

DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Armed Conflict in Brgy. Tabugon, Kabankalan City, Negros Occidental

as of 23 September 2023, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 21 September 2023 at around 7:30 PM, an armed conflict transpired at Purok Lubi, Brgy. Tabugon, Kabankalan City, Negros Occidental between the forces of the Philippine Army's 47th Infantry Battalion (IB) and members of the Communist Party of the Philippines – New People's Army (CPP-NPA) South West Front (SWF).

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

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **50 families** or **200 persons** are affected in **Brgy. Tabugon, Kabankalan City, Negros Occidental** (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	1	50	200
REGION VI	1	50	200
Negros Occidental	1	50	200
<i>City of Kabankalan</i>	1	50	200

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO VI

III. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱112,150.00** 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	
GRAND TOTAL	112,150.00	-	-	-	112,150.00
REGION VI	112,150.00	-	-	-	112,150.00
Negros Occidental	112,150.00	-	-	-	112,150.00
<i>City of Kabankalan</i>	112,150.00	-	-	-	112,150.00

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. 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	10,492,190.38	176,482	113,464,639.08	288,045,171.43	412,002,000.89

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		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST		
DSWD CO	5,492,190.38		-	-	5,492,190.38
NRLMB NROC	-	93,287	59,624,210.46	231,837,835.80	291,462,046.26
NRLMB VDRC	-	64,613	47,569,437.62	47,169,700.63	94,739,138.25
DSWD FO VI	5,000,000.00	18,582	6,270,991.00	9,037,635.00	20,308,626.00

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 23 September 2023, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱5.49 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO VI.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 157,900 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 93,287 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 64,613 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 18,582 FFPs available at DSWD FO VI.
- ₱288.05 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VI warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
22 September 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VI coordinated with the City Social Welfare and Development Office (CSWDO) of the LGU of Kabankalan City and provided them with FFPs and hygiene kits for distribution to the affected families and individuals.

c. Other Activities

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22 September 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO VI maintained close coordination with the LGU of Kabankalan City for significant updates and any request for relief augmentation.

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.

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