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NDRRMC UPDATE

FINAL REPORT re Preparedness Measures and Effects of Typhoon "CHEDENG" (MAYSAK)

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I. SITUATION OVERVIEW

A. CHRONOLOGY AND TYPHOON TRACK

01 April 2015

- At 11:00 PM, the typhoon east of Visayas entered the Philippine Area of Responsibility (PAR) and was named "CHEDENG" with maximum sustained winds of 180 KPH near the center and gustiness of up to 215 kph. It moved west northwest at 19 kph

02 April 2015

- Typhoon "CHEDENG" slightly weakened as it continued to move in a West Northwest direction at the same speed. Its maximum sustained winds and gustiness decreased to 175 kph and 210 kph, respectively. The typhoon further weakened as it traversed over the Philippine Sea

03 April 2015

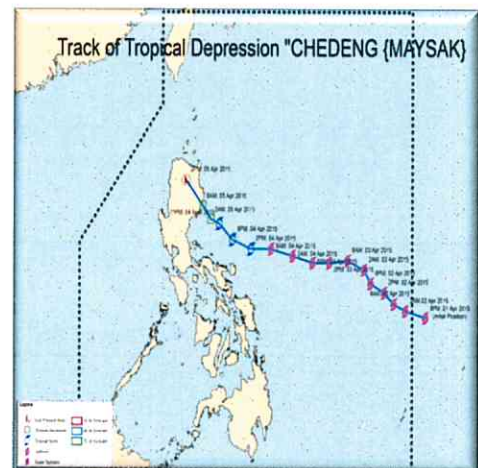
- Typhoon (TY) "CHEDENG" weakened slightly as it moved towards the eastern coast of Central and Northern Luzon. Public Storm Warning Signal (PSWS) Number 1 was raised in Camarines Norte, Camarines Sur, Quezon, Rizal, Bulacan, Nueva Ecija, Aurora, Quirino, Nueva Vizcaya, Ifugao, Isabela, and Mountain Province, while PSWS Number 2 was hoisted in Catanduanes

04 April 2015

- As of 10:00 AM, TY "CHEDENG" accelerated slightly as it continued to move closer to Isabela-Aurora area with maximum sustained winds of 130 KPH near the center and gustiness of 160 kph
- At 4:00 PM, TY "CHEDENG" weakened into a Tropical Storm (TS) while over the Philippine Sea. PAGASA raised PSWS Number 3 in the Provinces of Isabela and Aurora

05 April 2015

- TS "CHEDENG" further weakened into a Tropical Depression (TD) and remained quasi-stationary over the eastern seaboard of Aurora at 4:00 AM. At around 8:00 AM, it made landfall over Dinapigue, Isabela.
- At 4:00 PM, TD "CHEDENG" weakened into a Low Pressure Area (LPA)



B. TYPHOON ANALYSIS

On 29 March 2015, 10:00 AM, Typhoon (MAYSAK), which refers to a species of tree contributed by Cambodia, was monitored by PAGASA to likely enter the Philippines Area of Responsibility (PAR). TY "CHEDENG" entered the PAR on 01 April 2015 with maximum sustained winds of 180 kph near the center and gustiness of 215 kph. While traversing the Philippine Sea, "CHEDENG" was observed to weaken as it moved closer to landmass. It made landfall over Dinapigue, Isabela at around 8:00 AM, 05 April 2015 as a Tropical Depression (TD), and further weakened into a LPA in the vicinity of Piat, Cagayan at 4:00 PM same day.

TY "CHEDENG" stayed inside the PAR for five (5) days from 01 - 05 April 2015. It reached the maximum sustained winds of 215 kph near the center and 250 kph gustiness. During its stay in the PAR, PSWS Number 3 was the highest signal hoisted.

TY "CHEDENG" was the 3rd Tropical Cyclone to enter the PAR and make landfall/crossed the country in 2015. It was the first typhoon to enter the PAR for this year.

II. PRE-EMPTIVE EVACUATION

- In preparation to Typhoon "CHEDENG" (MAYSAK), a total of **525 families / 2,140 persons** in the Provinces of Isabela and Aurora were evacuated on 04 April 2015:

PROVINCE/ CITY/ MUNICIPALITY	PLACE OF ORIGIN	NUMBER OF EVACUEES		EVACUATION AREA
		FAMILIES	PERSONS	
TOTAL		525	2,140	
ISABELA	Sub-total	269	1,079	
Divilacan	Brgy. Dimalansan	15	75	
	Brgy. Bicobian	20	100	
	Brgy. Dication	10	50	
	Brgy. Dilakit	14	70	
	Brgy. Dimapula	1	5	
	Brgy. Dipalo	6	30	
Maconacon	Brgy. Fely & Brgy. Minanga	15	48	Training Center
	Brgy. Minanga	7	25	Maconacon Central School
	Brgy. Eleanor & Brgy. Minanga	7	27	Maconacon High School
	Brgy. Minanga	26	61	Legislative Building
Dinapigue	Brgy. Digumased	44	174	Digumased Brgy. Hall
		44	166	Municipal Conference Hall
		19	66	Old Municipal Building
		26	102	Legislative Building
	Brgy. Bucal Sur	10	65	Bucal Sur Barangay Hall

	Brgy. Dibulo	1	3	Dibulo Barangay Hall
	Brgy. Ayod	4	12	Ayod Barangay Hall
AURORA	Sub-total	256	1,061	
Dilasag	Brgy. Masagana	14	45	LGU Bldg
	Diagyan	93	382	Brgy. Hall, Kasaysayan ES Sawmill Bldg
	Dilaguidi	18	87	Private houses
	Diniog	4	22	Daisy DCC,
	Dimaseset	8	32	Dimaseset ES
Baler	Sabang	25	110	Baler ES
	Zabali	2	5	Baler ES
Casiguran	Esteves	25	125	Brgy. Hall, ES, DCC
	Calagdan	7	35	Brgy. Hall
Dipaculao	Borlongan	4	24	Barangay Hall
	Dianed	8	36	Dianed Day Care
	Calaocan	6	19	Brgy. Hall, ES
	Lobbot	10	52	Multi purpose hall
	Ditale	2	8	Church of God Chapel
	Ipil	4	13	Brgy. Chapel
	Puangi	26	66	Brgy. Hall, Health Center, DCC

III. EFFECTS

A. AFFECTED POPULATION

- A total of 708 families / 2,761 persons were affected and evacuated in the provinces of Isabela and Aurora. On 06 April 2015, all evacuees returned home:

REGION / PROVINCE / CITY / MUNICIPALITY	AFFECTED				
	Barangays	Families	Persons	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	44	708	2,761	708	2,761
REGION II (CAGAYAN VALLEY)	27	450	1,693	450	1,693
ISABELA	27	450	1,693	450	1,693
<i>Dinapigue</i>	3	176	699	176	699
<i>Divilacan</i>	6	66	330	66	330
<i>Maconacon</i>	18	208	664	208	664
REGION III (CENTRAL LUZON)	17	258	1068	258	1068
AURORA	17	258	1,068	258	1,068
<i>Baler</i>	2	27	110	27	110
<i>Casiguran</i>	2	44	176	44	176
<i>Dilasag</i>	6	137	568	137	568
<i>Dipaculao</i>	7	50	214	50	214

B. CASUALTIES

- There are **no reported dead, injured and missing** which are directly attributed to TY Chedeng

IV. DISASTER PREPAREDNESS

A. NATIONAL / NDRRMC

1. NDRRMC Operations Center

- Alert status at the NDRRMC Operations Center was raised from Blue to RED ALERT Status effective 01 – 06 April 2015, 12:00 noon. NDRRMC OpCen continuously monitored and ensured dissemination of Weather Advisories, 24-Hour Public Weather Forecasts, Gale Warnings, and General Flood Advisories to all RDRRMCs/OCDRCs through SMS, facsimile, and websites for further dissemination to their respective Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (LDRRMCs) from the provincial down to the municipal levels
- Preparedness Cluster and Response Cluster meetings were conducted on 01 April 2015
- National Disaster Preparedness Cluster and National Disaster Response Cluster and Twinning System were activated effective 12:00 Noon, 02 April 2015
- A memorandum regarding the activation of Alert Status and conduct of Pre-Disaster Risk Assessment (PDRA) meeting for TY Maysak (international name) was disseminated to Regions I, II, III, IV-A, IV-B, V, VI, VII, VIII, CAR, and NCR to ensure the execution of preparedness actions and coordination with concerned agencies
- A series of Pre-Disaster Risk Assessment (PDRA) Meetings were conducted at NDRRMC Conference Room, Camp Gen Emilio Aguinaldo, Quezon City to discuss the potential effects of Typhoon “Chedeng” (Maysak) and the Preparedness Activities undertaken by Disaster Preparedness and Disaster Response Clusters with RDRRMCs via Video Conferencing (Skype). Press Briefings were also conducted right after every PDRA Meetings to update the public on the possible effects of the typhoon and actions taken by various agencies:
 - 30 March 2015, 10:00 AM – PAGASA informed the body that Typhoon “Chedeng” (Maysak) will enter the PAR on 01 April 2015 and may affect Northern Luzon. However, the typhoon is too far to have an accurate projection and it was agreed to conduct a follow-up PDRA Meeting on 01 April 2015
 - 01 April 2015, 10:00 AM – presided by DND Sec. Voltaire T. Gazmin, Chairperson, NDRRMC. The current location and forecast track of the typhoon, and the initial preparedness measures by concerned NDRRMC member-agencies were presented. It was then decided to raise the alert status of NDRRMC Operations Center to Red Alert
 - 02 April 2015, 9:00 AM – presided by USec Alexander P. Pama, Executive Director, NDRRMC. PAGASA reported that the typhoon is expected to make landfall late evening of Saturday (4 April 2015) or early morning of Sunday (05 April 2015). With this, members of Disaster Preparedness and Disaster Response Clusters were asked to coordinate with the cluster leads to harmonize and consolidate their efforts in preparedness and response
 - 02 April 2015, 6:00 PM –presided by USec Alexander P. Pama, Executive Director, NDRRMC.DILG and DSWD, as the lead agencies for Disaster Preparedness and Disaster Response Clusters respectively, presented the consolidated activities/initiatives undertaken by various agencies

- 03 April 2015, 10:00 AM – presided by USec Pama and attended by concerned agencies. Updates on the typhoon and hazards present in areas within the path of the typhoon were discussed therein. Subsequently, strategically planned during the meeting were the possible deployment and prepositioning of personnel and assets
- 04 April 2015, 9:00 AM – the Executive Director, NDRRMC presided the meeting and directed AFP to coordinate with the DRRMOs of Aurora and Isabela and provide communications teams equipped with long-range base radios to identified municipalities requiring augmentation / support from AFP
- 04 April 2015, 5:30 PM – presided by USec Alexander P. Pama, Executive Director, NDRRMC and attended by DSWD Sec Corazon Soliman, Vice-Chairperson for Disaster Response and DOH Sec Janette Garin. PAGASA reported that Typhoon “CHEDENG” weakened into a Tropical Storm but the amount of rainfall is still at moderate to heavy. A Press Briefing was conducted to advise the public to avoid travelling in areas with PSWS, step-up Preparedness for Response Operations, and conduct of pre-emptive evacuation

2. Department of Science and Technology (DOST)

DOST IV-A

- Utilized Project HANDA Text Blast to disseminate Weather Advisories

3. Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration (PAGASA)

- Constantly monitored the situation and disseminated Weather Bulletins, Gale Warnings, General Flood Advisories, and 24-hour Public Weather Forecasts

4. Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG)

- Activated their Emergency Operations Center
- Convened Local DRRM Councils
- Conducted inventory of supplies, equipment, and stockpile of goods
- Organized Administrative/Logistical Support Teams; Search, Rescue and Retrieval Teams; Security Teams; Medical Teams; and Monitoring and Reporting Team
- Alerted communities:
 - Informed Punong Barangay of weather advisories
 - Disseminated public warnings through established warning systems and weather bulletins, especially families in danger zones
 - For coastal and island barangays, advised fisherfolks not to go out to sea until the all clear signal has been issued, issued prohibitions for sea voyage and fishing (to include rivers), and prevented people to cross any body of water
 - Issued suspension of classes for appropriate levels and suspension of work for private and government offices
- Prepared evacuation centers for the conduct of pre-emptive/forced evacuation, if necessary
- Cancelled travel authorities for SAR/SRR, medical, security, and clearing operations teams
- Secured communication, power, and water supply lines
- Coordinated with PNP and BFP

