

DSWD DROMIC Report on the Fire Incident in Brgy. San Jose Mesulo, Arayat, Pampanga

23 June 2025, 6AM

I. Situation Overview

On 23 May 2025 at around 1:10 PM, a fire broke out in Brgy. San Jose Mesulo, Arayat, Pampanga. The fire completely destroyed a residential structure, displacing the family living there. The family has since sought temporary shelter with relatives.

In response, the Department of Social Welfare and Development, through its Field Office (FO) in Region III and in coordination with the Local Government Unit (LGU) of Arayat, Pampanga, has promptly provided assistance to address the immediate needs of the affected family.

Source: DSWD FO III

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

One (1) family or six (6) persons were affected in **Brgy. San Jose Mesulo, Arayat, Pampanga** (see Annex A).

III. Status of Displaced Population

Outside Evacuation Center

One (1) family or six (6) persons are still temporarily staying with their relatives (see Annex B).

IV. Damaged Houses

One (1) house was **totally damaged** in **Brgy. San Jose Mesulo, Arayat, Pampanga** (see Annex C).

V. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱15,000.00** worth of assistance was provided to the affected family; of which, **₱10,000.00** from **DSWD** and **₱5,000.00** from the **LGU** (see Annex D).

Annexes

Annex A. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	1	1	6
REGION III	1	1	6
Pampanga	1	1	6
Arayat	1	1	6

Source: DSWD FO III

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	OUTSIDE ECs			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	1	1	6	6
REGION III	1	1	6	6
Pampanga	1	1	6	6
Arayat	1	1	6	6

Source: DSWD FO III

Annex C. Number of Damaged Houses

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES		
	Total	Totally	Partially
GRAND TOTAL	1	1	-
REGION III	1	1	-
Pampanga	1	1	-
Arayat	1	1	-

Source: DSWD FO III

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
GRAND TOTAL	10,000.00	5,000.00	-	-	15,000.00
REGION III	10,000.00	5,000.00	-	-	15,000.00
Pampanga	10,000.00	5,000.00	-	-	15,000.00
Arayat	10,000.00	5,000.00	-	-	15,000.00

Note: The reflected DSWD assistance covers the financial assistance provided to the affected family.

Source: DSWD FO III

This first and final report is based on the report submitted by DSWD FO III on 18 June 2025. The Disaster Response Operations Management, Information, and Communication (DROMIC) Division of DSWD-DRMB continues to closely coordinate with DSWD FO III for any request of Technical Assistance and Resource Augmentation (TARA).

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