

DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Armed Conflict in Brgy. Minapasuk, Calatrava, Negros Occidental

as of 12 August 2023, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 09 August 2023, reports from the 79th Infantry Battalion of the Philippine Army indicated that two unarmed civilians were killed by members of the Communist Party of the Philippines-New People's Army (CPP-NPA) at around 5:00AM. This particular incident led to a combined government force to serve warrants of arrest to the said members of the CPP-NPA but they were ambushed while on their way.

On the same day at around 9:00 AM, the armed conflict transpired in Brgy. Minapasuk, Calatrava, Negros Occidental between a combined force of the Peace and Order Committee of Brgy, Minapasuk, the Calatrava Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (MDRRMO), and the Calatrava Philippine National Police (PNP) against the said members of CPP-NPA. The armed encounter resulted in the displacement of families and persons residing near the affected areas.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) VI and Philippine News Agency (PNA)

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **28 families** or **73 persons** are affected in **Brgy. Minapasuk, Calatrava, Negros Occidental** (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	1	28	73
REGION VI	1	28	73
Negros Occidental	1	28	73
Calatrava	1	28	73

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VI

III. Status of Displaced Population

a. Inside Evacuation Center

There are **25 families** or **68 persons** currently taking temporary shelter at the **Brgy. Minapasuk Covered Court** (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			
	CUM	NOW	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	1	1	25	25	68	68
REGION VI	1	1	25	25	68	68
Negros Occidental	1	1	25	25	68	68
Calatrava	1	1	25	25	68	68

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VI

IV. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱85,875.00** 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				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
GRAND TOTAL	85,875.00	-	-	-	85,875.00
REGION VI	85,875.00	-	-	-	85,875.00
Negros Occidental	85,875.00	-	-	-	85,875.00
Calatrava	85,875.00	-	-	-	85,875.00

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	279,114,421.83	132,127	82,550,304.52	283,043,276.83	644,708,003.18
DSWD CO	274,114,421.83		-	-	274,114,421.83
NRLMB NROC	-	2,760	2,055,581.36	196,599,241.80	198,654,823.16
NRLMB VDRC	-	92,112	56,176,538.84	41,811,539.03	97,988,077.87
DSWD FO VI	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 12 August 2023, 4PM.

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 VI.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 94,872 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 2,760 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 92,112 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 37,255 FFPs available at DSWD FO VI.
- ₱283.04 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VI warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
11 August 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VI in coordination with the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) of Calatrava facilitated the provision of FNIs to the families and/or persons affected by the armed conflict.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
11 August 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• DSWD FO VI DRMD closely coordinates with the LGU of Calatrava and other concerned offices for significant updates and any relief 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.

Prepared by:

**EZEQUIEL S. MACALANDA
AARON JOHN B. PASCUA
MARIE JOYCE G. RAFANAN**

Released by:

RODEL V. CABADDU