

## DSWD DROMIC Report on the Fire Incident in Brgy. Abatan, Buguias, Benguet

25 February 2025, 6PM

### I. Situation Overview

On 22 December 2024 at around 1:00 AM, a fire incident occurred at Lower Tabbacan, Brgy. Abatan, Buguias, Benguet. The fire was declared out at around 3:00 AM.

As a result of the incident, four (4) individuals were affected. In response, the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) through its Field Office (FO) Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR) and the Local Government Unit (LGU) provided them relief assistance to address their immediate needs.

*Source: DSWD FO CAR*

### II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **three (3) families** or **four (4) persons** were affected in **Brgy. Abatan, Buguias, Benguet** (see Annex A).

### III. Status of Displaced Population

#### Outside Evacuation Center

A total of **two (2) families** or **three (3) persons** temporarily stayed with their relatives or friends (see Annex B).

### IV. Damaged Houses

A total of **two (2) houses** were **totally damaged** in **Brgy. Abatan, Buguias, Benguet** (see Annex C).

### V. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱57,294.50** worth of assistance was provided to the affected families; of which, **₱52,794.50** from **DSWD** and **₱4,500.00** from the **LGU** (see Annex D).

## Annexes

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	1	3	4
<b>CAR</b>	1	3	4
<b>Benguet</b>	1	3	4
<i>Buguias</i>	1	3	4

Source: DSWD FO CAR

### Annex B. 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>	2	-	3
<b>CAR</b>	2	-	3	-
<b>Benguet</b>	2	-	3	-
<i>Buguias</i>	2	-	3	-

Source: DSWD FO CAR

### Annex C. Number of Damaged Houses

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES		
	Total	Totally	Partially
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	2	2	-
<b>CAR</b>	2	2	-
<b>Benguet</b>	2	2	-
<i>Buguias</i>	2	2	-

Source: DSWD FO CAR

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	52,794.50	4,500.00	-	-	57,294.50
<b>CAR</b>	52,794.50	4,500.00	-	-	57,294.50
<b>Benguet</b>	52,794.50	4,500.00	-	-	57,294.50
<i>Buguias</i>	52,794.50	4,500.00	-	-	57,294.50

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

Source: DSWD FO CAR

## Annex E. Photo Documentation



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*This first and final report is based on the report submitted by DSWD FO CAR on 25 February 2025. The Disaster Response Operations Management, Information and Communication (DROMIC) Division of DSWD-DRMB continues to closely coordinate with DSWD FO CAR for any request of Technical Assistance and Resource Augmentation (TARA).*

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