



SEVERE WEATHER BULLETIN #1

FOR: TROPICAL DEPRESSION "URDUJA"

TROPICAL CYCLONE: ALERT

ISSUED AT 5:00 PM, 12 December 2017

(Valid for broadcast until the next bulletin to be issued at 11 PM today)

THE LOW PRESSURE AREA (LPA) EAST OF HINATUAN, SURIGAO DEL SUR HAS DEVELOPED INTO A TROPICAL DEPRESSION AND WAS NAMED "URDUJA"

- Estimated rainfall amount is from moderate to heavy within the 250 km diameter of the Tropical Depression.
- Fisherfolks and those with small seacrafts are advised not to venture out over the eastern seaboard of Bicol region, of Eastern Visayas and of Caraga due to moderate to rough seas associated with the approaching Tropical Depression.
- "URDUJA" may intensify into a Tropical Storm within 36 hours.

Location of eye/center	At 4:00 PM today, the center of Tropical Depression "URDUJA" was estimated based on all available data at 480 km East Northeast of Hinatuan, Surigao del Sur (9.3°N, 130.6°E) .	
Strength	Maximum winds of up to 55 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 65 kph .	
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move North Northwest at 6 kph .	
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 24 Hour (Tomorrow afternoon): 495 km East of Guiuan, Eastern Samar (10.5°N, 130.2°E) • 48 Hour (Thursday afternoon): 395 km East of Guiuan, Eastern Samar (11.3°N, 129.3°E) • 72 Hour (Friday afternoon): 395 km East of Catarman, Northern Samar (11.8°N, 128.2°E) • 96 Hour (Saturday afternoon): 130 km East of Catarman, Northern Samar (12.6°N, 125.8°E) • 120 Hour (Sunday afternoon): In the vicinity of Buhi, Camarines Sur (13.4°N, 123.5°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 Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at 11 PM today.

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