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**NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL**

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

## **NDRRMC UPDATE**

**Incidents Monitored 19 – 20 November 2011**

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**DATE : 21 November 2011**

Sources: RDRRMC/OCDRCs VIII, X, and NCR

### **I. National Capital Region (NCR)**

#### **NIA Road, Quezon City**

##### **Situation Overview:**

- On or about 1:18 AM, 20 November 2011, a fire incident occurred at NIA Road, Brgy. Pinyahan, Quezon City affecting more or less 1,500 families / 7,500 persons. The cause of the fire remains under investigation
- Three (3) were reported dead, Alfred John Alcala (10 months old); Arianne Joy Alcala (7 years old), while one was still unidentified. Four (4) were injured, to name: Ranny Pangatuan (33 years old); Louie Espiel (27 years old); Maritess Coreta (27 years old); and Jenny Sumali (28 years old)
- A total of more or less 700 houses were burned and the estimated cost of damages was pegged at PhP 7 Million

##### **Actions Taken:**

- BFP-QC, nearby BFP fire stations, DPOS, and fire volunteers responded to the incident
- Progress report to follow

#### **Luzon Avenue, Quezon City**

##### **Situation Overview:**

- A fire incident occurred at Calamansi Street, Luzon Avenue, Quezon City on or about 4:47 PM 20 November 2011 involving an apartment building. The cause of the fire, affected families, number of houses burned and cost of damages is not yet determine. No casualties reported.

##### **Actions Taken:**

- BFP-QC and other fire volunteers responded to the incident
- Progress report to follow

### **II. Region VIII**

#### **St. Bernard, Southern Leyte**

##### **Situation Overview:**

- On or about 10:10 PM, 19 November 2011, a fire incident transpired at Dumataas Sari Sari Store, owned by Mr. Alden Dumataas, a Muslim businessman, at Brgy.

Himatagon, Saint Bernard, Southern Leyte. Two (2) residential/commercial houses and seven (7) commercial stalls were totally burned

- Findings by the fire Arson SFOI Edilberto R. Lopez revealed the cause of fire was purely electrical short circuit and more or less Php 10 Million estimated cost of damages

**Actions Taken:**

- BFP Saint Bernard; Municipal Disaster Response Teams; Southern Leyte Emergency Response Team (SOLERT); San Juan Fire Station; Hinunangan Liloan, Libagon, Bontoc, Sogod and Macrohon Fire Volunteers proceeded to the fire scene
- BFP St. Bernard and the Response Teams continuously monitoring the fire incident area
- RDRRMC and MDRRMC Saint Bernard conducted emergency meeting together with the victims of fire incidents

### **III. Region X**

#### **Kapatagan, Lanao del Norte**

**Situation Overview:**

- On or about 2:00 AM, 20 November 2011, a fire incident occurred at P-2 Taguitic, Kapatagan, Lanao del Norte affecting 15 families / 75 persons. The cause of the fire is still under investigation
- Eleven (11) houses were totally burned and four (4) were partially damaged
- Two (2) were injured namely; Mae Lumagdas (6 years old) and Jessa Mae Lumagpas (7 years old), both admitted at Provincial Hospital, Kapatagan Lanao del Norte

**Actions Taken:**

- BFP Kapatagan responded to the incident
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