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**NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL**

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

**NDRRMC ADVISORY**

**TO :** Chairperson, RDRRMCs I and II  
**FROM :** Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD  
**SUBJECT :** GALE WARNING NO. 18 FOR STRONG TO GALE FORCE WINDS IS EXPECTED TO AFFECT FOLLOWING AREAS  
**DATE :** 09 February 2018, 5:00 PM

*Source: PAGASA - Weather Division as of 5:00 PM, 09 Feb 2018*

**STRONG TO GALE FORCE WINDS IS EXPECTED TO AFFECT THE FOLLOWING AREAS:**

SEABOARDS	WEATHER	WIND FORCE (KPH / KNOTS)	SEA CONDITION	WAVE HEIGHT (meters)
THE NORTHERN AND EASTERN SEABOARDS OF NORTHERN LUZON (Batanes, Babuyan Group of Islands, Northern Coast of Ilocos Norte, Cagayan and Isabela)	Cloudy skies with scattered rains	(45 - 63) / (24 - 34)	Rough to very rough	2.8 to 4.5

Fishing boats and other small sea craft are advised not to venture out into the sea while larger sea vessels are alerted against big waves.


You are hereby directed to undertake precautionary measures and monitor the situation in your AOR. Likewise, the public and Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (DRRMCs) concerned are advised to take precautions and appropriate actions. **Provide feedback on action(s) taken.**

In order to better inform/warn communities, you are reminded to disseminate these through local/community leaders and through your local media, including community radio stations. Conduct press briefings as often as needed. This local effort will complement and reinforce efforts at the national level. Emphasis should be on proactive actions – evacuation rather than rescue.

Let's untiringly aim for zero casualty.

Submit report on actions taken.

**BY AUTHORITY OF THE CHAIRPERSON, NDRRMC:**

  
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