

DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Effects of Northeast Monsoon in Cebu

as of 9 February 2024, 6AM

I. Situation Overview

Issued on 26 January 2024 at 4:00 PM, the Northeast Monsoon affected Metro Manila, and the rest of Luzon and Visayas. On the same day, Central Visayas encountered rough to occasionally very rough sea conditions. Gale warning advisories were issued affecting the entire seaboard of Visayas due to strong to gale force winds associated with the Northeast Monsoon.

Two (2) municipalities, Madridejos and Catmon, reported adverse effects on their fisher folks caused by the persistent weather disturbance. Consequently, families, especially in coastal and island barangays, faced disruptions in their livelihoods. In response, these localities have formally requested augmentation support to assist the affected fisher folks.

Source: PAGASA Daily Weather Bulletin and DSWD Field Office (FO) VII

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **12,681 fisherfolk** are affected in **20 barangays** in **Catmon and Madridejos, Cebu** (see Annex A).

III. Response Actions and Interventions

a. Standby Funds and Prepositioned Relief Stockpile

OFFICE	STANDBY FUNDS	STOCKPILE			TOTAL STANDBY FUNDS & STOCKPILE
		FAMILY FOOD PACKS		OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS (FNIs)	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST		
TOTAL	717,674,884.45	378,088	252,579,240.28	671,114,172.33	1,641,368,297.06
DSWD CO	712,674,884.45	-	-	-	712,674,884.45
NRLMB NROC	-	270,738	184,636,617.18	519,508,842.39	704,145,459.57
NRLMB VDRC	-	7,434	4,943,610.00	109,338,746.32	114,282,356.32
DSWD FO VII	5,000,000.00	99,916	62,999,013.10	42,266,583.62	110,265,596.72

Note: Summary of Inventory report as of 9 February 2024, 6AM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱712.67 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO VII.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 278,172 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 270,738 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 7,434 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 99,916 FFPs available at DSWD FO VII.

- ₱671.11 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VII warehouses.

Annexes

Annex A. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	20	12,681	12,681
REGION VII	20	12,681	12,681
Cebu	20	12,681	12,681
<i>Catmon</i>	6	441	441
<i>Madridejos</i>	14	12,240	12,240

Note: With ongoing validation and assessment.

Source: DSWD FO VII

The Disaster Response Operations Management, Information, and Communication (DROMIC) Division of DSWD-DRMB is closely coordinating with DSWD FO VII for significant disaster response updates and assistance provided.

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