DILG I

- Disseminated the Typhoon Track and Potential High Risk Areas (Hotdog Track) for TY "Chedeng"(Maysak) as of 01 April 2015, 8:00 AM
- Disseminated Weather Bulletins regarding TY "Chedeng" thru SMS to LGUs thru the DILG Provincial Directors
- Disseminated TY "Chedeng" Preparedness Monitoring Sheet (Monitoring LGU Preparedness Actions for TY "Chedeng") thru email
- Reactivated DILG I Operations Centers (Regional and Provincial Offices) upon receipt of order from DILG CODIX to monitor the situation of the provinces from 28 March – 06 April 2015
- Instructed DILG Provincial Offices (POs) to ensure the serving of written notices to Local Chief Executives (LCEs) as proof of service that DILG Regional Offices (ROs) and POs notified the LGUs of the impending disaster
- Closely coordinated with OCDRC I and four (4) provincial government

DILG II

- Issued Advisories to all DILG Provincial Directors, Cluster Officers, City/Municipal Local Government Operations Officers, Provincial Governors, City/Municipal Mayors, Punong Barangays, and other concerned to reactivate their respective monitoring system and advise all LDRRMCs in their AOR to undertake precautionary measures and other proactive actions for the possible onslaught of the storm
- Issued Regional Order regarding Creation of Regional Task Force for TY "Chedeng"

DILG III

- Alerted personnel and placed on standby for activation
- Sent memoranda to LCEs, DILG, PD, BFP, and PNP regarding actions and safety measures to be taken

DILG IV-A

- Assisted in the dissemination of NDRRMC weather advisories within AOR
- All Regional, Provincial, City, and Municipal Field Office disaster monitoring teams were on Blue Alert Status to monitor LGU preparedness measures and any untoward incident
- All Provincial, City, and Municipal Offices activated their respective skeletal forces and closely coordinated with LCEs, Chief of Police, Fire Marshals, and other concerned authorities for strict enforcement of protocols
- Deployed one (1) staff in the RDRRMC OpCen to verify reports received from the ground and to provide assistance in monitoring of updates

DILG IV-B

- Alerted all field offices

DILG V

- Advised LCEs to personally manage the conduct of pre-emptive measures in their AOR
- Disseminated NDRRMC Advisories to all LGUs particularly to LGUs prone to storm surge, flashfloods, landslides, and lahar to take precautionary measures and ensure immediate evacuation of constituents to safe area
- Attended PDRRMC/RDRRMC Emergency Meetings

- Coordinated with Provincial Directors of Catanduanes, Camarines Norte and Camarines Sur for preparedness measures and ensured that LCEs directly supervises LGU operations

DILG VI

- Operations Center was on Blue Alert Status as of 20 March 2015
- Alerted the Field Offices (FOs) to coordinate closely with LGUs, activated the LDRRMCs, and conducted pre-emptive actions
- Recommended all LGUs to take preparedness measures in consonance with the "Operation Listo" issued by DILG

DILG CAR

- Disseminated a memorandum to LGUs regarding the conduct of pre-emptive evacuation
- Disseminated advisories to all LCEs, through DILG Provincial Directors, to activate, monitor, and make necessary reports
- Advised MLGOOS to be part of the monitoring team in their AOR
- Conducted completion of checklist of LGUs with activated LDRRMCs
- Advised LDRRMCs in respective AORs to conduct necessary precautions and to be prepared for pre-emptive evacuation

5. Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD)

- DSWD-DROMIC continuously coordinated with the DSWD FOs for significant report regarding preparedness and relief prepositions
- **As of 05 April 2015, 5:00 AM**, National Resource Operations Center and listed DSWD Field Offices below has a total of **₱300,926,892.23** worth of standby funds and stockpile available:
 - Standby funds - ₱23,190,971.37
 - Family food packs - 111,502,123.06
 - Food items - 91,639,273.69
 - Non-food items - 74,594,524.11

REG	STANDBY FUNDS	STOCKPILE COSTS					TOTAL STANDBY FUNDS & STOCKPILE
		FAMILY PACKS		FOOD	NON-FOOD	SUB-TOTAL (FOOD & NFIs)	
		Quantity	Total Cost	(Value in PhP)	(Value in PhP)	(Value in PhP)	(Value in PhP)
TOTAL	23,190,971.37	318,253	111,502,123.06	91,639,273.69	74,594,524.11	166,233,797.80	300,926,892.23
NCR	2,000,000.00	21,299	3,846,647.10	2,239,972.80	1,462,398.50	3,702,371.30	9,549,018.40
CAR	1,104,912.45	28,301	11,776,046.10	4,818,961.48	2,067,290.62	6,886,252.10	19,767,210.65
I	991,954.17	38,712	10,461,918.00	647,410.00	4,253,487.01	4,900,897.01	16,354,769.18
II	828,625.82	31,244	11,247,840.00	5,399,978.64	147,798.56	5,547,777.20	17,624,243.02
III	2,000,000.00	15,984	5,057,466.42	1,456,165.72	7,459,718.88	8,915,884.60	14,305,551.02
IV-A	2,946,720.00	18,664	7,026,996.00	3,187,918.50	4,428,226.87	7,616,145.37	17,589,861.37
IV-B	9,976,167.22	18,440	6,404,057.90	2,604,174.58	1,290,219.36	3,894,393.94	20,274,619.06
V	1,001,000.00	33,690	13,596,664.80	6,757,400.00	20,350,752.42	27,108,152.42	41,705,817.22
VIII	2,341,591.71	38,782	17,839,720.00	6,732,825.00	1,099,380.00	7,832,205.00	28,013,516.71
NROC		73,147	24,244,766.74	57,794,466.97	32,035,251.89	89,829,718.86	115,742,285.60

DSWD NCR

- Alerted and activated Disaster Response Team Leaders
- Stockpiled relief goods for augmentation
- Informed and alerted DSWD-NCR Administrative Division to prepare the staff who will provide assistance at the warehouses as necessary

- Informed and advised the Regional Office Planning Unit focal person to schedule staff and to consolidate disaster reports that will be forwarded to DROMIC in the event of 24-hour monitoring
- Mobilized drivers, individuals, and volunteers for cash/food-for-work to report for duty

DSWD Field Office (FO) I

- Closely monitored TY “Chedeng” while the Quick Action Response Teams were on standby for possible deployment
- Maintained standby fund of ₱991,954.17 and stockpile of 30,000 Family Food Packs (FFPs). Out of which, 28,000 FFPs were prepositioned at the satellite warehouses:
 - Bani, Pangasinan : 4,000 FFP
 - Rosales, Pangasinan : 4,000 FFP
 - Sta. Barbara, Pangasinan : 2,000 FFP
 - Manaoag, Pangasinan : 2,000 FFP
 - POO Dagupan City, Pangasinan : 3,000 FFP
 - POO Vigan City, Ilocos Sur : 3,000 FFP
 - Santa, Ilocos Sur : 2,000 FFP
 - Cervantes, Ilocos Sur : 2,000 FFP
 - POO Laoag City, Ilocos Norte : 3,000 FFP
 - Burgos, Ilocos Norte : 3,000 FFP
- Conducted regular monitoring and inventory of stockpile and prepositioned goods
- Instructed Social Welfare Action Development (SWAD) teams to coordinate with the P/C/MDRRMC to monitor situation in their respective AORs
- Coordinated with Response Agencies of RDRRMC for the preparation of Search and Rescue (SAR) Teams
- Coordinated with PIA, DILG, and PNP for proper dissemination of advisories
- Monitored the water level in major dams and rivers in their AOR

DSWD FO II

- Made 500 sacks of NFA rice, 1,041 boxes of corned beef, 799 boxes of meatloaf, 799 boxes of sausage, and 384 boxes of sardines available for repacking at the FO
- Alerted all SWAD Teams and Disaster Monitoring and Response Teams (DMRTs) to render duty once the typhoon affects the region
- Ensured available standby 31,244 FFPs where 17,029 FFPs were included in the stockpile and 14,215 FFPs were prepositioned in different LGUs in the provinces
- As of 11:00 AM, 05 April 2015, prepositioned the following food items at the Field Office:
 - 50 sacks of NFA rice
 - 55 boxes of sardines
 - 95 boxes of meatloaf
 - 95 boxes of sausage
 - 91 boxes of corned beef
- Had available standby funds worth ₱995,425.82
- Prepositioned a 6x6 truck, carrying 1,000 family food packs for possible augmentation to Dinapigue, Isabela, on standby at PSWDO Quirino
- All SWAD Teams and DMRTs from the Provinces of Cagayan, Isabela, Nueva Vizcaya, and Quirino are now deactivated from their duties. However, the DRRM and Planning Staff are continuously coordinating with the SWAD Teams and P/MDRRCs for any developments that need to be addressed

DSWD FO III

- Alerted QRTs and provincial level through Provincial Action Teams (PATs) coordinators to be ready to mobilize once PSWS No. 1 is raised
- A total of 10,933 FFPs were ready for possible distribution and with available QRF amounting to ₱2,411,099.00
- Ensured the availability of ₱1,181,510.26 worth of goods and ₱12,010,990.92 worth of NFIs
- Attended the PDRA meeting at OCD III Conference Room on 01 April 2015
- Ensured the provision of relief goods from field office warehouse to the Provinces of Bulacan and Pampanga

DSWD FO IV-A

- Posted Advisory in the region to alert all the Quick Response Team (QRT), SWAD Officers, Provincial, Municipal Links and PDOs of Pantawid Pamilya Program and instructed the same to be ready for activation (deployment and disaster duty), to monitor their AOR and to submit report to DMCIU as soon as possible
- Alerted all SWAD Teams to monitor their respective AORs
- Instructed SWAD team leaders to attend LDRRMC meetings to be informed and to be updated on disaster preparedness and response plan of LGUs
- Prepositioned 10,000 FFPs to the Province of Quezon on 03 April 2015
- Ensured the deployment of staff to GMA warehouse for repacking of relief goods when necessary
- Issued Memorandum to all Divisions/Units and Municipal Action Teams to be on alert and ensure personnel on duty from 2-5 April 2015 to monitor the imminent typhoon
- Alerted and informed the Municipal Action Teams in the region to monitor their respective AORs and coordinate with LGUs to gather data on affected families
- Ensured coordination with National Resource Operations Center (NROC) for possible augmentation support
- Had standby funds amounting to ₱946,720.00, stockpile of 14,664 FFPs, 8,333 FFPs for repacking, 90 boxes of ready-to-eat food, NFIs amounting to ₱4,428,226.87, and 4,000 prepositioned FFPs
- Prepositioned 3,700 FFPs to Municipalities of Perez and Alabat in the Province of Quezon
- Coordinated trucks with NROC regarding the provision of three (3) trucks to complete the 5,000 prepositioned goods in Quezon Province on 05 April 2015
- Coordinated with LGUs Infanta and Polilio in Quezon regarding prepositioning of relief goods
- Monitored the prepositioning of relief goods in Quezon Province

DSWD FO IV-B

- Alerted Regional Expanded QRTs, SWAD Provincial QRTs and Municipal QRTs together with special projects on a 24/7 basis for disaster monitoring and data/information management
- Made ₱9,544,214.52 QRF and 32,119 FFPs available in all SWADT and Regional Warehouses including prepositioned goods in identified GIDA

DSWD FO V

- Alerted SWAD designated in 6 provinces and Emergency Management Team for response and coordination with P/MDRRMOs and ready for rapid assessment

- Had stockpile of food and non-food items:
 - 32,000 FFPs to be given to LGUs at any given time
 - PhP50,000 worth of canned goods ready for repacking
 - 13,000 sacks of NFA rice
 - 5,000 family kits
- Had available standby fund amounting to ₱700,500.00 and response fund of ₱1,400,000.00

DSWD FO VI

- Prepositioned stockpile of relief goods in six (6) provinces of the region and in the Island Barangays of Carles, Concepcion, and Estancia
- Had a total of 30,000 FFPs stockpiled and available Quick Response Fund (QRF) amounting to ₱42,000,000.00
- Activated the QRT regionwide

DSWD FO VII

- Prepositioned family packs as follows:

▪ Cebu (30,000 packs)	▪ Negros Oriental (5,000 packs)
▪ Bohol (10,000 packs)	▪ Siquijor (1,000 packs)

DSWD FO VIII

- A total of 38,782 family packs were available and ready for distribution
- Alerted and activated QRTs and SWADTs for close coordination with P/MDRRMC and DRRO to prepare the communities in their AOR

DSWD FO CAR

- Convened cluster members to activate the Regional Disaster Response Plan (RDRP)
- Operations Center raised RED ALERT Status
- Had stand-by fund of ₱1,404,000.00 available at the regional FO
- Prepositioned 2,000 family packs in every province
- Set-up 24/7 help desks at bus stations to provide assistance to stranded visitors
- Alerted 18 QUART teams at the Field Office and in the provinces to render duty at their respective PDRRMC/MDRRMC Operations Center
- Activated Help Desk located in four (4) bus stations on 02 April 2015 to provide assistance to stranded visitors
- Coordinated with DepEd for activation of Evacuation Centers
- Approximately 16,000 stockpile of FFPs prepared for emergency
- As of 2:00 AM, 04 April 2015, a total of 856 FFPs were distributed for Food for Work in Abra and Field Office

