



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
**NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL**

National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Center, Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

**NDRRMC UPDATE**

**Severe Weather Bulletin No. 01-A re  
Tropical Storm "NONA" (I.N. MELOR)**

Releasing Officer:

  
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Source: PAGASA-DOST

**I. SITUATION OVERVIEW:**

The Tropical Storm with International Name "Melor" has been renamed into "Nona" and enter the Philippine Area of Responsibility (PAR).

<b>Location of Center: (as of 4:00 AM)</b>	<b>1,110 km East of Maasin, Southern Leyte</b>
<b>Coordinates:</b>	<b>10.2°N, 135.0°E</b>
<b>Strength:</b>	Maximum sustained winds of <b>65 kph</b> near the center and gustiness of up to <b>80 kph</b> .
<b>Movement:</b>	Forecast to move West Northwest at <b>25 kph</b>
<b>Forecast Positions/Outlook:</b>	<i>Tomorrow morning:</i> <b>580 km East of Catbalogan City, Samar</b>  <i>Monday morning:</i> <b>370 km East of Sorsogon City, Sorsogon</b>  <i>Tuesday morning:</i> <b>Vicinity of Virac, Catanduanes</b>  <i>Wednesday morning:</i> <b>250 km West of Virac, Catanduanes</b>  <i>Thursday morning:</i> <b>150 km West of Calapan City, Oriental Mindoro</b>
<b>NO PUBLIC STORM WARNING SIGNAL</b>	

- Estimated rainfall amount is from moderate to heavy within the 100 km diameter of the Tropical Storm.
- The public and the disaster risk reduction and management council concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at 11:00AM today.

## II. ACTION/S TAKEN

- **NDRRMC Operations Center** disseminated **Severe Weather Bulletin No. 01-A re Tropical Storm “NONA” (I.N. MELOR)** to all OCD Regional Centers through SMS and facsimile and uploaded on the NDRRMC website for further dissemination to their respective local disaster risk reduction and management councils (LDRRMCs) from the provincial down to the municipal levels
  - Directed RDRRMCs concerned through the OCD Regional Centers to undertake precautionary measures in their areas of responsibility (AOR) and subsequently advised local DRRMCs to initiate pre-emptive evacuation of families in low-lying and mountainous areas if situation warrants
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