NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION & MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

NDRRMC UPDATE

EARTHQUAKE INFORMATION No. 1

Releasing Officer:

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DATE

24 March 2011

Source: PHIVOLCS-DOST

I. BACKGROUND:

An earth shaking was felt in Bontoc Mountain Province and some part of Tabuk, Kalinga and no aftershock was felt.

Date/Time	24 March 2011, 1:37 AM		
Location	17.40°N, 121.01°E – 31 km N 13°E of Bontok (Mountain Province)		
Depth of Focus	026 (Shallow)		
Origin	Tectonic	Magnitude (Ms)	4.3
Reported Intensity	Intensity III – Tabuk, Kalinga		
Expecting Damage	No	Expecting Aftershocks	No

II. ACTIONS TAKEN:

- NDRRMC Advisory on the earthquake information was disseminated to OCD CAR through facsimile, SMS and website for further dissemination to their respective Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (LDRRMCs) from the provincial down to the municipal levels
- DOST-PHIVOLCS is closely monitoring the situation and any new significant development will be immediately relayed to all concerned.

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