6. Department of Health (DOH)

- Raised Code White Alert in all Regional Offices (ROs), except in DOH-ROs I, III, and XI which were on Blue Alert Status
- Continuously monitored and coordinated with ROs, PDOHOs and hospitals
- Placed all health personnel and medical teams on standby and ready for deployment
- Prepositioned logistics worth **₱3,423,356.00** to different DOH-ROs in Regions I, II, IV-A, V, and CAR

- Deployed Health Emergency Management Bureau (HEMB) staff at the NDRRMC Operations Center and DOH Directors at the NDRRMC Response Cluster
- Ensured the availability of standby medical teams in all regional offices
- Escalated Code White to Code Blue status in all regions that will be affected by TY "Chedeng" (Regions I, II, III, IV-A, V, and CAR)
- Hospitals (DOH retained and provincial hospitals) were coordinated by the specific RHOs to provide medical services to typhoon victims

DOH I, II, IV-B, V, VI, VII, X, XI, XII, CAR, and NCR

- Activated their respective Operations Centers for 24/7 monitoring and coordination

DOH I

- All Provincial DOH Office (PDOHO) Office Operation Centers were on standby
- Maintained direct coordination and linkages with health clusters of Ilocos Sur, Ilocos Norte, La Union and Pangasinan Provinces, and three (3) DOH-retained hospitals (ITRMC-San Fernando City, La Union; R1MC-Dagupan City, Pangasinan; MMH and MC-Batac City, Ilocos Norte)
- All DOH representatives were in close coordination and monitoring with respective MDRRMCs
- Public Health Team were ready for deployment and provision of technical assistance and logistics
- Prepositioned assorted drugs and medicines to PDOHOs in the Provinces of Ilocos Norte, Ilocos Sur, La Union, and Pangasinan
- Stockpiled assorted drugs and medicines in the Regional Epidemiology and Surveillance Unit (RESU) – HEMS Stock Room and Warehouse Unit
- Stockpiled 72 pieces tents, 135 folding beds, 348 jerry cans, 270 cadaver bags, and 693 hygiene kits

DOH II

- Distributed rescue kits amounting to ₱100,000.00 per province
- Distributed additional drugs and medicines to PDOHOs to augment their current supplies
- Conducted inventory of drugs, medicines, supplies, transportation and other logistics support worth ₱8,081,029.62 (200 first aid kits, 450 family health kits, and 700 hygiene kits)
- Alerted all response teams and prepositioned mobile water purification unit
- Coordinated with PDOHO to ensure the availability of prepositioned emergency drugs
- Placed response teams and mobile water purification unit on standby for possible deployment

DOH III

- Activated operations center for monitoring from 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM
- Alerted PDOHOs of Central Luzon to closely monitor the situation
- Prepositioned hygiene kits and medicines
- Prepositioned the following: additional CAMPOLAS (Cotrimoxazole, Amoxicillin, Mefenamic Acid, Paracetamol, Oral Rehydration Sachets, Lagundi, Vitamin A, and skin ointment) Kits worth ₱90,179.92; Family tents; Cot Beds; Hygiene Kits; Water Container; Family Kits; and First Aid Kits

- All retained hospitals were on Code Blue and medical teams were on standby for possible deployment
- Provincial Department of Health Office (PDOHO) Aurora was on 24hours duty
- Prepositioned assorted drugs and medicines in four (4) PDOHOs

DOH IV-A

- Distributed rescue kits amounting to ₱50,000.00 per province

DOH IV-B

- Raised Code White Alert Status and activated OPCEN for 24-Hour basis to PDOHOs and DOH retained Hospitals
- Actively monitored and coordinated with all PDOHOs and HEMS point person for any untoward incident
- Prepositioned assorted drugs and medicines in PDOHOs
- Advised PDOHOs to coordinate with local government units in relation to the preparedness activities for TY "Chedeng" (Maysak)
- Coordinated with PPA and PCG in relation to the active migration and monitoring of maritime incidents

DOH V

- Continuously monitored all PDOHOs
- Prepositioned a total of ₱654,263.30 worth of medicines to PDOHOs of Catanduanes, Camarines Norte, Camarines Sur, Albay, Sorsogon, and Masbate
- Requested Bicol Regional Training and Teaching Hospital (BRTTH) to standby Medical teams for response in the field
- Formed two (2) Public Health Teams composed of WASH, Nutrition, MHTSS, and Public Health
- DOH-V HEMB reported the availability of standby medicines amounting to ₱5,028,053.76
- Attended the PDRA of Preparedness Cluster of RDRRMC on 31 March 2015 in Camp Ola, Legaspi City
- Declared Code Blue Alert to the Provinces of Camarines Sur, Catanduanes, Camarines Norte, and Albay

DOH VI

- All DOH-Retained Hospitals as well as City Health Offices, Provincial Health Offices and Provincial Health Teams (PHO) were on Blue Alert level
- Prepositioned supplies and medicines to Provincial and City Health Offices

DOH NCR

- Prepositioned emergency and first aid medicines
- Placed Medical Teams and emergency vehicles on standby for possible deployment

DOH CAR

- Operations Center was on Blue alert status
- Emergency response teams were on standby for possible deployment
- Medical supplies and equipment were ready for emergency use
- Augmented provincial health offices and ensured that responders were on standby for possible deployment

- Coordinated with hospitals and medical facilities across the region, especially the facilities forecasted to be impact areas of the typhoon
- Prepositioned drugs and medicines worth PhP80,000.00 in each provinces
- Alerted DOH trained responders for possible augmentation
- Convened General Assembly on 01 April 2015 regarding the cancellation of leaves due to the impending threat
- Formed nine (9) response teams in support to HEMS OpCen
- Had standby medicines amounting to ₱41,361.77

7. Department of Public Works and Highways (DPWH)

- Activated DRRM Teams in Regions I, II, III, IV-A, IV-B, V, VIII, CAR, and NCR
- Placed all heavy equipment and assets (e.g., dump trucks, backhoe, pay loader) on standby
- Placed signages in landslide prone areas
- Prepositioned all available and operational equipment with operator including designated inspectors to the landslide prone areas identified by concerned DEOs

DPWH I

- Activated the Regional and District Engineering Offices DRRM Teams or the Incident Command System as TY “Chedeng”
- Regional and District Engineering Offices (DEOs) prepositioned all available/operational equipment with operator including designated inspectors to landslide prone areas identified by the concerned DEOs
- Was in close coordination with the RDRRMC I and PDRRMCs
- Established a system assigning a permanent team by Regional and DEOs to conduct RDANA to provide general information on priority needs, as well as to identify available resources and services, for immediate emergency measures to preserve and save lives and alleviate the sufferings of the affected population

DPWH II

- Prepositioned all available/operational equipment with operator including designated inspectors to landslide prone areas identified by concerned DEOs
- DRRM Team was on alert status

DPWH III

- Prepositioned equipment particularly on landslide prone areas

DPWH IV-B

- Continuously monitored the status of national roads and bridges in their AOR
- Activated DRRM Teams to closely monitor the possible effect of the typhoons particularly road sections prone to landslide and flood

DPWH V

- Closely monitored all national roads
- Issued Memorandum to all DPWH V District Engineers regarding Standby Alert Status due to TY “Chedeng”, instructing them to put their respective disaster response teams to be on standby alert and ready for activation and possible deployment
- Required all District Engineers to submit Activation Report and to preposition all available assets within 24 hours

DPWH VI

- All equipment and crew were ready for deployment in case of emergency

DPWH XII

- Monitored the situation in their AOR and sent situational report regarding status of all national roads and bridges to NDRRMC OpCen

DPWH CAR

- Placed Operations Center on Alert
- Monitored road condition on a 24/7 basis
- Prepositioned road clearing equipment with manpower for immediate road clearing operations
- Continuously disseminated and coordinated road status to CRDRRMC OpCen and media partners
- Activated disaster team in disaster engineering offices with prepared allocated equipment
- Disseminated situational reports to DSWD-CO and OCD-CAR
- Provided guidelines to member agencies of the Response Cluster during the emergency meeting at DSWD Training Center on 01 April 2015
- Issued press release to various media networks regarding the road condition in the region
- Activated Disaster Team at District Engineer Offices with prepared allocated equipment

8. Department of Education (DepEd)

- Disseminated advisories daily through SMS to all regional and division offices since 30 March 2015 to secure school facilities and records and to constantly monitor for weather updates
- Activated Operations Center to monitor weather updates and disseminate it to all concerned through SMS, telephone, facsimile, and on-line channels
- Instructed all regional directors and superintendents to monitor weather advisories and follow established checklist of actions
- Disseminated tracking messages to all DepEd Key Officials thru SMS regarding their whereabouts for the next 2 - 3 days and for immediate coordination if there will be a need for immediate augmentation
- Participated in the conduct of PDRA and Press Briefing at the NDRRMC Operations Center on 01 April and 02 April 2015
- DepEd Communications Unit disseminated information regarding preparedness for TY "Chedeng" and reminded all school heads to take precautionary measures on school properties, facilities, and resources through social media

DepEd III

- Ensured the availability of schools that can be utilized as evacuation centers

DepEd V

- Implemented the Memorandum issued by DepEd Central regarding Pre-emptive Advisory for Schools in preparation for TY "Chedeng"

DepEd VI

- Issued a memorandum for all Regional Directors, Division/City Superintendents, DRRM Focal Persons, and all school heads directing them to keep all documents in schools undergoing construction safe and to secure all construction materials in Preparation for TY "Chedeng"

9. Department of Transportation and Communication (DOTC)

- All DOTC attached agencies, sectoral offices, and Government Owned and Controlled Corporations (GOCCs) were directed to:
 - Secure all facilities, equipment, and vehicles/vessels/aircraft under their respective jurisdictions
 - Issue the relevant advisories to transport operators (e.g. Cease-and-Desist Orders, No-Sail Policy)
 - Release travel advisories to the public regarding delays and cancellation of flights/trips
 - Prepare provisions to accommodate stranded passengers

10. Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR)

- Activated concerned Regional Offices to issue flood and landslide advisories to all provinces concerned
- Identified areas likely to be affected by floodings and landslides

DENR MGB I

- Sent emails and hazard notices to areas forecasted to be affected in Provinces of Pangasinan, La Union, Ilocos Norte, and Ilocos Sur

DENR MGB III

- Oriented the council regarding landslide-prone areas in the eastern part of the region especially the Provinces of Aurora, Nueva Ecija, and Bulacan
- Prepositioned ready bags for possible deployment

DENR IV-A

- Ensured the availability of chainsaws to support LGUs and Response agencies for trimming of trees and possible clearing operations
- Disseminated advisories to LDRRMCs regarding areas that are susceptible to landslides and flooding

DENR MGB CAR

- Provided advisories to all LGUs for possible occurrences of geological hazards
- Mt. Pulag Forestry Office coordinated with PNP-MPS and AFP to be on standby at Babadak Ranger Station for emergency response and issued an advisory to trekkers that they must take shelter or seek refuge at the Ranger Station once inclement weather is experienced

11. Department of Agriculture (DA)

- Activated Quick Response Center (QRC)
- Ensured that all harvestable crops were harvested
- Prepared and secured buffer stocks
- Advised fisherfolks and fishing vessel operators/owners not to venture into fishing activities and seek advice/clearance from MARINA and proper authorities
- Relocated livestock to safer places

DA I

- Submitted a report on the status of rice and corn in the region

DA CAR

- Monitored current crop situation before the impact of the storm per province
- Ensured that buffer seeds were available for livelihood rehabilitations
- Advised farmers to harvest any harvestable crops

DA VIII

- Activated DA-RF8 Command Center and QRT
- Advised farmers and fishermen for advance harvest and securing agri-inputs and livestock

Bureau of Fisheries and Aquatic Resources (BFAR) I

- Activated their Command Center
- Monitored and posted status updates from PAGASA regarding typhoon situation
- All PFOs, Division Chiefs, Station Heads, and Project Leaders were advised to secure people facilities and projects within their respective AORs
- Advised Response Group/Quick Response Teams to be on alert and to prepare office vehicles and floating assets for deployment

12. Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA)

- Activated ACTION CENTER
- Issued Memorandum Circular to its concerned offices advising them to be on standby and to observe protocols in the international humanitarian operations

