

## DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Armed Conflict in Peñablanca, Cagayan

as of 20 September 2024, 6PM

### I. Situation Overview

On September 17, 2024, at around 8:30 AM, an armed conflict transpired in Sitio Pallay, Barangay Baliuag, Peñablanca, Cagayan. This confrontation involved government forces and the Komiteng Rehiyon-Cagayan Valley of the Communist Terrorist Group (CTG). The situation subsequently escalated, resulting in a hot pursuit operation in the neighboring barangays of Lapi, Minanga, and Nanguilattan.

*Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) II*

### II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **2,736 families** or **10,944 persons** are affected in **four (4) barangays** in **Peñablanca, Cagayan** (see Annex A).

### III. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱90,000.00** worth of assistance from **DSWD** was provided to the affected families (see Annex B).

### IV. 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		
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>178,166,634.56</b>	<b>354,950</b>	<b>285,334,864.75</b>	<b>359,967,789.93</b>	<b>823,469,289.24</b>
DSWD-CO	175,166,634.56	-	-	-	175,166,634.56
NRLMB-NROC	-	129,879	69,464,392.16	234,937,282.43	304,401,674.59
NRLMB-VDRC	-	99,648	71,547,516.00	29,234,502.80	100,782,018.80
DSWD-FO II	3,000,000.00	125,423	144,322,956.59	95,796,004.70	243,118,961.29

*Note: Summary of Inventory Report as of 20 September 2024, 4PM.*

*Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB*

#### 1. Standby Funds

- ₱175.17 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱3 million available at DSWD FO II.

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

- 229,527 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 129,879 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 99,648 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 125,423 FFPs available at DSWD FO II.
- ₱359.97 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO II warehouses.

**b. Other Activities**

<b>DATE</b>	<b>ACTIVITIES</b>
17 September 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• DSWD FO II provided financial assistance to the two (2) bereaved families in the Region through the Assistance to Individuals in Crisis Situations (AICS) program, amounting to ₱90,000.00.</li><li>• DSWD FO II is in close coordination with the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) for significant updates and further augmentation request.</li></ul>

## Annexes

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	4	2,736	10,944
<b>REGION II</b>	4	2,736	10,944
<b>Cagayan</b>	4	2,736	10,944
<i>Peñablanca</i>	4	2,736	10,944

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO II

### Annex B. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	90,000.00	-	-	-	90,000.00
<b>REGION II</b>	90,000.00	-	-	-	90,000.00
<b>Cagayan</b>	90,000.00	-	-	-	90,000.00
<i>Peñablanca</i>	90,000.00	-	-	-	90,000.00

Note: The reflected DSWD assistance covers the cost of financial assistance provided to the affected families / individuals.

Source: DSWD FO II

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

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