NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

NDRRMC UPDATE

Severe Weather Bulletin No. 06 re Tropical Storm "KATRING" (CHABA)

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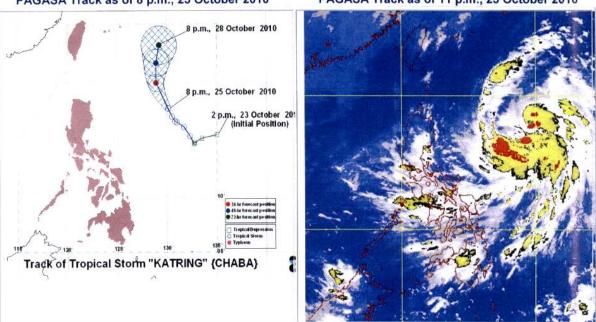
Source: PAGASA

I. OVERVIEW:

Tropical Storm "KATRING" has intensified as it continues to move to a North Northwestward direction.

PAGASA Track as of 8 p.m., 25 October 2010

PAGASA Track as of 11 p.m., 25 October 2010



Location of Center: (as of 10:00 PM)	730 km East of Northern Luzon	
Coordinates:	18.0°N, 130.0°E	
Strength:	Maximum winds of 95 kph near the center gustiness of up to 120 kph	

Movement:	North Northwest at 11 kph
Forecast Positions/Outlook:	Tuesday evening: 660 km East of extreme Northern Luzon Wednesday evening:690 km Northeast of extreme Northern Luzon Thursday evening:820 km Northeast of extreme Northern Luzon

2. ACTIONS TAKEN:

NDRRMC Severe Weather Bulletin No. 06 re Tropical Storm "KATRING" (CHABA) was disseminated to all OCD Regional Centers through SMS and facsimile; and uploaded into the NDRRMC website for further dissemination to their respective local disaster risk reduction and management councils (LDRRMCs) from the provincial down to the municipal levels.

Regional Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (RDRRMCs) through the OCD Regional Centers were directed to undertake precautionary measures in their AOR. Likewise, the public and Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (DRRMCs) were advised to take appropriate precautionary measures such as pre-emptive evacuation of families in low-lying areas and near mountain slopes as necessary.