13. Department of Tourism (DOT)

DOT VIII

- Directed industry partners to take the following precautionary measures to ensure the safety and security of their guests and properties:
 - LGU Tourism Operators, Tour Operators, Accommodation Facilities, Tour Guides, Tourist Transport Services, and Destination Managers to inform guests to refrain from doing water-based activities, outdoor/adventure activities, air/sea/land travel, and visits to landslide, flashflood and storm surge prone areas
 - Reinforce and secure any structures, facilities, trees and tourism site that may potentially cause damages
 - Make first aid kits, emergency lights, potable water, and food supply available
 - Ensure to have a directory of emergency hotline numbers of local DRRMC and rescue/response groups
 - Identify the location of evacuations sites and strictly follow emergency evacuation procedures

DOT CAR

- In relation with CRDRRMC Advisory no. 1 s, 2015 and likewise with the recommendation to the public to consider the cancellation of trips in areas that may be affected by the typhoon, DOT CAR issued advisory dated 04 April 2015 for Typhoon "Chedeng" addressed to Tourism-Related Establishments and Tourism-Oriented Establishments, to ensure the safe location and know

the whereabouts of the guests, assist in giving travel advisory to tourist, as well as for the tourists/guests to heed to safety warnings issued by the authorities, to take precautionary measures, and to postpone outdoor/adventure activities while Typhoon "Chedeng" is within the CAR/PAR

14. Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP)

- Declared RED ALERT STATUS to SOLCOM, NOLCOM, and JTF-NCR effective 01 April 2015, 12:00 Noon
- Was on standby for possible conduct of Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Response (HADR) operations
- Coordinated with concerned agencies and LGUs in respective AORs
- Accounted units and equipment available in areas within the identified typhoon track
- Identified low-lying areas and flood-prone roads and bridges in the Provinces of Aurora and Isabela

Northern Luzon Command (NOLCOM)

- Directed OPCOM units to alert DRRO units, prepare tasked DRRO assets, and initiate coordination with LDRRMCs
- In coordination with LCEs/LGUs:
 - Identified disaster-prone and high risk areas within the AOR
 - Identified evacuation centers
 - Monitored status of critical infrastructures
 - Monitored the status of tourists in affected areas
- Tested signal communications down to brigade level through Harris (HF) radios
- Deployed 56 Infantry Battalion (IB) personnel in the Municipalities of Casiguran, Calabuanan, and Dinalungan in the Province of Aurora and in Barangay Lublub, Alfonso Castañeda, Nueva Vizcaya

5th ID, Philippine Army (PA)

- Consolidated and organized their forces into Provincial Disaster Response Task Force with the Battalion Commander as head to closely coordinate with LGUs
- DRTU prepositioned assets in 5th ID Gym, UpiGam, Isabela for possible deployment to conduct HADR/DRRO
- Prepositioned several DRT Units from 86th IB in strategic areas in Isabela Province
- 86IB DRTU prepositioned forces in the following areas: Isabela Provincial Capitol, Ilagan City; Cabagan Municipal Police Station, Cabagan, Isabela; San Mariano, Isabela; Abuan River in Ilagan City, Isabela; and Benito Soliven, Isabela

502nd Brigade

- Deactivated OPLAN LIFEGUARD-ALPHA

503rd Brigade, 5th ID

- Established back up communication system using Harris communication equipment that will connect to respective DRRM Operation Center
- Prepositioned provincial resources to provincial disaster operation centers
- Placed rescue teams on standby for augmentation and deployment

- Placed Disaster response unit on standby at respective provincial disaster operation center
- Rendered duty at the CRDRRMC Operations Center

Naval Forces Northern Luzon (NFNL)

- Continuously updated and monitored the track of the TY "Chedeng" thru text or any other means of communication transmission to all Organic and Operational Control Units especially floating assets, Naval Base Camilo Osias (NBCO) at Cagayan and Civil Military Operation Unit, Northern Luzon (CMOU-NL) at Casiguran
- Deployed Regional Disaster Response Task Group 1 (RDRTG-1) in La Union, Ilocos Provinces, Pangasinan, Laoag City, Cagayan, and Aurora
- **Monitored movement of organic Operational Control (OPCON) Units**

Tactical Operations Group (TOG) I and PMA-DRTG

- Provided hazards maps at the Cluster Hub
- Was on alert status
- Provided assistance for the repacking of family food packs in DSWD-CAR
- Placed SAR, WASAR, and MOSAR Teams and assets on standby

TOG2

- Placed disaster response teams on standby and ready for possible deployment

Naval Special Operations Unit (NAVSOU) 2

- Patrolled the coastal waters of San Fernando City, La Union
- Provided four (4) enlisted personnel with one (1) rubber boat to augment in the conduct of Baywatch along the coast line of San Fabian

Southern Luzon Command (SOLCOM)

- Was on RED ALERT Status in preparation for TY "Chedeng"
- Provided six (6) military trucks and personnel used to assist DSWD-FO IV-A in transporting relief goods
- Directed all OPCON Units to alert their Disaster Response Operations (DRO) Task Units
- Closely coordinated with RDRRMCs and PDRRMCs
- Identified strategic areas for prepositioning quick response DRO Teams
- Established liaising with DRRMCs for risk assessment
- Conducted inventory of DRO assets
- Continuously disseminated weather bulletins and advisories
- Identified high-risk areas for focused monitoring
- Directed OPCOM units to alert DRRO units, prepare tasked DRRO assets, and initiate coordination with LDRRMCs
- Conducted meetings with RDRRMCs in Region IV-A and V
- In coordination with LCEs/LGUs:
 - Identified disaster-prone and high-risk areas within the AOR
 - Identified evacuation centers
 - Monitored status of critical infrastructures
- Provided additional two (2) M35 trucks with nine (9) military personnel from 23rd DRC, 202 BDE, 2ID of SOLCOM to transport relief goods from DSWD IV-A warehouse in GMA Cavite to Quezon Province

- Checked-in at RDRRMC IV-A Operations Center six (6) M35 trucks with 23 military personnel from 23rd Division Reconnaissance Company (DRC), 202 Brigade, 2ID for the transport of relief goods from DSWD IV-A warehouse to Quezon Province

Naval Forces Southern Luzon (NAVFORSOL)

- Placed four (4) teams with 45 personnel on standby and ready for possible deployment

TOG5 –PAF

- Placed 20 personnel on standby for possible deployment

9ID

- Activated Task Force SAGIP and directed DRTUs to put their respective personnel, assets, and equipment on standby for the possible conduct of HADR

9ID, 2nd Infantry Brigade (IB), 83rd IB, 902 Brigade, 49th IB, and 31st IB

- Conducted inventory of personnel, assets, and equipment capable for Water Search and Rescue, High Angle Rescue, and Mountain Rescue

Central Command (CENTCOM)

- Directed Operational Command (OPCOM) units to alert DRRO units, prepare tasked DRRO assets, and initiate coordination in accordance to CENTCOM HADR Plan “Bantay Kalamidad”
- Attended PDRA emergency meeting with RDRMC VII
- Issued directive to OPCOM units to :
 - Establish network with PNP, LGUs, LGAs, and NGOs
 - Secure lines of communication and main supply routes to facilitate rescue, transport responders, medical evacuation, and delivery of relief and supplies to affected areas
 - Support the ICS to be established
 - Secure affected areas to prevent interference of threat forces
 - Assist LGUs/LGAs in the conduct of Rapid Needs Assessment

3rd Infantry Division (ID)

- Conducted coordination meeting in Himamaylan City MDRRMC relative to the updates in the area and for deployment of troops for DRO
- Deployed Bravo and Charlie Company in Himamaylan City and Kabankalan City
- Alerted all battalions regarding the activation of contingency plan “Oplan Bantay Panahon” relative to TY “Chedeng” on 01 April 2015

301st Brigade

- Was on alert status and in continuous monitoring of their respective AOR
- Provided list of available vehicles and its location ready for response

Joint Task Force (JTF) – NCR

- Requested for OPCON of Major Services’ (PA, PAF, and PN) DRTUs
- Conducted coordinating conference with Major services’ DRUs
- Updated the status of DRRO personnel and equipment of Major Services’ DRTUs

- JTF-NCR DRTG were on standby for possible deployment in Metro Manila DRRMC and OCD OpCen
- Conducted inventory of HADR equipment
- Activated HADR Implementing Plan "Sagip-Tulong II" for TY "Chedeng"
- Identified evacuation areas in Region I, III, and NCR

15. Philippine National Police (PNP)

- Issued memorandum to all Police Regional Offices likely to be affected to prepare assets, be on standby for possible deployment, coordinate with LGUs and other force multipliers, and activated the PNP National Disaster Operations Center

National Capital Region Police Office (NCRPO) and PRO VI

- Was on alert status relative to the entry of TY "Chedeng" in the PAR

Police Regional Office (PRO) I

Provincial Police Office (PPO) Ilocos Sur

- Placed all PCOs and PNCOs on standby

PPO Ilocos Norte

- Submitted the memorandum regarding the deployment of personnel and Search and Rescue assets for TS "Chedeng"

PPO Pangasinan

- Attended Emergency Meeting at PDRRMC Conference Room, Narciso Ramos Sports and Civic Center, Lingayen, Pangasinan

PRO II

- Disseminated memorandum to all provincial/city directors, station commanders, and Regional Public Safety Battalion (RPSB) to closely coordinate with the LGUs in preparation for the effects of TY "Chedeng"
- Closely monitored beaches and coastal areas to ensure safety of tourists and local residents
- All PNP Stations in the region established their Public Assistance Centers/Desks to assist and ensure the safety of tourists and local residents

PRO III

- Placed Regional Public Safety Battalion Search and Rescue (RPSB SAR) personnel on standby

PRO IV-A

- Activated their respective DRRMCs in all levels in coordination with LCEs and DOST
- Monitors for updates regarding TY "Chedeng"
- Increased security in ports where there are stranded passengers
- Organized SAR trained and other PNP personnel for rapid deployment
- Established security control points where there are landslides, traffic accidents, and flooded areas
- Ensured that communication lines in all levels are operational and properly manned

- Secured ports where there are stranded passengers
- Ensured the availability of generator sets in police stations
- Had 247 SAR Teams with 2,288 personnel assigned at the Police Provincial Offices (PPOs) in the Provinces of Cavite, Laguna, Batangas, Rizal, and Quezon and at the Rapid Public Safety Battalion (RPSB)
- Had a total 92 utility vehicles, six (6) trucks, 182 patrol jeeps, and 12 ambulances to be used as SAR equipment available at PPOs in CALABARZON, RPSB and Regional Headquarters

PRO IV-B

- Disseminated weather bulletin to their respective stations
- PRO IV-B component of the PDRRMC was deactivated region-wide as of 6:00 PM, 05 April 2015

PRO V

- Issued a memorandum to all PPOs and Naga City Police Office to alert their respective disaster response teams
- Directed 5th RPSB to send Emergency Response Team to RDRRMC Bicol, OCD V, Camp Gen. Simeon A. Ola, Legazpi City on 8:00 AM, 03 April 2015 for mustering and inspection of disaster response unit
- Organized Disaster Response Teams composed of 120 PNP personnel at RHQ for possible deployment in areas that may be affected by TY "Chedeng"

PRO VIII

- Assisted in seaports/ferry station security
- Placed SAR equipment and SRR in high-risk areas on standby
- Activated SAR Group, Security Group, and Patrol

PRO CAR

- Placed operation center on alert status
- Activated OPLAN SAKLOLO
- Assisted in the dissemination of weather bulletins through Provincial Police Offices (PPOs) across the region
- Alerted Search and Rescue personnel and prepositioned equipment at PPOs

16. Philippine Coast Guard (PCG)

- Was on heightened alert status from 27 March 2015, 6:00 AM
- Instructed Coast Guard Districts (CGDs) NCR-Central Luzon, Bicol, Northwestern Luzon, and Northeastern Luzon to undertake necessary preparations for the possible effects of the typhoon and ensure the readiness of rescue assets
- Provided updates to all PCG units on the latest Public Weather Forecast and advisories for gale warnings to warn small boats and fishermen of adverse sea conditions, as well as flood and landslide alerts to warn residents in low-lying areas and those living near the mountain slopes for possible danger brought about by adverse weather

CGD Northwestern Luzon (CGDNWLZN)

- Placed all district operations centers and WASAR Teams on standby for possible response mobilization. The following WASAR Teams were equipped with rubber boats with OBM:
 - Pangasinan : one (1) Rubber Boat with OBM

- La Union : four (4) Rubber Boats with OBM
- Ilocos Provinces : two (2) Rubber Boats with OBM
- Coordinated with local leaders in preventing fisher folks and other small sea vessels from venturing out the sea given the threat of big waves

CGD Northeastern Luzon (CGDNELZN)

