

DSWD DROMIC Terminal Report on the Fire Incident in Brgy. Little Venice, Laoang, Northern Samar

as of 27 November 2023, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 04 November 2023 at around 7:15 AM, a fire incident occurred in Brgy. Little Venice, Laoang, Northern Samar. According to the report submitted by the DSWD FO VIII through its Sub-Field Office Staff in Northern Samar, 11 families or 46 individuals were affected by the fire incident and are currently taking shelter with their relatives. Fire out was declared on the same day with the immediate response of the Bureau of Fire Protection Unit. Moreover, no casualty or injury has been reported.

In response to the devastating incident, the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) has provided both relief and financial assistance to the affected families, aiming to meet their immediate needs during the crisis. Additionally, the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office has committed to addressing the immediate needs of those affected, including those staying outside evacuation centers.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) VIII

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **11 families** or **46 persons** were affected in **Brgy. Little Venice, Laoang, Northern Samar** (see Table 1).

Table 1. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	1	11	46
REGION VIII	1	11	46
Northern Samar	1	11	46
<i>Laoang</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>46</i>

Source: DSWD FO VIII

III. Status of Displaced Population

Outside Evacuation Center

There are **11 families** or **46 persons** temporarily staying with their relatives or friends (see Table 2).

Table 2. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Outside Evacuation Center

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	OUTSIDE ECs			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	11	11	46	46
REGION VIII	11	11	46	46
Northern Samar	11	11	46	46
<i>Laoang</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>46</i>

Source: DSWD FO VIII

IV. Damaged Houses

A total of **11 houses** were damaged; composed of **five (5) totally damaged** and **six (6) partially damaged** houses. (See Table 3).

Table 3. Number of Damaged Houses

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES		
	Total	Totally	Partially
GRAND TOTAL	11	5	6
REGION VIII	11	5	6
Northern Samar	11	5	6
<i>Laoang</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>

Source: DSWD FO VIII

V. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱67,092.96** worth of assistance was provided by **DSWD** to the affected families (see Table 4).

Table 4. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
GRAND TOTAL	67,092.96	-	-	-	67,092.96
REGION VIII	67,092.96	-	-	-	67,092.96
Northern Samar	67,092.96	-	-	-	67,092.96
<i>Laoang</i>	<i>67,092.96</i>	-	-	-	<i>67,092.96</i>

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

Source: DSWD FO VIII

VI. Response Actions and Interventions

Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
10 November 2023	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO VIII distributed a total of ₱80,000.00 financial assistance through AICS to the affected families with damaged houses due to fire incident. ₱10,000.00 were given to those families with totally damaged houses and ₱5,000.00 to those with partially damaged houses.

This terminal report is based on the report submitted by DSWD FO VIII on 21 November 2023. The Disaster Response Operations Monitoring and Information Center (DROMIC) of DSWD-DRMB continues to closely coordinate with DSWD FO VIII for any request of Technical Assistance and Resource Augmentation (TARA).

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