



NDRRMC UPDATE

Weather Advisory No. 03 for Southwest Monsoon enhanced by the presence of the Low Pressure Area (LPA) East Northeast of Batanes

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I. SITUATION OVERVIEW:

- At 10:00 AM today, the LPA was estimated based on all available data at 610km east northeast of Basco, Batanes (22.0°N, 127.6°E). This LPA will continue to enhance the Southwest Monsoon which will bring moderate to heavy rains over CALABARZON, Ilocos Region and the Provinces of Benguet, Zambales, Bataan, Mindoro, Marinduque, Romblon, and Northern Palawan. Residents in these areas are alerted against possible flashfloods and landslides.
- Meanwhile, light to moderate rains will prevail over Metro Manila, Cagayan Valley, Western Visayas, rest of Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR), rest of Central Luzon, and the rest of Palawan.
- Moreover, by early next week, the possible formation of a LPA east of Luzon is expected. This may develop into a tropical cyclone which will sustain and continue the monsoon activity over Luzon particularly over the Regions of CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, and Bicol. Flooding and landslides are possible over these areas specifically over the Provinces of Mindoro, Cavite, Quezon, Batangas, Marinduque, Romblon, and Albay.

II. ACTIONS TAKEN

- NDRRM Operations Center disseminated **Weather Advisory No. 03 for Southwest Monsoon enhanced by the presence of the Low Pressure Area (LPA) East Northeast of Batanes** to all OCD Regional Offices through SMS and facsimile and uploaded on the NDRRMC website for further dissemination to their respective local DRRMCs from the provincial down to the municipal levels.
- Directed RDRRMCs concerned through the OCD Regional Offices 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 areas and mountainous areas if situations warrants.