- Monitored their AOR and disseminated Weather Bulletin to substations, coastal barangays, and fisherfolks
- District Response Group (DRG) and District Response Team (DRT) were on standby and ready for deployment in case of unusual incidents
- Directed all coast guard stations and substations to implement memorandum circular regarding movement of vessel during heavy weather and HPCG SOP 01-12 "PCG Alert Response Procedure", and to coordinate with coastal barangays, and ship master/owners
- Placed response assets, lifesaving equipment, medical equipment, and capability strength on standby

CGD Southern Tagalog (CGDSTL) and CGD Palawan (CGDPAL)

- Disseminated weather bulletins to their respective stations and substations

CGDSTL

- Placed on standby alert mode with assets ready for deployment to flood prone and coastal areas
- Prepositioned WASAR assets composed of 44 aluminum boats and three (3) rubber boats
- Coordinated with coastal barangays and LDRRMOs
- Monitored maritime situation to avert maritime emergencies/ incidents
- Deployed two (2) staff in the RDRRMC OpCen to monitor updates and verify reports received from the ground

CGD Western Visayas (CGDWV)

- Placed on alert status relative to the entrance of Typhoon "Chedeng" in the PAR
- Conducted regular preparedness enforcing regulations to the movement of vessels
- Activated Quick Response Teams (QRTs) and identified six (6) stations and 22 sub-stations in which two (2) QRTs were assigned per station
- Prepositioned SAR assets in sub-stations and head stations
- Deployed 22 aluminum boats within the sub-stations and head stations in Panay, Negros Occidental and Guimaras
- Activated the coastguard auxiliary/volunteers composed of five (5) squadrons, in which, one (1) squadron was assigned in Roxas, Antique, and Aklan station while two (2) squadrons were assigned in Negros Occidental

CGD Bicol

- Coordinated to all LGU's in the AOR
- Placed all units on heightened alert
- Placed one (1) team with nine (9) DRG personnel on stand-by
- Ensured that all assets are ready for deployment
- Reported the cancellation of trips in ports in Virac, San Andres, and Pandan in Catanduanes and ports in Pasacao, Sabang, Guijalo, BalatanTamban, Nato, and Camaligan in Camarines Sur as of 12:00 NN, 03 April 2015

- Motorized bancas and vessels were reported taking shelter as of 4:00 AM, 04 April 2015:
 - Victory, Albay - 6 vessels
 - Tabaco, Albay - 4 vessels
 - Pasacao, Camarines Sur - 2 vessels, 10 motorized bancas
 - Guijalo, Camarines Sur - 15 motorized bancas
 - Balatan, Camarines Sur - 2 motorized bancas

17. Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP)

- Activated Oplan "Paghahanda Laban sa Sakuna"
- Identified the personnel who will be tapped to participate in the emergency response operations
- Ensured the availability of manpower (off-duty, on-leave, and personnel undergoing training may be recalled)
- Identified all equipment for immediate deployment for response operations
- Facilitated the processing of emergency funds to support the operating units

BFP I

- Directed all BFP personnel to be ready to extend necessary assistance in case of emergencies and other eventualities that may arise
- Ensured the availability of fire/rescue/emergency medical personnel, apparatus, and auxiliary units that would suit all operational needs
- Ensured prompt and effective delivery of basic emergency services
- Directed all BFP operation units that no personnel will be on leave, distribute information materials/flyers on disaster preparedness and to conduct "Ugnayan sa Barangay" particularly on the Basic Safety Tips on what to do during typhoon
- Conducted inventory of assets and personnel: 163 firefighters and 14 fireengines

BFP II

- Placed all BFP Units on heightened alert status
- Constantly monitored low-lying areas and landslide-prone areas
- Advised stations to prepare for alternative power and communication and to participate in the evacuation procedures and delivery of water if necessary
- Instructed lower units to provide fast rescue and emergency medical service to landslide-prone areas

BFP III

- Was on heightened alert to closely monitor TY "Chedeng"

BFP IV-A

- Alerted all Provincial, City, and Municipal Fire Stations to assist the LDRRMCs and be on standby alert upon receipt of the RDRRMC IV-A advisory
- Ensured regular coordination by the C/MFM to Local Government Officials in order to determine if there is need for personnel deployment who will serve as rescuers to affected areas
- Directed all stations to report any untoward incident
- Ensured the availability of fire/rescue and medical personnel, apparatus and auxiliary units in different strategic locations

BFP IV-B

- Advised all BFP units to be on standby alert
- Disseminated weather bulletin to their respective stations and substations

BFP V

- On heightened alert
- Placed ten (10) personnel on standby for possible deployment

BFP VI

- In close coordination with other government agencies like: PNP, DOTC, DOH, Patrol 117, LGUs, NGOs, and various levels of DRRMCs

BFP CAR

- Provided personnel augmentation for the repacking of family food packs and disaster stockpile in DSWD-CAR
- Provided assistance to the CRDRRMC Operations Center and CRDRRMC Response Cluster Hub

18. Philippine Red Cross (PRC)

- PRC NHQ was placed on Alert Level II (NHQ support to chapters)
- Disseminated PAGASA weather bulletins to chapters likely to be affected thru SMS and other social networking sites
- Coordinated with chapters for updates on the situation in their respective AORs
- Maintained coordination with the NDRRMC
- Placed assets (rescue boats, ambulances, generator sets, satellite phone, and vhf radio), 1,995 personnel, six (6) assessment teams, and relief supplies on standby for possible deployment
- Alerted all chapters regarding PAG-ASA weather reports
- PRC NHQ Operations Center monitored the situation on a 24/7 basis
- Prepositioned seven (7) Vehicles from NHQ (1 Amphibian, 1 Payloader, 1 Hilux, 1 Innova, and 3 10-wheeler trucks) to Subic Warehouse and Nueva Vizcaya Chapter
- Placed six (6) assessment staff from NHQ on standby for possible deployment
- Prepositioned 700 sleeping kits (blankets, mosquito nets, and plastic mats), 700 pcs of jerry cans, 700 hygiene kits, and 1,400 rolls of tarpaulin
- A total of 2,091 personnel (591 staff and 1,500 volunteers) were on standby nationwide

PRC Ilocos Norte Chapter

- Closely monitored the situation and the PAG-ASA 24-hour Public Weather Forecast
- Alerted and activated Chapter staff and volunteers, DRTs and Red Cross 143 Volunteers, and CHVs
- Chapter resources and equipment were ready and placed on standby
- Blood supply was ready and available
- Submitted chapter capacity and resource inventory to PRC NHQ OpCen

PRC Pangasinan - Dagupan City San Carlos City Chapter

- Alerted all Red Cross 143 volunteers
- Placed Emergency and DRTs on standby

- Continuously monitored the typhoon track and weather condition
- Established coordination with municipalities and cities within the vicinity
- Prepared logistics for response
- Deployed 34 volunteers, 12 staff for FAS; Beach and Highway Patrol for SUMVAC Operations

PRC La Union Chapter

- Activated Chapter Operations Center for monitoring of TY "Chedeng" as of 31 March 2015
- Alerted chapter staff, RC 143 Municipal Coordinators and volunteers to be on standby and report to Chapter OpCen for any untoward incidents
- Reported to PRC NHQ daily
- Chapter Administrator attended the Emergency meeting at PDRRMC
- Chapter Capacity Assessment:
 - Inventory of manpower available
 - Inventory of relief items - food and non-food item - Renewal of agreements with National Bazaar, CSI and NFA for the emergency purchase of relief supplies when necessary
 - Inventory of chapter vehicles, response equipment, and radio communications equipment

PRC Aurora Chapter

- Prepared to assist families for the conduct of pre-emptive evacuation
- Placed 30 personnel on standby

PRC Catanduanes Chapter

- Placed Red Cross Action Team (RCAT) composed of two (2) staff and 18 volunteers on standby

PRC Quirino Chapter

- Placed three (3) PRC personnel and five (5) volunteers on standby

PRC Mt. Province Chapter

- Donated one (1) sack of rice to PDRRMC and prepositioned at Barangay Caneo, Bontoc, Mountain Province

PRC Chapters Camarines Norte, Albay, Camarines Sur, Catanduanes, Masbate, and Sorsogon

- Place RCAT Teams and personnel on standby

19. National Telecommunications Commission (NTC)

NTC VI

- Provided two (2) radio frequencies (142.200 MHZ and 147.500 MHZ) for regular broadcast of regular information from PAGASA
- NTC R6 Radio Communication transceivers on 24/7 operation during the event
- Coordinated with volunteer communicators region-wide for situational updates

20. Philippine Information Authority (PIA)

- Alerted all PIA Information Center Managers (ICMs) in Regions CAR, I, II, III, IV-A, and V for close coordination with their PDRRMO and MDRRMO, and to report any significant information to PIA Central Office
- The Presidential Communication and Operation Office (PCOO) through the Media ng Bayan Operation Center monitored updates and handled the messaging which were sent to different PCOO pillars like PTV4, Philippine News Agency (PNA), and the Philippine Broadcasting Station (PBS)

PIA I

- On 30 March 2015, issued a directive to all staff to be on call for a 24/7 duty in view of TY "Chedeng"
- On 04 April 2015, PIA regional office and four (4) provincial information centers were activated
- Rendered duty in RDRRMC I Operations Center

PIA IV-A, CAR, and NCR

- Continuously disseminated weather advisories and warning alerts to the public through textblasts, social media accounts, and various media outfits

PIA VI

- Closely coordinated with DOST and other agencies regarding the availability of information in their social media accounts and utilization of their satellite phones

21. National Grid Corporation of the Philippines (NGCP)

- Activated Overall Disaster Command Center on 01 April 2015 in preparation for TY "Chedeng" (Maysak)
- In view of its Integrated Disaster Action Plan (IDAP), NGCP shall implement necessary preparations and precautions to minimize the impact on power transmission operations and facilities

B. REGIONAL / RDRRMC

RDRRMCs I, II, III, IV-A, IV-B, V, VI, VII, VIII, CAR, and NCR

- Continuously disseminated Weather Advisories to RDRRMC member-agencies, P/C/MDRRMCs, and local media (radio stations) thru OCDRC Infoboard Text Blast System, and uploaded the same to social accounts to effectively ensure public safety and achieve zero-casualty
- Alerted and in coordination with all PDRRMCs and RDRRMC member-agencies for possible rescue, relief, and other response operations relative to the weather disturbance
- Continuously monitored situations in their respective AORs

1. RDRRMC I

- Issued the following memoranda:
 - Memoranda No. 17 regarding the submission of preparedness measures relative to TY "Chedeng"
 - No.18 regarding PDRA Meeting relative to TY "Chedeng"
 - Memorandum No. 19 regarding the Notice of Activation to RED ALERT STATUS of RDRRMC I Operations Center on 01 April 2015

- Requested all PDRRMCs and RDRRMC member-agencies to be on standby for possible rescue, relief and other response operations relative to the present weather disturbance
- Conducted PDRA Meeting on 02 April 2015, 9:00 AM at OCD RO1 Conference Room, Camp BGen. Oscar Florendo, San Fernando City, La Union

PDRRMCs Pangasinan, La Union, Ilocos Norte, and Ilocos Sur

- Placed Operations Centers on standby
- Conducted warning dissemination to communities and to local radio stations
- Continuously monitored their respective AORs
- Rescue teams and equipment were ready for deployment and mobilization

PDRRMC Ilocos Norte

- Issued alert warning to all organic heads of the Provincial Government of Ilocos Norte and to PDRRMC Ilocos Norte member-agencies
- Advised City/Municipal DRRM Councils to be on alert
- Advised PEO to ready equipment and PSWDO to check available relief goods and evacuation centers, and health emergency management system group on alert
- Advised agriculture office to monitor production areas on corn, mango and tobacco as well as fisheries and livestock

PDRRMC La Union

- Convened all PDRRMC members and partner agencies for an emergency meeting on 01 April 2015 at Diego Silang, Provincial Capitol, La Union
- Advised constituents not to venture into any fishing activities from 05 - 07 April 2015 and discouraged people from swimming in seas and rivers
- Identified flashflood-prone areas and directed all Municipal and Barangay DRRMCs to undertake precautionary measures in their AOR and advised to initiate pre-emptive evacuation if situation warrants

MDRRMC Bauang

- Ensured that LGU Emergency Response Assets are operational
- Identified safe evacuation areas
- All LGU Disaster Response Strike Teams on standby
- Identified Farmers Hall as the Emergency Operations Center

PDRRMC Ilocos Sur

- Alerted municipalities and informed their LCEs
- Activated OpCen on 01 April 2015, 6:00 PM
- Established command center and in constant communication to all response teams
- Mobilized and activated PDRRMC Rescue Team
- Alerted response team of all C/M/BDRRMO
- Placed heavy equipment, rescue tools/equipment for WASAR/USAR/Medical on standby

