,956.45	35,185,359.32	82,690,025.77
DSWD FO MIMAROPA	829,634.63	82,664	29,859,000.00	32,566,083.21	63,254,717.84
DSWD FO V	5,000,000.00	80,278	49,933,836.66	45,835,866.45	100,769,703.11
DSWD FO VI	5,000,000.00	66,333	42,219,890.04	33,902,514.50	81,122,404.54
DSWD FO VII	5,000,000.24	46,071	27,058,487.06	50,358,343.73	82,416,831.03
DSWD FO VIII	3,658,750.00	58,191	34,380,941.28	63,235,793.80	101,275,485.08
DSWD FO IX	2,575,448.50	36,945	19,788,821.71	52,681,063.42	75,045,333.63
DSWD FO X	5,000,488.00	41,954	30,518,700.19	76,781,299.42	112,300,487.61
DSWD FO XI	5,000,000.00	54,006	45,451,164.96	51,151,526.65	101,602,691.61
DSWD FO XII	5,000,000.00	37,946	25,270,718.08	63,047,226.63	93,317,944.71
DSWD FO CARAGA	5,981,025.00	56,230	39,199,064.92	34,220,529.65	79,400,619.57
DSWD FO NCR	4,902,936.70	4,771	3,435,120.00	9,042,958.91	17,381,015.61
DSWD FO CAR	5,000,000.00	48,744	37,037,205.44	66,876,943.91	108,914,149.35

Note: The Inventory Summary is as 09 June 2023, 4PM. Replenishment of standby funds for DSWD FO MIMAROPA is currently being processed.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

## 1. Standby Funds

- ₱144.79 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.

## 2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 179,160 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 105,618 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 73,542 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- ₱1.04 billion worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO warehouses.

### a. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

#### DSWD FO VI

DATE	ACTIVITIES
15 April 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO VI together with the LGU of Sibalom, Antique distributed the relief items to the affected families.</li> </ul>

**b. Other Activities**

**DSWD FO CAR**

DATE	ACTIVITIES
08 May 2023	<p>DSWD FO CAR administered the following activities in relation to the effects of the dry season:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Continuous monitoring of the incident through constant coordination with the Provincial Action Team (PAT) in Ifugao and the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) of the LGU of Mayoyao.</li> <li>• Referred the incident to the Crisis Intervention Unit (CIU) and Sustainable Livelihood Program (SLP) for assessment and possible provision of assistance.</li> <li>• Maintain coordination with all concerned offices for significant updates and any request of relief augmentation.</li> </ul>

**DSWD FO I**

DATE	ACTIVITIES
17 May 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO I through its Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) continuously coordinates with the affected municipalities and other concerned offices in the provinces of Ilocos Norte and Ilocos Sur for significant disaster updates and any requests for augmentation.</li> <li>• DSWD FO I facilitated the request for Cash-for-Work Program Project Proposal from the LGU of Tagudin, Ilocos Sur.</li> </ul>

**DSWD FO VI**

DATE	ACTIVITIES
24 April 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO VI closely coordinated with the LGU of Sibalom, Antique for significant updates and any request of relief augmentation.</li> </ul>

**DSWD FO XI**

DATE	ACTIVITIES
30 May 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO XI through its Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) continuously coordinates with the concerned LGU for significant disaster updates and any request of relief augmentation.</li> <li>• DSWD FO XI through the DRMD conducted a site visit on the affected area to further assess the assistance needed by the affected population.</li> </ul>

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*This report is a continuation of the DROMIC Report on the Effects of Dry Season in Brgy. Cabladan, Sibalom, Antique. The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of DSWD-DRMB is closely coordinating with the concerned DSWD FOs for significant disaster response updates and assistance provided.*

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