



NDRRMC UPDATE

Severe Weather Bulletin No. 26 re Severe Tropical Storm "NINA" (NOCK-TEN)

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Source: PAGASA-DOST

I. SITUATION OVERVIEW

"NINA" HAS WEAKENED INTO A SEVERE TROPICAL STORM AS IT CONTINUES TO MOVE AWAY FROM THE COUNTRY.

- Estimated rainfall amount is from moderate to heavy within the 300 km diameter of the Storm.
- Possible exit from the Philippine Area of Responsibility (PAR) this evening (Dec 27).
- Sea travel is risky over the seaboard of Northern Luzon and the western seaboard of Central Luzon.

Location of Eye/Center	At 10:00 AM today, the center of Severe Tropical Storm "NINA" was estimated based on all available data at 440 km West of Iba, Zambales (15.0 °N, 115.9 °E) .
Strength	Maximum sustained winds of up to 105 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 130 kph .
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move West Southwest at 17 kph
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 Hour (Tomorrow morning): 330 km North Northwest of Pagasa Island, Palawan (OUTSIDE PAR) (13.5°N, 112.5°E) • 48 Hour (Thursday morning): 555 km West Southwest of Pagasa Island, Palawan (OUTSIDE PAR) (9.0N, 109.5°E)

NO TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL

The public and the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next weather bulletin to be issued at **11:00 PM** today.

ACTIONS TAKEN

- NDRRM Operations Center disseminated **Severe Weather Bulletin No. 26 for Severe Tropical Storm "NINA"** 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.