PDRRMC Pangasinan

- Conducted conference of PDRRMC/Member Offices / Agencies prior to the entry of TY "Chedeng"

- Activated three(3) Advance Command Posts (Eastern, Western and Central Pangasinan)
- Was on standby alert 24 hours at PDRRMC Tactical Operations Center to:
 - Monitor the Weather Situation, San Roque Water Dam Elevation and Flood Bulletin as well as receive emergency calls of any untoward incidents that may need assistance of the PDRRMC
 - Render rescue assistance or any appropriate action/s to any received emergency call/s whenever necessary
- Observed clustering of Disaster Response and Rescue Teams (DRRTs) and prepositioning of disaster assets and equipment
- Stockpiled relief goods, medicines, and other basic housing and infrastructure materials
- Conducted preparation and coordination of evacuation centers
- Issued a memorandum regarding pre-emptive evacuation to landslide/flood prone areas or municipalities
- Monitored the water releases of San Roque Dam and Weather & Flood Bulletins from PAGASA Flood Forecasting Branch, Agno Flood Forecasting and Warning Center
- All fishermen within coastal Municipalities/Barangays, thru their LCEs/Barangay Chairmen, were advised not to venture out of the sea during inclement weather
- Ensured the issuance of suspension of classes/government offices whenever necessary
- Alerted all PDRRMC/Member Agencies/Offices' Rescuer/Responders Teams with equipment to be ready for deployment when there are requests for emergency operations
- Sent updates to PDRRMC Attached Agencies Operational Readiness (Manpower Resources and Equipage)
- Activated the PDRRMC WASAR Teams:
 - Aside from their duty during rainy season they were assigned to protect beachgoers by rendering emergency actions in cases of drowning incidents at the Lingayen beach area
 - To render appropriate action to any received emergency calls for rescue assistance
- Prohibited overnight stay in all islands in their AOR since 03 April 2015

CDRRMC Alaminos

- Issued Tourism Advisory to ensure the safety of local and foreign tourists:
 - Overnight stay in all island was not allowed effective 03 April 2015
 - All trips to Hundred Islands will be suspended as soon as PSWS No. 1 is raised in the Province of Pangasinan

2. RDRRMC II

- Coordinated with RDRRMC member-agencies and local DRRMCs re TY "Chedeng"
- Conducted PDRA meeting on 02 April 2015
- Placed Emergency Telecommunication Equipment (Thuraya Satellite) on standby
- OCD II was on Red Alert Status
- Attended media queries and interview regarding Preparedness Measures for TD "Chedeng"

PDRRMCs Isabela, Cagayan, Nueva Vizcaya, Batanes, and Quirino

- Disseminated Weather Advisories/Weather Bulletins to P/C/MDRRMC Member-Agencies
- Monitored their respective AORs
- Placed rescue groups on standby
- Prepared relief items to be distributed if necessary

PDRRMC Isabela

- Closely coordinated with MDRRMCs especially with the four (4) coastal towns of Isabela
- Placed DART 831 personnel on standby and ready for deployment
- Convened the PDRRMC regarding preparations for TY "Chedeng"
- Disseminated the "No Sail Policy" in the four (4) coastal towns in the province
- Closely monitored the water level in Magat Dam
- Conducted relief distribution to the four (4) coastal municipalities in the province
- Distributed satellite phones in four (4) coastal municipalities in Isabela
- Deployed three (3) DART Teams "Bantay Ilog" in strategic areas to monitor the rivers
- Deployed Teams to monitor current situation and actions taken by LGUs regarding TY "Chedeng"
- A total of 1,200 local and foreign tourists were monitored by the PDRRMC at Ilagan Sanctuary and Resort in Ilagan City
- Lifted the "No Sail Policy" in the four (4) coastal municipalities of Isabela
- Distributed 200 food packs to the pre-emptively evacuated residents of Benito Soliven, Isabela. The residents safely returned to their respective houses on 05 April 2015

CDRRMC Cauayan and MDRRMCs Palanan, Divilacan, Luna, San Mateo, Cabatuan, Maconacon, and Dinapigue

- Disseminated weather updates to BDRRMCs thru SMS and social media

CDRRMC Cauayan

- Placed Cauayan City Rescue 922 on standby and ready for possible deployment
- Conducted PDRA on 02 April 2015
- Monitored the water level in Magat Dam and the situation of overflow bridges
- Maintained all communication/hotlines open for inquiries regarding TY "Chedeng"
- Prepared disaster response equipment, stockpile of disaster supplies, and other equipment
- Conducted emergency meeting at Rescue 922 office regarding preparations for TY "Chedeng"

MDRRMC Palanan

- Distributed FFPs to fisherfolks affected by the "No Sail Policy"
- Prepositioned heavy equipment, bancas, and speed boats for possible deployment
- Conducted emergency meeting attended by MDRRMC members and LCEs on 01 April 2015

- BDRRMCs prepared identified evacuation centers in their respective AORs
- Placed Palanan Rescue Team (Rescue 1011) on standby
- Monitored beaches in Barangays Culasi, San Isidro, and Didaddungan and disseminated weather updates to tourists and local residents
- Monitored the sea ports regarding the implementation of the "No Sail Policy"
- Distributed 672 family food packs for the fisherfolks affected by the implementation of "No Sail Policy"

MDRRMC Divilacan

- Prepositioned three (3) dump trucks to be utilized for pre-emptive evacuation
- Enforced "No Sail Policy" and 'Liquor Ban" as of 02 April 2015
- Deployed three (3) PNCOs in coastal areas of Barangay Dimapula to strictly implement "No Sail Policy"
- Convened MDRRMC Meeting on 01 April 2015
- Prepared relief items in case TY "Chedeng" affects the municipality
- As of 04 April 2015, a total of 327 family food packs was distributed among the fisherfolks affected by the implementation of "No Sail Policy"

MDRRMC Maconacon

- Convened MDRRMC Meeting on 01 April 2015
- Prepositioned equipment and family food packs
- Implemented Provincial Ordinance on Liquor ban during disaster
- As of 04 April 2015, a total of 1,113 family food packs was distributed among the fisherfolks affected by the implementation of "No Sail Policy"

MDRRMC Dinapigue

- Convened MDRRMC Meeting on 01 April 2015 at 9:00 AM
- Placed equipment and personnel on standby
- Prepared relief goods stockpile
- Conducted Emergency Meeting re Preparedness Measures for TS "Chedeng" on 04 April 2015
- As of 04 April 2015, a total of 355 family food packs was distributed among the fisherfolks affected by the implementation of "No Sail Policy"

MDRRMC Luna

- Placed on alert status
- Conducted MDRRMC meeting
- Prepositioned relief goods and vehicles

MDRRMC San Mateo

- Placed rescue teams on alert status

MDRRMC Cabatuan

- Conducted MDRRMC meeting on 01 April 2015 at 9:00 AM regarding preparations for TY "Chedeng"
- Prepositioned all equipment, relief goods, and medicines
- Deployed medical teams to high risk barangays on 04 April 2015

MDRRMC San Mariano

- Conducted MDRRMC Meeting on 01 April 2015
- Placed vehicles and other response assets on standby for any eventualities

- Deployed medical teams to the High Risk Barangays

CDRRMC Tuguegarao and MDRRMCs Aparri, Amulung, Piat, Buguey, Rizal, and Gonzaga

- Was in continuous monitoring of their AORs
- Placed members of the MDRRMC on standby
- Disseminated Weather Advisories to BDRRMCs

MDRRMC Aparri

- Conducted PDRA meeting on 01 April 2015
- Prepositioned members of rescue group on ports and beaches to ensure the safety of tourists and local residents

MDRRMC Amulung

- Convened MDRRMC on 01 April 2015
- Prepositioned goods, medicine, personnel, and equipment

MDRRMC Claveria

- Conducted PDRA and Emergency Meeting on 01 April 2015
- Placed Rescue Team (Rescue C-41) on alert status and standby

MDRRMC Buguey

- Placed Rescue 3511 on standby

MDRRMC Gonzaga

- Prepositioned members of Rescue 1025 in different beach resorts in the municipality to ensure safety of tourists and local residents

PDRRMCs Batanes, Nueva Vizcaya, and Quirino

- Prepositioned manpower and response equipment

PDRRMC Cagayan

- Monitored a total of **11,941 tourists** in Cagayan (395 in Abulug Shoreline, 2,000 in Buguey Beach, 1,500 in Ballesteros Beach, 1,001 in Sta. Praxedes Resort, 4,000 in Gonzaga, 1,000 in Sanchez Mira Beach, and 2,045 in Callao Resort, Peñablanca)
- Advised Council Members to be on alert for possible response actions
- Rescue 29 Team was on standby alert and rescue equipment were ready for deployment
- Alerted all available rescue groups in the province
- Provided information regarding preparations for TY "Chedeng" to radio stations

MDRRMC Peñablanca

- Placed MDRRMC Council on standby
- Rescue 24 Team was on standby
- Prepositioned rescue teams at Barangays Agugaddan, Callao Area, Patagueleg, Malibabag, Cabasan, and Camasi to assist and ensure the safety of tourists and local residents

3. RDRRMC III

- On red alert status effective 5:00 PM, 01 April 2015

- Conducted PDRA on 01 April 2015, at 10:00 AM
- Issued memo to local DRRMCs regarding the conduct of PDRA in their respective AOR
- Advised all LDRRMCs to conduct PDRA and disseminate advisories/warnings through SMS, local radio stations, CA/TV, and facsimile
- Was in constant coordination with RDRRMC III Response Agencies for preparation of SAR Teams for possible deployment
- Coordinated with PIA, DILG, and PRO III for proper dissemination of warning advisories
- Monitored water level of major dams and rivers as well as roads and bridges going to Aurora and Cagayan Valley Region
- Activated Satellite Phone (Thuraya) at the RDRRMC III OpCen in anticipation for possible communication breakdown, also advised all PDRRMOs to check and activate their satellite phones
- Coordinated with 7ID for the availability of three (3) 6x6 trucks for the transportation of additional 1,500 ready family food packs for the Province of Aurora
- Coordinated with MMDA Composite Team regarding the augmentation and deployment in Baler, Aurora
- Placed CDRRMO San Fernando, Pampanga Emergency Operations Center (CSFP EOC) on standby to continuously monitor the situation within their AOR and to continue its Summer Vacation Motorists Assistance Operations at the Central Terminal

PDRRMO Tarlac

- On red alert status effective 8:00 AM, 01 April 2015 and alerted all MDRRMOs to closely monitor TY "Chedeng"
- Advised response teams to standby for possible deployment and SAR operations
- Coordinated with Tarlac PPO, 3rd Mechanized IB, TOG3 PAF, 522nd EB, PEO/Pepo for possible deployment of assets and personnel
- Conducted PDRA and Tarlac PDRRM Council meeting on 02 April 2015

PDRRMO Pampanga

- Released advisories for Mayors, C/MDRRMOs, and Barangay Captains of coastal barangays in preparation for TY "Chedeng"
- PDRRMO Preparedness and Response Cluster convened on 01 April 2015
- Placed PDRRMO OpCen rescue personnel on standby
- Monitored high-risk barangays and advised them to conduct PDRA
- Advised C/MDRRMOs to take precautionary measures in low-lying and mountainous areas if the situation requires and activated their respective City/Municipal Operations Centers as necessary
- Conducted preparation of relief goods since 05 April 2015, 5:00 PM

CDRRMOSan Fernando

- On Red Alert Status effective 12:00 NN, 04 April 2015
- Alert and Monitoring Committee monitored critical infrastructures and/or waterways
- Operational Coordination Committee activated its camp managers, health teams, and first responders

- Resource Mobilization Committee prepositioned goods, survival kits, vehicles, and personnel for possible deployment to conduct disaster relief and response

PDRRMO Aurora

- Conducted PDRA on 01 April 2015 with council members
- Advised LDRRMOs to conduct PDRA in their AOR
- Alerted and advised response teams to be on standby for possible deployment/SAR operations
- Discussed contingency plan for safety of tourists in coordination with concerned agencies
- Identified the availability of the following assets in preparation for TY "Chedeng":
 - Private Sector Disaster Management Network (PSDMN)- RESCUE RECON
 - Rope technicians and 15-man team with capabilities in WASAR
 - Generator sets
 - Ambulance and pick-up truck
 - Seven (7) EMTs and four (4) drivers
 - Satellite and UHF communication

