

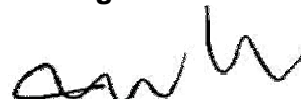
NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

NDRRMC UPDATE

EARTHQUAKE INFORMATION for REGIONS I, II, V, CAR, and NCR

Releasing Officer:



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DATE: 20 March 2011, 6:00 PM

Source/s: PHIVOLCS issued EQ Information No. 2 on 04:48 PM, 20 March 2011

1. SITUATION OVERVIEW

- ❖ An earthquake of tectonic origin and 6.4 in Magnitude (Ms) occurred on March 20, 2011 at 4:26 PM:

Date/Time	20 March 2011, 04:26 PM
Location	18.95°N, 121.33°E – 117 kms. N 44° E of LA OAG CITY
Depth of Focus (Km)	050 (Shallow)
Reported Intensity	V – Pasuquin, Ilocos Norte IV – Calayan Island III – Basco, Batanes; Sinait, Ilocos Norte, Gonzaga and Calamaniogan, Cagayan; Manila City II – Baguio City
Expecting Damage	No
Expecting Aftershocks	Yes

2. ACTION/S TAKEN

A. Preparedness Measures Undertaken by NDRRMC:

- NDRRMC – OpCen immediately disseminated the information to RDRRMC/OCD Regional Centers I, II, V, CAR, and NCR through facsimile and Short Messaging System (SMS) and advised the above regions to monitor any possible effects of said earthquake particularly in areas with reported intensities

B. Preparedness Measures Undertaken by RDRRMCs, PDRRMCs, M/CDRRMCs

- RDRRMCs/OCDRCs I, II, V, CAR and NCR disseminated earthquake information to Chairperson, MDRRMC and local DRRMCs Members through facsimile and SMS and further advised MDRRMCs and LGUs to disseminate the information through the community leaders and local media
- Constantly coordinating with their respective Provincial Civil Defense Deputized Coordinators for any effects of earthquake in their respective areas of responsibility