

DSWD DROMIC Report #6 on the Effects of Easterlies

as of 29 January 2025, 6AM

I. Situation Overview

Issued on 13 January 2025 at 4:00 PM, cloudy skies with scattered rain showers and thunderstorms were observed, attributed to the Easterlies. These conditions may have led to potential flash floods or landslides, with moderate to heavy rainfall affecting Palawan.

On the same day, the municipalities of Sofronio Española and Brooke's Point in Palawan experienced flooding due to the heavy rains brought by the Easterlies.

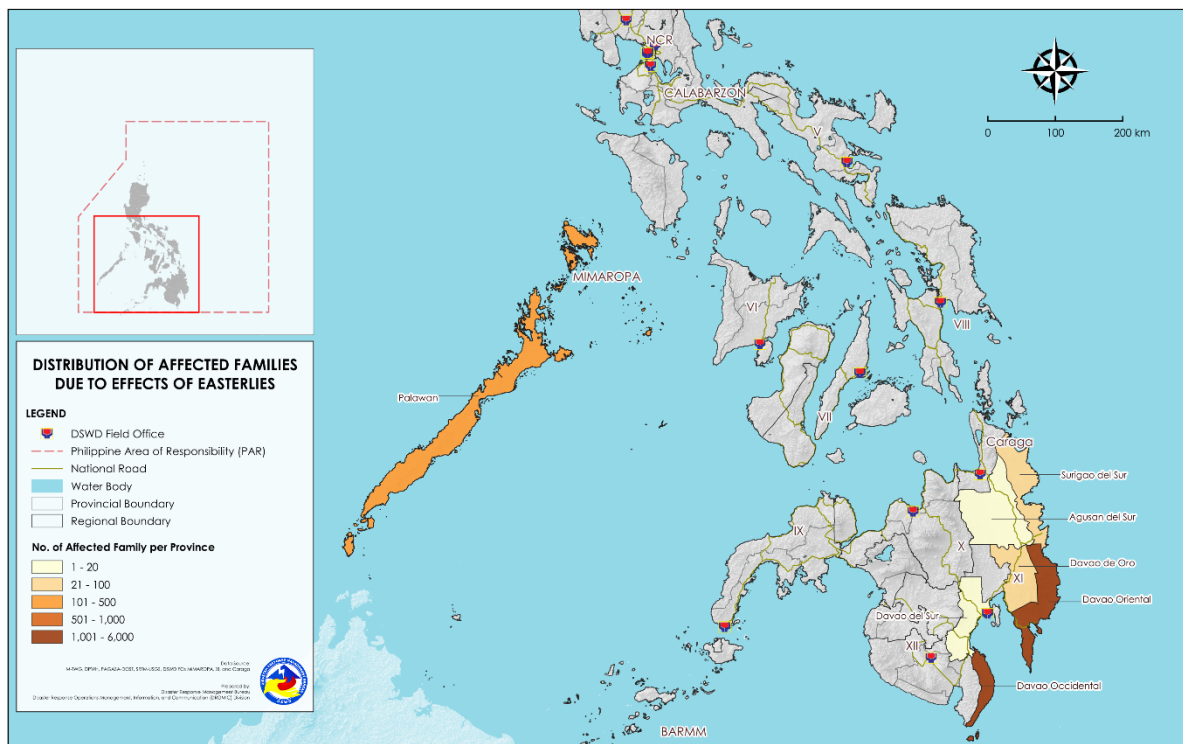
On 14 January 2025, at around 2:00 PM, heavy rainfall associated with the Easterlies resulted in flooding and significant drainage overflow in Barangay Basiawan, Sta. Maria, Davao Occidental.

On 15 January 2025, continued heavy rainfall from the same weather disturbance caused flooding, prompting the evacuation of families in City of Tandag, Hinatuan, Surigao del Sur, and Rosario, Agusan del Norte.

Source: DSWD Field Offices (FOs)

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **7,046 families** or **33,674 persons** are affected in **33 barangays** in **Regions MIMAROPA, XI, and Caraga** (see Annex A).