CDRRMC Baler

- Convened with Inn and Hotel owners on 02 April 2015 to discuss their preparations for TY "Chedeng" to ensure the safety and security of guests and properties
- Disseminated advisory to hotel owners for them to advise tourists checked in their respective inns/hotels to stay indoors and avoid any activities outdoors and to voluntarily return to their hometown as soon as they can to avoid any harm from the possible impact/effects of TY "Yolanda". If the situation warrants, pre-emptive evacuation will be conducted and as a last resort, forced evacuation will be applied to those who will not listen/follow the directive. Likewise, to advise tourists to consider the cancellation of trips to Baler to avoid any eventualities

PDRRMC Nueva Ecija

- Was in continuous monitoring of their AORs
- Placed members of the MDRRMC on standby
- Disseminated Weather Advisories to BDRRMCs
- Activated PDRRMC OpCen and DILG Provincial Monitoring and Operations Center since 30 March 2015
- Conducted meeting on 01 April 2015 attended by 23 member agencies for disaster response updates and to revisit Response Capacity protocols

PDRRMC Bulacan

- Conducted PDRA on 01 April 2015 with council members

4. RDRRMC IV-A

- Raised Red Alert Status in Operations Center effective 02 April 2015
- Deployed the OCD-RDRRMOC IV-A Emergency Telecommunication Equipment Satellite Phones in Camp Vicente Lim, Barangay Mayapa, Calamba City

- OCD IV-A conducted staff exercise in preparation for the TY "Chedeng" operations
- Disseminated RDRRMC IV-A memorandum regarding Preparation for TY "Chedeng" to RDRRMC Member Agencies and CALABARZON LDRRMOs
- Conducted PDRA on 02 April 2015 with response agencies and PDRRMOs of CALABARZON followed by a press conference
- Coordinated with AFP-SOLCOM to provide six (6) M35 trucks for DSWD IV-A prepositioning of relief goods to the Province of Quezon
- Prepositioned a total of 10,000 relief goods/FFPs to Municipalities of Alabat, Perez, Quezon, and Polilio in the Province of Quezon and to the Provincial Capitol in preparation for TY "Chedeng"

PDRRMC Cavite

- Activated since 01 April 2015
- Conducted meeting with all PDRRMOs and PDRRMC Responders
- Conducted PDRRMC meeting led by Acting Cavite Governor on 02 April 2015
- Deployed PDRRMO personnel to render duty on a 24/7 basis for continuous monitoring
- Ensured the availability of rescue/emergency vehicles and equipment
- Activated ICP and prepositioned response assets
- Monitored the Early Warning Devices installed in certain cities and municipalities in the province
- Coordinated with PCG, Philippine Navy (PN), and volunteer rescue and support groups for possible deployment of their response teams and prepositioning of their water rescue equipment
- Coordinated with Provincial Social Welfare and Development Office regarding activation of evacuation centers, prepositioning of relief items, and relief distribution to fisherfolks in coastal areas
- Informed fisherfolks not to venture out on seas and alerted residents near coastal areas against possible storm surges
- Ensured the deployment of the following water assets: one (1) amphibious vehicle; ten (10) fiber glass boats; ten (10) rescue boats outboard engine; ten (10) rescue ambulances; 20 rescue boats; one (1) marine barge; one (1) excavator; and one (1) swamp tractor

PDRRMC Laguna

- Activated the PDRRMC Operations Center
- Prepositioned rescue equipment
- Conducted inventory of food packs
- PDRRMC Chairperson directed all department heads to continue monitoring the situation
- Established communication lines and continued disseminating information through SMS warnings
- Ensured the deployment of manpower and equipment to strategic locations

PDRRMC Batangas

- Activated the PDRRMC Operations Center and disseminated warning information
- Mobilized PACD groups to man the Operations Center on a 24/7 basis
- Advised the City, Municipal, and Barangay DRRMCs to be on standby alert

- Coordinated with ABS-CBN Southern Tagalog and PIO Batangas for information dissemination
- Coordinated with RDRRMC Operations Center for updates

PDRRMC Rizal

- On Full Alert Status and activated their Operations Center
- Disseminated information to LDRRMOs and other stakeholders
- Advised all provincial hospitals to be on alert
- Coordinated with PNP, BFP, AFP and PCG for prepositioning of resources
- Coordinated with NGOs and private companies for augmentation purposes if situation warrants

PDRRMC Quezon

- Downgraded alert status effective 7:30 AM, 05 April 2015
- Issued advise to LDRRMCs to convene in preparation for TY "Chedeng"
- Upgraded LISTO warning to Bravo with instructions for the use of ICS
- Considered the implementation of pre-emptive evacuation as needed
- Convened the Council on 03 April 2015, 3:00PM

MDRRMC Infanta

- Prepositioned food packs to identified coastal barangays in preparation for TY "Chedeng"
- Conducted pre-emptive evacuation and relief distribution to 18 families from Barangay Pinaglapatan

5. RDRRMC IV-B

- Operations Center was on alert status
- P/C/MDRRMCs were in continuous coordination and monitoring of their respective AOR and disseminated weather bulletin down to barangay level

6. RDRRMC V

- On Blue Alert Status effective 01 April 2015, 8:00 AM, for TY "Chedeng"
- Monitored LDRRMCs and concerned agencies regarding incidents and actions taken
- Issued Memo to RDRRMC Response Agencies and LDRRMCs to be on standby
- Conducted staff meeting regarding preparations for TY "Chedeng"
- On 01 April 2015, established Emergency Telecommunications (Thuraya Satellite Phones) and VHF Radio contact particularly for Catanduanes Island Province for easy coordination and as back-up communication
- Reinforced the Regional Disaster Management Center – OPCEN facility in anticipation of extreme weather scenario
- Stockpiled ten (10) day food and non-food supplies in RDMOC to support and as sustenance to OCD-RDRRMC Operations
- Stockpiled ten (10) day supply of FOL for backup generators and mobility
- Coordinated with Bicol SRR Cluster Agencies strategic mustering and prepositioned personnel and assets/equipment
- Coordinated with PRC Albay and Camarines Sur for their activities being undertaken for TY "Chedeng"

- Conducted inspection of Disaster Response Units (DRUs) at OCD V Camp Ola, Legazpi City and coordinated with DSWD and NFA to assure the availability of rice supply for the Province of Catanduanes on 03 April 2015
- Reported the cancellation of trips in areas with Public Storm Warning Signal (PSWS) Number 1
- Placed Water and Sanitation equipment on standby for possible utilization in Catanduanes
- OCD V coordinated with DOT V regarding the estimated number of tourists/guests in Bicol Region

PDRRMCs Albay, Camarines Provinces, Catanduanes, Masbate, Sorsogon, and CDRRMC Naga

- Monitored the situation in their respective AORs
- Disseminated weather advisories/updates
- Conducted their respective PDRRMC Meetings on 01 April 2015

PDRRMC Albay

- Issued PDRRMC Advisory 1 and 2: Pre-Chedeng on 01 and 02 April 2015, respectively

PDRRMC Sorsogon

- Issued memorandum to Resources to escalate the level of preparedness and memorandum to DRRMOs for them to similarly take into consideration the impending weather disturbance
- In coordination with different Council Members to harmonize respective contingency plans
- Conducted information dissemination campaign thru radio broadcast to provide corresponding guidance and reminders to the public
- Detailed SPDRRMO staff for a round the clock monitoring and receiving of information and inquiries
- Ensured a clear, uninterrupted and readily accessible line of VHF radio communications and interactions for a speedy transmission of all information
- Conducted emergency meeting aimed to strategize plans and trash out any operational gaps on 01 April 2015

PDRRMC Camarines Sur

- Conducted meeting in all departments to undertake all necessary preparedness measures and prepared all technical and logistical requirements to ensure the safety of the people
- Activated 11 satellite operation centers in Ragay District Hospital, Sipocot District Hospital, Libmanan District Hospital, Ocampo District Hospital, San Jose District Hospital, Garchitorena Hospital, Caramoan Hospital, Tinambac Hospital, Siruma Hospital, Buhi Hospital, and Bato Hospital, manned by HEMS Staff and to be augmented by responders and volunteers
- Issued Memorandum to all Chairperson of MDRRMCs to heighten their alert status
- Implemented no sail policy
- Conducted meeting to finalize contingency plans for TY "Chedeng"
- Prepositioned relief goods to coastal Municipalities of Siruma, Garchitorena, and Caramoan
- Ordered communities at risk to evacuate on 03 April 2015, 4:00 PM

- Issued Memorandum regarding “No swimming and Island Hopping Policy” to all coastal and riverside barangays
- Issued Memorandum to all Mayors and Barangay Captains to conduct pre-emptive evacuation of communities situated within 100 meters strip in coastal areas

CDRRMC Naga

- Conducted Naga CDRRMC Emergency Meeting on 01 April 2015
- Issued Naga City Advisory
- City Mayor placed all 27 barangays on Blue Alert effective 01 April 2015

PDRRMC Camarines Norte

- PDRRMC Operations Center raised alert status to Blue Alert Effective 01 April 2015, 12:00 Noon
- Conducted PDRA on 01 April 2015, 2:00 PM, attended by PDRRMC members at the SP Hall, Provincial Capitol, Daet, Camarines Norte
- Directed MDRRMCs concerned to undertake precautionary measures in their AORs and subsequently advised local DRRMCs to initiate pre-emptive evacuation of families in low-lying and mountainous areas if situation warrants
- Conducted clustering of Disaster Response and Rescue Teams and prepositioning of disaster assets and equipment for any eventualities
- Conducted preparation of evacuation centers
- Advised all fishermen along coastal areas not to venture out of the sea during inclement weather
- Enforced “No Sailing Policy” for tourists going to Islands within the province

7. RDRRMC VI

- Coordinated with RDRRMC member-agencies and local DRRMCs re TY Maysak updates
- PDRRMC/MDRRMCs and staff were on standby and continuously monitored their respective AORs
- Conducted PDRA meeting

PDRRMCs Aklan, Capiz, Guimaras, Antique, and Negros Occidental

- On Blue Alert Status
- Disseminated weather updates to LDRRMC/LGUs in their AOR

PDRRMC Capiz

- Capiz PDRRMC/CERT response team were on standby and continuously monitored their respective AOR

PDRRMC Guimaras

- PDRRMC/MDRRMCs, CSOs, and NGOs were on alert status and ready for any untoward incidents that may happen

PDRRMC Iloilo

- Sent advisories thru SMS to the LGUs as early as 31 March 2015
- LDRRMOs were on alert particularly those in landslide and flood-prone areas

PDRRMC Antique

- Conducted a PDRA meeting

CDRRMCs Iloilo and Bacolod

- Placed on alert/standby and continuously monitored their AORs
- Conducted information dissemination to BDRRMCs and alerted them regarding the Typhoon and the observance of the Holy Week
- Disseminated weather updates to LDRRMC/LGUs in their AORs

8. RDRRMC VII

- Conducted PDRA Core Group Meeting on 01 April 2015
- PNP and AFP in the region were on standby

9. RDRRMC VIII

- Coordinated with Central Command (CENTCOM) regarding the availability of 8ID for possible response operation
- ARD Gozon visited the province of Northern Samar and met with Vice Governor Gary Lavin with local PAGASA and some members of the PDRRMC and discussed on preparedness measures for the said typhoon
- Conducted PDRA on 02 April 2015, 10:00 AM at Ritz Tower de Leyte

CDRRMC Tacloban City

- Convened council members and responders on 01 April 2015 preparation for the Typhoon "Chedeng"

CDRRMC Ormoc City

- Raised to Blue Alert effective 01 April 2015
- Placed Ormoc Rescue Team on standby for possible deployment

MDRRMC Lapinig, Northern Samar

- Monitored the typhoon path and intensity

MDRRMCs Mapanas and Palapag Northern Samar

- Convened MDRRMC regarding the preparation for TY"Chedeng"

MDRRMC Biri, Northern Samar

- Disseminated hourly bulletin announcement to all barangays through their Brgy. Captains and BDRRMOs

MDRRMCs Canavid and Salcedo, Eastern Samar

- Monitored the track of the typhoon
- Placed Emergency Response Team on standby
- Directed all BDRRMC Chairmen to closely coordinate with their respective MDRRMCs

MDRRMC Motiong, Samar

- Conducted MDRRM Council meeting on 01 April 2015
- Activated the Operation Center and ICS. All clusters conducted early preparedness activities

