

DSWD DROMIC Report #2 on the Effects of Localized Thunderstorms in SOCCSKSARGEN

as of 31 May 2025, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

Issued at 4:00 PM on 29 May 2025, the weather advisory indicated partly cloudy to cloudy skies with isolated rain showers or thunderstorms, which may have caused flash floods or landslides during severe weather conditions across the country.

On the same day at around 2:02 PM, a sudden whirlwind or tornado struck several barangays in the Municipality of Tupi. The incident caused significant damage to houses, power lines, crops, and essential lifelines.

At around 4:00 PM, several low-lying barangays in Lambayong, Sultan Kudarat, experienced flash floods due to continuous heavy rainfall and strong winds brought by the Localized Thunderstorms.

Later, at 5:30 PM, heavy rains continued to pour in several barangays in the municipality of Alamada, North Cotabato that resulted in flooding and landslides in the affected areas.

In response, the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD), through its Field Office in Region XII, actively participated in the response operations and remained in continuous coordination with the concerned Local Government Units (LGUs) for significant updates and any requests for augmentation.

Source: DOST-PAGASA and DSWD Field Office (FO) XII

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of 1,538 families or 7,610 persons are affected in 20 barangays in Region XII (see Annex A).

III. Status of Displaced Population

Inside Evacuation Center

A total of six (6) families or 40 persons sought temporary shelter at the Brgy. Bao Evacuation Center in Alamada, North Cotabato (see Annex B).

IV. Damaged Houses

A total of **53 houses** were damaged; of which, **one (1)** is **totally damaged** and **52** are **partially damaged** in **Lambayong**, **Sultan Kudarat** (see Annex C).



V. Response Actions and Interventions

a. Standby Funds and Prepositioned Relief Stockpile

			TOTAL STANDBY			
OFFICE	STANDBY FUNDS	FAMILY	FOOD PACKS	OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS	FUNDS & STOCKPILE	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST	(FNIs)		
TOTAL	323,379,932.01	745,033	473,452,888.87	134,552,015.53	931,384,836.41	
DSWD CO	320,379,932.01	-	-	-	320,379,932.01	
NRLMB NROC	-	411,161	264,148,252.75	57,960,219.96	322,108,472.71	
NRLMB VDRC	-	289,365	182,954,754.18	55,509,015.57	238,463,769.75	
DSWD FO XII	3,000,000.00	44,507	26,349,881.94	21,082,780.00	50,432,661.94	

Note: The Summary Inventory is as of 31 May 2025, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱320.38 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱3 million available at DSWD FO XII.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 700,526 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 411,161 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 289,365 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 44,507 FFPs available at DSWD FO XII.
- ₱134.55 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO XII warehouses.

b. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
31 May 2025	 DSWD FO XII closely coordinates with the affected LGUs and other concerned offices for significant updates and possible requests for augmentation.







Annexes

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED			
REGION / PROVINCE / WIGHICIPALITY	Barangays	Families	Persons	
GRAND TOTAL	20	1,538	7,610	
REGION XII	20	1,538	7,610	
North Cotabato	6	425	2,125	
Alamada	6	425	2,125	
South Cotabato	4	122	530	
Tupi	4	122	530	
Sultan Kudarat	10	991	4,955	
Lambayong (Mariano Marcos)	10	991	4,955	

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO XII

Number of Displaced Families / Persons Inside Evacuation Center Annex B.

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	NUMBER OF EVACUATION CENTERS (ECs)		NUMBER OF DISPLACED				
REGION / PROVINCE /			INSIDE ECs				
MUNICIPALITY			Families		Persons		
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW	
GRAND TOTAL	1	-	6	-	40	-	
REGION XII	1	-	6	-	40	-	
North Cotabato	1	-	6	-	40	-	
Alamada	1	-	6	-	40	-	

Source: DSWD FO XII

Annex C. Number of Damaged Houses

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES				
REGION / PROVINCE / WONICIPALITY	Total	53 1	Partially		
GRAND TOTAL	53	1	52		
REGION XII	53	1	52		
Sultan Kudarat	53	1	52		
Lambayong (Mariano Marcos)	53	1	52		

Note: Annex C reflects the actual number of damaged houses in the municipality of Lambayong, Sultan Kudarat after data validation conducted on 31 May 2025, 4PM. Hence, the significant change is based on the ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO XII

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

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