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NDRRMC UPDATE

Incidents Monitored in Regions VIII and X as of 30 May 2012

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Sources: RDRRMC/OCDRCs VIII and X

Region VIII

1. Lightning Incident in Municipality of Kananga, Leyte

- Around 8:00pm, 30 May 2012, RDRRMC8 OPCEN received a report from Mayor Eric Codilla of the Municipality of Kananga, Leyte thru ARD Gozon that a lightning struck a number of civilians.
- Lightning incident occurred at about 4PM, 30 May 2012 when five (5) civilians in Sitio Cabatingan, Brgy. Tagaytay, Kananga, Leyte were on their way home, a lightning strike leaving two (2) injured namely Annadel N. Meñoza 30y/o and Mary Ann S. Meñoza 16y/o. The other three (3) were sent home safe. The two (2) victims were immediately brought to Kananga District Hospital and later to Ormoc District Hospital.

Actions Taken

- Brgy. Chairman Orec Aseo facilitated removal of victims to Kananga District Hospital.
- Kananga Mayor Eric Codilla facilitated transfer of victims to Ormoc District Hospital.
- Dra. Fidelita Dico of DOH-HEMS8 mobilized Kananga health coordinators to provide further assistance to the victims.
- RDRRMC-OPCEN is continuously monitoring the situation.

Region X

2. Initial Report re Flash flood in Valencia City, Bukidnon

- ❖ At around 4:00pm of 30 May 2012, a flash flood occurred at Brgy. Bagongtaas and Brgy. Sugod, Valencia City, Bukidnon as a result of continuous rain.
- There was no casualty reported and no evacuation center was established or activated.

Actions Taken

- The CDRRMC Valencia City currently assisting the affected residents in evacuating to safer areas.
- OCDRC X Operation Center is monitoring the situation thru Captain Alejandro L. Laroza, Jr. – CDRRMO, Valencia City, Bukidnon.