MDRRMC Gandara, Samar

- Convened MDRRMC on 10:00 AM, 01 April 2015 and alerted all BDRRMCs

MDRRMC Tabango, Leyte

- Monitored the track of the typhoon and disseminated information to BDRRMCs

10. Metro Manila DRRMC

- On Blue Alert Status
- Civil Defense Action Group (CDAG) alerted and assisted in information dissemination and placed response assets on standby
- Joint-Task Force-NCR (JTF-NCR)–DRTUs were on alert status and response assets were on standby
- On 01 April 2015, 4:00 PM, Metro Manila DRRM Council was convened for a meeting presided by MMDRRMC Chairperson Atty. Francis Tolentino to discuss preparedness measures for TY “Chedeng”
- Metro Manila was on “Yellow Alert” until 03 April 2015 as agreed by the MMDRRMC
- MMDRRMC convened to discuss the preparations and updates for TS “Chedeng” on 04 April 2015 at 11:00 AM

MMDA

- Deployed two (2) teams in the Provinces of Isabela and Aurora. The teams are composed of responders from MMDA and the LGUs of Marikina, Muntinlupa, Parañaque, Pasay, and Valenzuela

CDRRMOs Makati City, Mandaluyong City, Marikina City, Muntinlupa City, Quezon City, Pasig City, Parañaque City, and Valenzuela City

- Was on heightened alert and was in continuous monitoring of their respective AORs
- Rescue/volunteer groups as well as response assets and rescue equipment were on standby
- Disseminated information to all concerned agencies and Barangays
- QCDRRMC Disaster Action Team (DAT) was on “Yellow Alert”

11. RDRRMC CAR

- Raised Red Alert Status in Operations Center effective 01 April 2015, 1:00 PM
- Released a memorandum on the activation of all LDRRMCS to RED ALERT Status
- Conducted a coordination meeting with the Regional Director of DSWD CAR, the Vice-Chairperson of the CRDRRMC Response Committee
- Conducted PDRA Meeting with the member-agencies of the Cordillera DRRM Council and the Provincial and City Disaster Risk Reduction Management Officers
- Activated and established Cordillera Regional Disaster Response Clusters (RDRC) Hub at DSWD-CAR training center on 02 April 2015 to manage possible impacts of TY “Chedeng”
- Activated Thuraya Emergency Communications Kit
- Conducted emergency meeting at the Response Cluster Hub on 02 April 2015 to discuss possible response actions
- Coordinated with management of known tourist destination and concerned MDRRMCs regarding the safety of tourists
- Issued advisory requesting tourists to consider the cancellation of trips to areas that will possibly be affected by TY “Chedeng”

- RDRRMC convened for second PDRA and strategic meetings held on 01 April 2015, 1:00 PM
- PLDT established internet connection in the Response Cluster Hub on 01 April 2015
- Deployed personnel at the RDRRMC Operations Center and Response Cluster Hub at DSWD-CAR's training center
- Controlled the number of tourists in Sagada, Kabayan (Mt. Pulag), Bokod (Hot Spring), and other tourist spots in the region

PDRRMCs Abra, Apayao, Benguet, Ifugao, Kalinga, Mt. Province, Apayao, CDRRMC Baguio, MDRRMCs in the Provinces of Abra, Apayao, Benguet, Ifugao, and Kalinga

- Conducted PDRA at their respective DRRMCs
- Operations Center was on RED Alert status
- Activated the Thuraya Emergency Communications Kit
- Prepared evacuation areas and items needed in Evacuation Centers
- Placed Response and rescue teams on standby for deployment or augmentation
- Monitored the road conditions and any untoward incidents
- Disseminated weather advisories and warning alerts to the public using INFOBOARD text blast

CDRRMC Baguio

- Conducted emergency meeting on 01 April 2015
- Released memorandum to all CDRRM members, BDRRM committees and all other agencies involved in disaster management to prepare for TY "Chedeng"
- Reported that evacuation centers, rescue equipment, responders, and relief goods were ready

PDRRMC Benguet

- Released memorandum on the suspension of small scale mining activities
- Placed response and rescue teams on standby near tourist hotspots (Mt. Pulag, Kabayan and Hotspring, and Itogon)
- Conducted a council meeting on 02 April 2015
- Strengthened coordination with DPWH field offices focusing on Gurel-Bokod-Kabayan-Buguias Road and Akop-Kapangan-Bakun Road

MDRRMC Bokod

- Set-up command post at Bokod Police Station
- Cancelled all hiking activities to Mt. Purgatory for the safety of tourists

MDRRMC Kabayan

- Monitored landslide-prone areas especially along Kabayan-Bokod areas
- Controlled the number of tourists hiking in Mt. Pulag

MDRRMC Mankayan

- Placed Mankayan Emergency Response on alert along with PNP-Mankayan, and BFP-Mankayan

PDRRMC Abra

- Prepositioned emergency trucks and inflatable boats at the Provincial Capitol grounds for immediate response
- Reviewed hazard/risk maps and contingency plan for typhoon

MDRRMC Langiden

- Conducted preparation of relief goods

MDRRMC Luba

- Advised the Mayor, BDRRMCs, and school heads to pre-emptively evacuate residents

MDRRMC Tubo

- Reported that evacuation centers in the municipality are ready for the conduct of pre-emptive evacuation

PDRRMC Apayao**MDRRMC Pudtol**

- Prepositioned rescue equipment
- Conducted warning and information campaign in vulnerable communities

PDRRMC Kalinga

- Assigned schools and gymnasiums as evacuation centers

PDRRMC Mt. Province**MDRRMC Sagada**

- Controlled the number of tourists for Lumiang-Sumaguing-Crystal Cave

V. RESPONSE CLUSTER (Tab A)



Response Clusters

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(as of 5 April 2015, 6AM)
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Highlights of Response Cluster Actions

1. Monitoring by clusters on specific needs and required resources for response operations augmentation.
2. Activation of Volunteer groups for SRR and RETT:
 - ERIC
 - Orange Helmet
 - Project Agos
 - Rescue Recon/ PSDMN
 - Move PH
 - Rappler
3. Orientation for the activation of Emergency Response Information Center (ERIC) for Response.

NDRRMC Response Cluster



Camp Coordination and Camp Management and Protection

1. A total of 33 Evacuation Centers were opened and catered 627 families or 2,492 individuals as of April 5, 2015 4PM all ECs are closed
2. All major ports in Marinduque in Balanacan Pier Mogpog, Marinduque and in Kawit Pier, Buac, Marinduque, Pasacao, Camarines Sur resumed operations
3. Activated Help Desk in different bus terminals in region CAR
4. Provided support to Baler, Aurora in the pre-emptive evacuation
5. Monitored specific needs of coastal areas vulnerable to storm surges, sea surface waves and landslide prone areas were identified for appropriate location of evacuation centers.
6. QRT ready for deployment to monitor/augment in the conduct of pre-emptive evacuation procedures.



Food and Non-Food Items

1. Prepositioned 318,263 family food packs amounting to Php 111,502,123.06 and standby funds amounting to Php23,190,971.37 transferred to the regions in the possible typhoon path specifically Regions I, II, III, IVA, IVB, V, VIII, NCR and CAR. The number of food packs prepositioned per region are as follows:
 - Field Office I – 38,712
 - Field Office II – 31,244
 - Field Office III – 13,784
 - Field Office IV-A – 18,664
 - Field Office IV-B – 18,440
 - Field Office V – 33,690
 - Field Office VIII – 38,782
 - Field Office CAR – 28,301
 - Field Office NCR – 21,299

In addition a total of 75,347 family food packs is available at NROC amounting to Php 24,978,598.74

2. AFP deployed 1 Army Platoon as manpower augmentation for the repacking of relief goods at NROC, DSWD in Pasay City on 03 and 04 April 2015 (2 Officers & 62 EP).



Search, Rescue and Retrieval

1. Deployed 1 Platoon, 56IB with communication capability at Dinapigue, Aurora and at CAFGU Active Auxilliary, 5th ID in Palanan, Isabela
2. PROCOR Kabayan MPS led by PSI Rommel P. Sawatang assisted 47 mountaineers from Mt. Pulag to safe ground.
3. Deployed the following:
 - A. MMDA SRR Team
 - a. 29 personnel en route to Dinapigue, Isabela
 - b. 25 personnel en route to Quezon
 - B. Philippine Red Cross
 - a. 2 WASAR Teams on standby at Subic, Pampanga
 - b. 2 WASAR Teams on standby at the National Office
 - c. 1 WASAR Team on standby at Bulacan
 - d. 1 WASAR Team on standby at Pampanga
 - e. 1 WASAR Team on standby at Nueva Ecija
4. Alerted PN's AW-109 with Downlink Team and RDNA Team on 04 April 2015 for possible deployment to typhoon affected provinces on 05 April 2015.
5. Deployed AFP B-GAN Team to NOLCOM on 04 April 2015.

Law and Order

1. Deployed forces to secure seaports/ferry stations
2. Assisted in the pre-emptive evacuation and relief distribution in 4 coastal towns in Isabela: Dinapigue, Divilacan, Maconacon, Palanan
3. Accounted an estimated number of 38,500 local and foreign tourist
4. Activated all DIMITGs and PNP WCPC Desk in all level in regions to be affected
5. Deployed personnel in commercial business districts in all affected regions
6. Implement liquor ban in areas to be affected by Typhoon Chedeng
7. Established safe stations in PRO3 and PRO2, PPO Nueva Ecija and PPO Nueva Viscaya to coordinate with PDRRMC ensuring safety of motorists passing though Dalton Pass effective 2300H 4 April 2015.



Emergency Telecommunications

1. OCD coordinated with 2nd and 9th ID for the possible installation of HF base radio to all Provincial and Municipal Emergency Operation Center of Quezon, Cam Norte, Cam Sur and Catanduanes
2. OCD provided situational map of all responders to the Response Cluster
3. 56th Infantry Battalion, 5th Infantry Division deployed communications teams in Casiguran, Dinalungan, Dilasag, Dipaculao, Aurora.
4. AFP deployed 2 communication teams, CEISSAFP with 1 HF radio at Response Operation Center, NDRRMC and communications van at Gamu, Isabela
5. PNP PROs 1,2,3,4a,5,6,7 and CAR submitted their deployment plan re: Typhoon Chedeng indicating therein that the personnel/teams who are on standby alert for possible deployment are equipped with available communication equipment such as handheld radios, mobile phones with power back-up
6. OCD provided video conferencing facilities during the NDRRMC PDRA Meeting last April 04-05, 2015 using skype
7. SMSGT on standby with communication equipment such as integrated wireless router access point.



Logistics

- AFP, PNP, BFP and PCG logistics assets (personnel equipment) are placed on standby for urgent deployment
- DPWH heavy equipment on standby for road clearing to ensure accessibility
- DOTC warnings issued and flight cancellation on April 5, 2015
- AFP assisted loading of Family Food Packs to two (2) M35 en route to Aurora.
- Dissemination of information to concerned parties as to the areas which are considered flood and landslide prone

Health

1. DOH Central office prepositioned logistics amounting to Php 33,190,871
 2. Augmentation of prepositioned logistics by the DOH-ROS to priority provinces
 3. Standby medical and public health teams ready for dispatch
 4. Provided key health messages/advisories and guidelines on donation to Response cluster for social media dissemination
 5. Water filtration/purifying machines on standby in Regions II and V
 6. Hospitals, both DOH retained and provincial hospitals, were coordinated by the specific DOH Regional Offices (DOH – ROs) ready to provide medical services to typhoon victims particularly management of near drowning,
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infectious diseases and injuries.

International Humanitarian Relations

1. The DFA has activated its DRRM Action Center;
2. Issued Memorandum Circular to concerned offices about the observation of Protocol on International Humanitarian operation and for local DFA units to be on alert
3. Deployed personnel for shifting duty at the NDRRMC.

Management of the Dead and Missing

1. The NBI – DVI has standby teams ready to respond and conduct forensic identification process to unidentified victims of disaster
 - The standby team is composed of:
 - Forensic doctors
 - Chemists/Biologists
 - Forensic dentist
 - Photographers
 - Laboratory technicians
 - Fingerprint examiners
 - Support staff
2. The PNP – SOCO is on standby alert for possible deployment and teams ready to respond and conduct forensic identification process to unidentified victims of disaster
3. The DILG directed the LGUs to coordinate with BFP and PNP for possible MDM Operations
4. The DILG directed the LGUs to coordinate with funeral parlors to manage the dead, if any

General Coordination

1. Activities of the Response Clusters are being coordinated by the Office of Civil Defense (OCD) Operations Division and the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD).
 2. Coordination meetings are held at the National Response Cluster Operations Center (NDRC OpCen), 2nd Floor, NDRRMC Building, Camp General Emilio Aguinaldo, Quezon City.
 3. Cluster Leads are required to detail a senior officer in the NDRC OpCen to render a 24/7 basis duty.
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Messages for the Public

- Families residing near shorelines and bodies of water are advised to evacuate to safe high grounds once your local DRRMCs had advised for pre-emptive evacuation.
- Contact your respective local DRRMCs or the NDRRMC for queries
 - NDRRMC Contact Numbers
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