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## **DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Armed Conflict in Aurora** as of 23 May 2024, 6PM

### **I. Situation Overview**

On May 20, 2024, an armed conflict erupted between the Philippine Army troops and members of a Communist Terrorist Group in the Municipalities of Dipaculao and Maria Aurora, Aurora, leading to the displacement of families and individuals in the community.

The social functioning of the affected families has been disrupted due to the continuous exchange of fire between the involved groups.

Relative to the incident, the DSWD through its Field Office in Region III, together with the concerned Local Government Units (LGUs) provided relief assistance to support the immediate needs of the affected families and individuals.

*Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) III*

### **II. Status of Affected Areas and Population**

A total of **694 families** or **2,413 persons** are affected in **11 barangays** in **Dipaculao and Maria Aurora, Aurora** (see Annex A).

### **III. Status of Displaced Population**

#### **a. Inside Evacuation Center**

There are **352 families** or **1,237 persons** currently taking temporary shelter in **nine (9) evacuation centers** in **Dipaculao and Maria Aurora, Aurora** (see Annex B).

#### **b. Outside Evacuation Center**

There are **nine (9) families** or **39 persons** temporarily staying with their relatives or friends (see Annex C).

#### **c. Total Displaced Population**

There are **361 families** or **1,276 persons** displaced in **Dipaculao and Maria Aurora, Aurora** (see Annex D).

### **IV. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided**

A total of **₱778,280.88** worth of assistance was provided to the affected families composed of **₱761,738.88** from the **DSWD** and **₱16,542.00** from the **Local Government Unit (LGU)** (see Annex E).

## 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		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>534,421,520.46</b>	<b>391,679</b>	<b>255,186,535.01</b>	<b>410,769,705.14</b>	<b>1,200,377,760.61</b>
DSWD CO	529,421,520.46	-	-	-	529,421,520.46
NRLMB NROC	-	208,197	152,581,434.80	323,285,410.95	475,866,845.75
NRLMB VDRC	-	60,237	12,925,605.00	69,284,175.67	82,209,780.67
DSWD FO III	5,000,000.00	123,245	89,679,495.21	18,200,118.52	112,879,613.73

Note: Summary of Inventory Report as of 23 May 2024, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

#### 1. Standby Funds

- ₱529.42 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱5 million available at DSWD FO III.

#### 2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 268,434 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 208,197 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 60,237 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 123,245 FFPs available at DSWD FO III.
- ₱410.77 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO III warehouses.

### b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
22 May 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO III distributed Family Food Packs (FFPs) to the families affected by the Armed Conflict.</li> </ul>
22 May 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The LGU of Maria Aurora provided initial relief intervention to the families affected by the Armed Conflict.</li> </ul>

### c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
23 May 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO III continuously coordinated with the LGUs of Dipaculao and Maria Aurora and other concerned offices for significant updates and possible relief augmentation requests.</li> </ul>

## Annexes

### Annex A. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>2,413</b>
<b>REGION III</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>2,413</b>
<b>Aurora</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>2,413</b>
<i>Dipaculao</i>	7	600	2,129
<i>Maria Aurora</i>	4	94	284

Note: With ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO III

### 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
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>2,365</b>	<b>1,237</b>
<b>REGION III</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>2,365</b>	<b>1,237</b>
<b>Aurora</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>681</b>	<b>352</b>	<b>2,365</b>	<b>1,237</b>
<i>Dipaculao</i>	6	6	587	258	2,081	953
<i>Maria Aurora</i>	3	3	94	94	284	284

Note: With ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO III

### Annex C. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Outside Evacuation Center

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED OUTSIDE ECs			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>REGION III</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>39</b>
<b>Aurora</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>39</b>
<i>Dipaculao</i>	13	9	48	39

Note: With ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO III

### Annex D. Total Number of Displaced Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED TOTAL			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>2,413</b>	<b>1,276</b>
<b>REGION III</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>2,413</b>	<b>1,276</b>
<b>Aurora</b>	<b>694</b>	<b>361</b>	<b>2,413</b>	<b>1,276</b>
<i>Dipaculao</i>	600	267	2,129	992
<i>Maria Aurora</i>	94	94	284	284

Note: With ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO III

**Annex E. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons**

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>761,738.88</b>	<b>16,542.00</b>	-	-	<b>778,280.88</b>
<b>REGION III</b>	<b>761,738.88</b>	<b>16,542.00</b>	-	-	<b>778,280.88</b>
<b>Aurora</b>	<b>761,738.88</b>	<b>16,542.00</b>	-	-	<b>778,280.88</b>
<i>Dipaculao</i>	761,738.88	-	-	-	761,738.88
<i>Maria Aurora</i>	-	16,542.00	-	-	16,542.00

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

Source: DSWD FO III

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

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