

DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Flash Flood Incident in Tantangan, South Cotabato as of 18 September 2023, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 16 September 2023, partly cloudy to cloudy skies with isolated rain showers or thunderstorms due to Southwest Monsoon/Localized Thunderstorms may have caused possible flash floods or landslides during severe thunderstorms to Metro Manila and the rest of the country.

On the same day, several barangays in Tantangan, South Cotabato experienced flash floods due to continuous heavy rainfall brought by localized thunderstorms.

Source: DOST-PAGASA Daily Weather Bulletin and DSWD Field Office (FO) XII

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **1,451 families** or **7,255 persons** are affected in **Tantangan, South Cotabato** (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	7	1,451	7,255
REGION XII	7	1,451	7,255
South Cotabato	7	1,451	7,255
<i>Tantangan</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>1,451</i>	<i>7,255</i>

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO XII

III. Status of Displaced Population

a. Inside Evacuation Center

A total of **230 families** or **1,150 persons** sought temporary shelter at the **New Iloilo Gym** in **Tantangan, South Cotabato** (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			
			Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	1	-	230	-	1,150	-
REGION XII	1	-	230	-	1,150	-
South Cotabato	1	-	230	-	1,150	-
<i>Tantangan</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>230</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1,150</i>	<i>-</i>

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO XII

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	23,573,010.53	211,173	143,710,857.62	350,341,680.13	517,625,548.28
DSWD CO	18,573,010.53		-	-	18,573,010.53
NRLMB NROC	-	113,307	73,452,425.65	239,615,450.12	313,067,875.77
NRLMB VDRC	-	56,501	42,106,173.73	47,169,700.63	89,275,874.36
DSWD FO XII	5,000,000.00	41,365	28,152,258.24	63,556,529.38	96,708,787.62

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 18 September 2023, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱18.57 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO XII.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 169,808 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 113,307 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City, and 56,501 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 34,707 FFPs available at DSWD FO XII.
- ₱350.34 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO XII warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
16 September 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Local Government Unit (LGU) of Tantaran provided hot meals, purified drinking water, and other non-food items to the affected families and individuals.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
17 September 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XII continuously coordinated with the affected LGU and other concerned offices for significant updates and further relief augmentation requests.

The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of DSWD-DRMB is closely coordinating with DSWD FO XII for significant disaster response updates and assistance provided.

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