III. Status of Displaced Population

a. Inside Evacuation Center

There are **236 families** or **706 persons** currently taking temporary shelter in **10 evacuation centers** in **Regions MIMAROPA, XI, and Caraga** (see Annex B).

b. Outside Evacuation Center

There are **95 families** or **479 persons** temporarily staying with their relatives or friends (see Annex C).

c. Total Displaced Population

There are **331 families** or **1,185 persons** still displaced in **Regions MIMAROPA, XI, and Caraga** (see Annex D).

IV. Damaged Houses

A total of **32 houses** were damaged; of which, **16** are **totally damaged** and **16** are **partially damaged** in **Regions XI and Caraga** (see Annex E).

V. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱6,343,645.00** worth of assistance was provided to the affected families; of which, **₱6,342,645.00** from **DSWD** and **₱1,000.00** from the **Local Government Unit (LGU)** (see Annex F).

VI. 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	47,304,847.66	2,307,997	1,675,054,765.58	934,042,501.15	2,656,402,114.39
DSWD CO	3,304,847.66	-	-	-	3,304,847.66
NRLMB NROC	-	129,661	106,160,436.18	12,805,260.16	118,965,696.34
NRLMB VDRC	-	202,500	159,666,473.70	25,705,336.49	185,371,810.19
DSWD FO MIMAROPA	3,000,000.00	96,392	81,628,036.30	31,004,703.40	115,632,739.70
DSWD FO XI	3,000,000.00	122,072	93,425,714.00	111,048,306.14	207,474,020.14
DSWD FO CARAGA	2,000,000.00	134,809	113,268,019.55	62,948,677.80	178,216,697.35
OTHER FOs	36,000,000.00	1,622,563	1,120,906,085.85	690,530,217.16	1,847,436,303.01

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 29 January 2025, 4AM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱3.30 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱8 million available at DSWD FO MIMAROPA, XI, and Caraga.
- ₱36 million available in other DSWD FOs which may support the relief needs of the affected families.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 332,161 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 129,661 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 202,500 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 353,273 FFPs available at DSWD FOs MIMAROPA, XI, and Caraga.
- 1,622,563 FFPs available in other DSWD FOs which may support the relief needs of the affected families.
- ₱934.04 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO MIMAROPA warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

FO XI

DATE	ACTIVITIES
24 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XI provided FFPs to the families affected in the municipality of Jose Abad Santos in Davao Occidental.
23 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XI provided FFPs to the families affected in the municipality of Caraga in Davao Oriental.
21 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XI provided FFPs to the families affected in the municipality of Jose Abad Santos in Davao Occidental.
17 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XI provided FFPs to the families affected in the province of Davao Oriental.
16 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XI provided FNIs to the families affected in the province of Davao de Oro.

c. Other Activities

FO MIMAROPA

DATE	ACTIVITIES
14 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO MIMAROPA continuously coordinated with the Local Government Unit (LGU) of Palawan for significant updates and possible requests for relief augmentation.

FO XI

DATE	ACTIVITIES
28 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XI continuously coordinated with the Local Government Unit (LGU) for significant updates and possible requests for relief augmentation.

FO Caraga

DATE	ACTIVITIES
20 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO Caraga continuously coordinated with the Local Government Unit (LGU) for significant updates and possible requests for relief augmentation.

Annexes

Annex A. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	33	7,046	33,674
MIMAROPA	6	134	515
Palawan	6	134	515
<i>Brooke's Point</i>	3	32	151
<i>Sofronio Española</i>	3	102	364
REGION XI	22	6,844	33,007
Davao de Oro	3	32	160
<i>Mawab</i>	1	1	5
<i>Monkayo</i>	2	31	155
Davao del Sur	1	1	1
<i>Kiblawan</i>	1	1	1
Davao Oriental	6	5,725	28,623
<i>Caraga</i>	3	3,224	16,120
<i>Lupon</i>	1	1	3
<i>Manay</i>	2	2,500	12,500
Davao Occidental	12	1,086	4,223
<i>Jose Abad Santos (Trinidad)</i>	6	83	423
<i>Malita</i>	2	3	13
<i>Santa Maria</i>	4	1,000	3,787
CARAGA	5	68	152
Agusan del Sur	1	12	38
<i>Rosario</i>	1	12	38
Surigao del Sur	4	56	114
<i>Hinatuan</i>	1	45	81
<i>City of Tandag</i>	3	11	33

