

DSWD DROMIC Report #2 on the Armed Conflict in Maguindanao del Sur as of 16 October 2023, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 18 September 2023 at around 4AM, an armed conflict transpired in Brgy. Kaya-kaya, Datu Abdullah Sangki, Maguindanao del Sur has affected several nearby areas and resulted in the displacement of families and persons.

According to reports, the armed encounter was a “rido” (clan war) involving two leaders of the Moro Islamic Liberation Front (MILF) 106th Command in the villages of Kaya-kaya and Tukanalugong in the said municipality.

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

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **3,922 families** or **19,610 persons** are affected in **eight (8) barangays** in **Maguindanao del Sur** (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	8	3,922	19,610
BARMM	8	3,922	19,610
Maguindanao del Sur	8	3,922	19,610
<i>Ampatuan</i>	1	276	1,380
<i>Datu Abdullah Sangki</i>	3	2,672	13,360
<i>Rajah Buayan</i>	2	184	920
<i>Shariff Saydona Mustapha</i>	2	790	3,950

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO XII

III. Status of Displaced Population

a. Inside Evacuation Center

A total of **1,009 families** or **5,045 persons** sought temporary shelter in **13 evacuation centers** in **Maguindanao del Sur** (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	13	-	1,009	-	5,045	-
BARMM	13	-	1,009	-	5,045	-
Maguindanao del Sur	13	-	1,009	-	5,045	-
<i>Ampatuan</i>	2	-	276	-	1,380	-
<i>Datu Abdullah Sangki</i>	11	-	733	-	3,665	-

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO XII

b. Outside Evacuation Center

A total of **2,913 families** or **14,565 persons** temporarily stayed with their relatives or friends (see Table 3).

Table 3. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Outside Evacuation Center

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	OUTSIDE ECs			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	2,913	-	14,565	-
BARMM	2,913	-	14,565	-
Maguindanao del Sur	2,913	-	14,565	-
<i>Datu Abdullah Sangki</i>	1,939	-	9,695	-
<i>Rajah Buayan</i>	184	-	920	-
<i>Shariff Saydona Mustapha</i>	790	-	3,950	-

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO XII

c. Total Displaced Population

A total of **3,922 families** or **19,610 persons** were displaced in **Maguindao del Sur** (see Table 4).

Table 4. Total Number of Displaced Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	TOTAL			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	3,922	-	19,610	-
BARMM	3,922	-	19,610	-
Maguindanao del Sur	3,922	-	19,610	-
<i>Ampatuan</i>	276	-	1,380	-
<i>Datu Abdullah Sangki</i>	2,672	-	13,360	-
<i>Rajah Buayan</i>	184	-	920	-
<i>Shariff Saydona Mustapha</i>	790	-	3,950	-

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO XII

IV. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱2,039,440.00** worth of assistance was provided by the **DSWD** to the affected families (see Table 5).

Table 5. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
GRAND TOTAL	2,039,440.00	-	-	-	2,039,440.00
BARMM	2,039,440.00	-	-	-	2,039,440.00
Maguindanao del Sur	2,039,440.00	-	-	-	2,039,440.00
<i>Ampatuan</i>	143,520.00	-	-	-	143,520.00
<i>Datu Abdullah Sangki</i>	1,389,440.00	-	-	-	1,389,440.00
<i>Rajah Buayan</i>	95,680.00	-	-	-	95,680.00
<i>Shariff Saydona Mustapha</i>	410,800.00	-	-	-	410,800.00

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

Source: DSWD FO XII

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	21,535,802.57	197,343	138,018,455.64	516,892,685.84	676,446,944.05
DSWD CO	16,535,802.57		-	-	16,535,802.57
NRLMB NROC	-	115,394	82,594,191.01	346,141,185.84	428,735,376.85
NRLMB VDRC	-	42,368	30,326,726.55	107,802,348.99	138,129,075.54
DSWD FO XII	5,000,000.00	39,581	25,097,538.08	62,949,151.01	93,046,689.09

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 16 October 2023, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱16.54 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO XII.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 157,762 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 115,394 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 42,368 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 39,581 FFPs available at DSWD FO XII.
- ₱516.9 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO XII warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
11 October 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XII facilitated the augmentation of FFPs to the Provincial Government of Maguindanao del Sur intended for distribution to the affected families and individuals.
26 September 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (MDRRMO) of the LGU of Datu Abdullah Sangki, Maguindanao del Sur, together with the Philippine Red Cross, distributed food packs to the displaced families and persons.
24 September 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (PDRRMO) of the Provincial Government of Maguindanao del Sur provided food packs to the affected families and persons in the Municipality of Datu Abdullah Sangki.
19 September 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The LGU of Datu Abdullah Sangki, Maguindanao del Sur provided food packs to the affected families and persons. • The MDRRMO of the LGU of Ampatuan, Maguindanao del Sur provided hot meals to the displaced families and persons staying in evacuation centers.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
05 October 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XII coordinated with the PDRRMO of Maguindanao del Sur for significant updates and any requests for relief augmentation.
20 September 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The MDRRMO of the LGU of Rajah Buayan, Maguindanao del Sur conducted Rapid Damage Assessment and Needs Analysis (RDANA) together with the Ministry of Social Services and Development (MSSD) BARMM and Rural Health Unit (RHU).
18 September 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The MDRRMOs of the LGUs of Datu Abdullah Sangki, Ampatuan, Rajah Buayan, and Shariff Saydona Mustapha in Maguindanao del Sur coordinated with the respective Barangay Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Committee (BDRRMC) of affected barangays for validation of the incident and other significant updates.

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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