

NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

NDRRMC ADVISORY

TO : ALL CHAIRMEN, RDRRMCs, PDRRMCs, OCDRCs I, II, III, IV-A,

IV-B, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII, CAR, CARAGA, ARMM and NCR

FROM : Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD

SUBJECT: Weather Advisory No. 2 Active Low Pressure Area (ALPA) and

Southwest Monsoon

DATE : 20 July 2012, 10:30 AM

Source: PAGASA-DOST

OVERVIEW

- At 8AM today, the Active Low Pressure Area (ALPA) was estimated based on satellite and surface data at 330 km east of Tuguegarao, Cagayan (17.5 deg N, 125.3 deg E)
- This weather disturbance and the southwest monsoon will bring scattered to widespread rains and thunderstorms in Luzon and Visayas which may trigger flashfloods and landslides.

PUBLIC WARNINGS:

People living near the mountain slopes and in the low lying areas of the above mentioned river systems and the local disaster risk reduction and management councils concerned are advised to be alert for possible flashfloods and landslides.

You are hereby directed to undertake precautionary measures and monitor the situation in your AOR. Likewise, the public and DRRMCs concerned are advised to take appropriate actions.

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

Let's untiringly aim for zero casualties.

Submit report on actions taken.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE CHAIRPERSON, NDRRMC:

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