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FOs

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	10	10	236	236	706	706
MIMAROPA	6	6	123	123	460	460
Palawan	6	6	123	123	460	460
<i>Brooke's Point</i>	3	3	21	21	96	96
<i>Sofronio Española</i>	3	3	102	102	364	364
REGION XI	3	3	101	101	208	208
Davao de Oro	1	1	1	1	5	5
<i>Mawab</i>	1	1	1	1	5	5
Davao Occidental	2	2	100	100	203	203
<i>Santa Maria</i>	2	2	100	100	203	203
CARAGA	1	1	12	12	38	38
Agusan del Sur	1	1	12	12	38	38
<i>Rosario</i>	1	1	12	12	38	38

Note: The DSWD FOs in coordination with the affected LGUs are continuously gathering data per sex and age breakdown of the displaced population inside ECs. Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FOs

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	OUTSIDE ECs			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	140	95	560	479
MIMAROPA	11	11	55	55
Palawan	11	11	55	55
<i>Brooke's Point</i>	11	11	55	55
REGION XI	84	84	424	424
Davao del Sur	1	1	1	1
<i>Kiblawan</i>	1	1	1	1
Davao Occidental	83	83	423	423
<i>Jose Abad Santos (Trinidad)</i>	83	83	423	423
CARAGA	45	-	81	-
Surigao del Sur	45	-	81	-
<i>Hinatuan</i>	45	-	81	-

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FOs

Annex D. Total Number of Displaced Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	TOTAL			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	376	331	1,266	1,185
MIMAROPA	134	134	515	515
Palawan	134	134	515	515
<i>Brooke's Point</i>	32	32	151	151
<i>Sofronio Española</i>	102	102	364	364
REGION XI	185	185	632	632
Davao de Oro	1	1	5	5
<i>Mawab</i>	1	1	5	5
Davao del Sur	1	1	1	1
<i>Kiblawan</i>	1	1	1	1
Davao Occidental	183	183	626	626
<i>Jose Abad Santos (Trinidad)</i>	83	83	423	423
<i>Santa Maria</i>	100	100	203	203
CARAGA	57	12	119	38
Agusan del Sur	12	12	38	38
<i>Rosario</i>	12	12	38	38
Surigao del Sur	45	-	81	-
<i>Hinatuan</i>	45	-	81	-

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FOs

Annex E. Damaged Houses

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES		
	Total	Totally	Partially
GRAND TOTAL	32	16	16
REGION XI	21	16	5
Davao de Oro	2	-	2
<i>Monkayo</i>	2	-	2
Davao Oriental	1	-	1
<i>Lupon</i>	1	-	1
Davao Occidental	18	16	2
<i>Jose Abad Santos (Trinidad)</i>	15	14	1

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES		
	Total	Totally	Partially
<i>Malita</i>	3	2	1
CARAGA	11	-	11
Surigao del Sur	11	-	11
<i>City of Tandag</i>	11	-	11

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FOs

Annex F. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
GRAND TOTAL	6,342,645.00	1,000.00	-	-	6,343,645.00
REGION XI	6,342,645.00	1,000.00	-	-	6,343,645.00
Davao de Oro	24,190.00	-	-	-	24,190.00
<i>PLGU</i>	24,190.00	-	-	-	24,190.00
Davao Oriental	5,878,730.00	-	-	-	5,878,730.00
<i>PLGU</i>	3,575,000.00	-	-	-	3,575,000.00
<i>Caraga</i>	2,303,730.00	-	-	-	2,303,730.00
Davao Occidental	439,725.00	1,000.00	-	-	440,725.00
<i>Jose Abad Santos (Trinidad)</i>	439,725.00	1,000.00	-	-	440,725.00

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

Source: DSWD FOs

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

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