



## **NDRRMC UPDATE**

### **Initial Report on Diesel Spill in Polilio Island, Quezon**

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*Sources: OCDRC IV-A*

#### **I. Situation Overview**

- Late in the evening of April 3, 2012, Mayor George Verzosa of Polilio Island was informed by a Napocor employee that the diesel from the generator of their power source has leaked.
- Until this afternoon, the diesel oil is still leaking and it has affected the shore/mangrove site of Barangay Tumulaya.
- The estimated gas leak is about 10,000 liters but there is no fish kill or marine damages yet.
- The cause of the leak is still under investigation.

#### **Actions Taken**

- Mayor Verzosa, MDRRMO Almonte together with the Philippine Coast Guard-Southern Tagalog, DENR Officials, Philippine National Police and barangay officials of Brgy Tumulaya went to the site to check the cause and extent of the diesel spill.
- Three (3) Napocor officials went to Brgy Tumulaya to convene the concerned officials of the community
- The constituents from the barangay and other concerned agencies volunteered to manually remove the spill from the water.