

## DSWD DROMIC Report #2 on the Armed Conflict in Brgy. Cagbigajo, Pambujan, Northern Samar

as of 10 August 2023, 6PM

### I. Situation Overview

On 22 July 2023 at around 12:55 PM, an armed conflict transpired at Sitio Badulan, Brgy. Cagbigajo, Pambujan, Northern Samar between the troops of the 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 **120 families** or **552 persons** are affected in **Brgy. Cagbigajo, Pambujan, Northern Samar** (see Table 1).

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

| REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY | NUMBER OF AFFECTED |            |            |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|------------|------------|
|                                  | Barangays          | Families   | Persons    |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>               | <b>1</b>           | <b>120</b> | <b>552</b> |
| <b>REGION VIII</b>               | <b>1</b>           | <b>120</b> | <b>552</b> |
| <b>Northern Samar</b>            | <b>1</b>           | <b>120</b> | <b>552</b> |
| <i>Pambujan</i>                  | <i>1</i>           | <i>120</i> | <i>552</i> |

*Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.*

*Source: DSWD FO VIII*

### III. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱105,379.20** 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>105,379.20</b>  | -        | -        | -        | <b>105,379.20</b> |
| <b>REGION VIII</b>               | <b>105,379.20</b>  | -        | -        | -        | <b>105,379.20</b> |
| <b>Northern Samar</b>            | <b>105,379.20</b>  | -        | -        | -        | <b>105,379.20</b> |
| <i>Pambujan</i>                  | <i>105,379.20</i>  | <i>-</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>-</i> | <i>105,379.20</i> |

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

*Source: DSWD FO VIII*

### IV. 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           |                                      |                                 |
| <b>TOTAL</b> | <b>279,114,421.83</b> | <b>142,567</b>           | <b>89,554,922.44</b> | <b>281,792,408.43</b>                | <b>650,461,752.70</b>           |
| DSWD CO      | 274,114,421.83        |                          | -                    | -                                    | 274,114,421.83                  |

| OFFICE       | STANDBY FUNDS | STOCKPILE                |               |                                      | TOTAL STANDBY FUNDS & STOCKPILE |
|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|
|              |               | FAMILY FOOD PACKS (FFPs) |               | OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS (FNIs) |                                 |
|              |               | QUANTITY                 | TOTAL COST    |                                      |                                 |
| NRLMB NROC   | -             | 4,684                    | 3,475,820.60  | 194,068,393.40                       | 197,544,214.00                  |
| NRLMB VDRC   | -             | 100,628                  | 61,760,917.52 | 43,091,519.03                        | 104,852,436.55                  |
| DSWD FO VIII | 5,000,000.00  | 37,255                   | 24,318,184.32 | 44,632,496.00                        | 73,950,680.32                   |

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 10 August 2023, 12NN.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

### 1. Standby Funds

- ₱274.11 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO VIII.

### 2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 105,312 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 4,684 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City, and 100,628 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 37,255 FFPs available at DSWD FO VIII.
- ₱281.8 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VIII warehouses.

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

| DATE           | ACTIVITIES   |
|----------------|--|
| 09 August 2023 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO VIII through its Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) distributed FFPs to the affected families in Pambujan, Northern Samar.</li> </ul> |

### c. Other Activities

| DATE           | ACTIVITIES  |
|----------------|---|
| 09 August 2023 | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO VIII continuously coordinated with the Local Government Unit (LGU) of Pambujan and other concerned offices for significant updates and any augmentation requests.</li> </ul> |

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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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