

DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Fire Incident in Puerto Princesa City, Palawan as of 08 February 2024, 6AM

I. Situation Overview

On 07 February 2024 at around 2:29 AM, a fire incident occurred at Brgy. Bagong Silang, Puerto Princesa City that also affected the nearby Brgy. Pagkakaisa.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) MIMAROPA

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **435 families** or **1,946 persons** are affected in **two (2) barangays** in **Puerto Princesa City, Palawan** (see Annex A).

III. Status of Displaced Population

Inside Evacuation Center

There are **435 families** or **1,946 persons** currently taking temporary shelter at the **Pilot Elementary School** in **Brgy. Pagkakaibigan, Puerto Princesa City, Palawan** (see Annex B).

IV. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱1,964,298.69** worth of assistance was provided by **DSWD** to the affected families (see Annex C).

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	751,088,315.89	402,866	289,900,381.88	659,376,803.86	1,700,365,501.63
DSWD CO	746,088,096.39		-	-	746,088,096.39
NRLMB NROC	-	281,138	191,766,671.88	524,326,654.39	716,093,326.27
NRLMB VDRC	-	12,334	8,202,110.00	96,344,246.32	104,546,356.32
DSWD FO VI-B	5,000,219.50	109,394	89,931,600.00	38,705,903.15	133,637,722.65

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 08 February 2024, 4AM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱746.09 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO MIMAROPA.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 293,472 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 281,138 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City

and 12,334 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.

- 109,394 FFPs available at DSWD FO MIMAROPA.
- ₱2659.38 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VI-B warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
07 February 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● DSWD FO MIMAROPA delivered FNIs to Puerto Princesa City, Palawan as augmentation support to the families affected by the fire incident.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
08 February 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● DSWD FO MIMAROPA maintains close coordination with the affected LGU and other concerned offices for significant disaster updates and further augmentation requests.

Annexes

Annex A. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	2	435	1,946
MIMAROPA	2	435	1,946
<i>Puerto Princesa City</i>	2	435	1,946

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO MIMAROPA

Annex B. 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	1	435	435	1,946
MIMAROPA	1	1	435	435	1,946	1,946
<i>Puerto Princesa City</i>	1	1	435	435	1,946	1,946

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation being conducted.

Source: DSWD FO MIMAROPA

Annex C. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
GRAND TOTAL	1,964,298.69	-	-	-	1,964,298.69
MIMAROPA	1,964,298.69	-	-	-	1,964,298.69
<i>Puerto Princesa City</i>	1,964,298.69	-	-	-	1,964,298.69

Note: The reflected DSWD assistance covers the cost of food and non-food items (FNIs) provided to the affected families / individuals.

Source: DSWD FO MIMAROPA

Annex D. Photo Documentation

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DSWD Field Office MIMAROPA facilitates the loading of FNIs intended for distribution to the families affected by the fire incident in Puerto Princesa City, Palawan.



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

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