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. 08 re Typhoon "KATRING" (CHABA)

Releasing Officer:

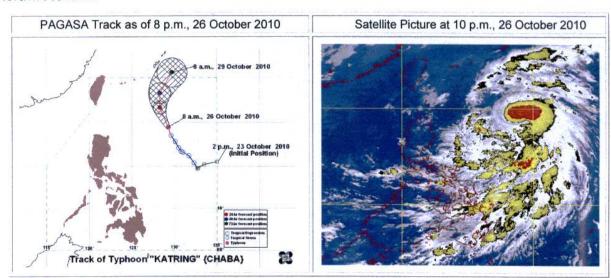
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Source: PAGASA

I. OVERVIEW:

"KATRING" has maintained its strength as it continues to move a North Northwestward.



Location of Center: (as of 10:00 PM)	610 km East of Extreme Northern Luzon
Coordinates:	20.4°N, 128.3°E
Strength:	Maximum winds of 120 kph near the center gustiness of up to 150 kph
Movement:	North Northwest at 11 kph

Forecast Positions/Outlook:

Wednesday evening:
600 km East Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon
Thursday evening:
700 km Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon
Friday evening:
940 km Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon

2. ACTIONS TAKEN:

NDRRMC Severe Weather Bulletin No. 08 re Typhoon "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.