



DSWD DROMIC Report on the Fire Incident in Brgy. Poblacion, Buguias, Benguet

13 September 2023, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 13 May 2023 at around 9:50 AM, a fire incident occurred at Sitio Nilawitan, Brgy. Poblacion, Buguias, Benguet. According to the Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP) – Buguias, the cause of fire was due to an electrical short circuit or overloading.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) CAR

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

One (1) family or five (5) persons were affected in Brgy. Poblacion, Buguias, Benguet (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED			
	Barangays	Families	Persons	
GRAND TOTAL	1	1	5	
CAR	1	1	5	
Benguet	1	1	5	
Buguias	1	1	5	

Source: DSWD FO CAR

III. Damaged Houses

One (1) house was totally damaged in Brgy. Poblacion, Buguias, Benguet (see Table 2).

Table 2. Number of Damaged Houses

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES				
	Total	Totally	Partially		
GRAND TOTAL	1	1	-		
CAR	1	1	-		
Benguet	1	1	-		
Buguias	1	1	-		

Note: The affected family stayed in a temporary shelter they built near the area of their residence.

Source: DSWD FO CAR

IV. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱16,198.21** worth of assistance was provided to the affected families; of which, **₱12,348.21** from the **DSWD** and **₱3,850.00** from the **Local Government Unit** (**LGU**) (see Table 3).

Table 3. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE /	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
MUNICIPALITY	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
GRAND TOTAL	12,348.21	3,850.00	•	•	16,198.21
CAR	12,348.21	3,850.00	-	-	16,198.21
Benguet	12,348.21	3,850.00	-	-	16,198.21





REGION / PROVINCE /	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
MUNICIPALITY	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
Buguias	12,348.21	3,850.00	-	-	16,198.21

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

Source: DSWD FO CAR

This first and final report is based on the latest report submitted by DSWD FO CAR on 03 July 2023. The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of DSWD-DRMB continues to closely coordinate with DSWD FO CAR for any request of Technical Assistance and Resource Augmentation (TARA).

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