

## DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Capsized Motorboat in Brgy. Pilar, San Antonio, Northern Samar

as of 12 August 2023, 6PM

### I. Situation Overview

On 02 August 2023 at around 7:52 AM, the motorboat MBCA Spirit capsized along the seaboard of Brgy. Pilar, San Antonio, Northern Samar. According to initial reports from the Philippine Coast Guard (PCG), the MBCA Spirit sailed from Victoria, Northern Samar, and was supposed to drop its passengers in San Vicente but it encountered rough waves that eventually resulted in its malfunctioning.

The Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Offices of the Local Government Units (LGUs) together with the PCG and the Philippine National Police (PNP) lead the rescue operations of the affected passengers and crew members.

*Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) VIII*

### II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **62 families** or **248 individuals** are affected by the capsized motorboat along the seaboard of Brgy. Pilar, San Antonio, Northern Samar (see Table 1).

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED	
	Families	Persons
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>248</b>
<b>REGION VIII</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>248</b>
<b>Northern Samar</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>248</b>
San Antonio	62	248

*Note: The reported number of affected families or persons include passengers and crew members.*

*\* Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.*

*Source: DSWD FO VIII*

### III. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱54,445.92** 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				
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>54,445.92</b>	-	-	-	<b>54,445.92</b>
<b>REGION VIII</b>	<b>54,445.92</b>	-	-	-	<b>54,445.92</b>
<b>Northern Samar</b>	<b>54,445.92</b>	-	-	-	<b>54,445.92</b>
San Antonio	54,445.92	-	-	-	54,445.92

*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>145,044</b>	<b>88,980,356.92</b>	<b>301,789,096.71</b>	<b>669,883,875.46</b>
DSWD CO	274,114,421.83		-	-	274,114,421.83
NRLMB NROC	-	4,960	3,261,775.36	196,286,741.80	199,548,517.16
NRLMB VDRC	-	92,112	56,176,538.84	41,811,539.03	97,988,077.87
DSWD FO VIII	5,000,000.00	47,972	29,542,042.72	63,690,815.88	98,232,858.60

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 12 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

- 97,072 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 4,960 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.
- 47,972 FFPs available at DSWD FO VIII.
- ₱301.8 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VIII warehouses.

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

DATE	ACTIVITIES
03 August 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO VIII through its Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) provided FFPs to the affected families.</li> </ul>

### c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
11 August 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO VIII closely coordinated with the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) of the LGU San Antonio and other concerned offices for significant updates and further relief augmentation requests.</li> <li>• DSWD FO VIII through the Assistance to Individuals in Crisis Situation (AICS) provided financial assistance amounting to a total of ₱190,000.00 to the affected families.</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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