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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
Severe Weather Bulletin No. 8
Tropical Storm "AMBO" (MAWAR)

Releasing Officer

for 

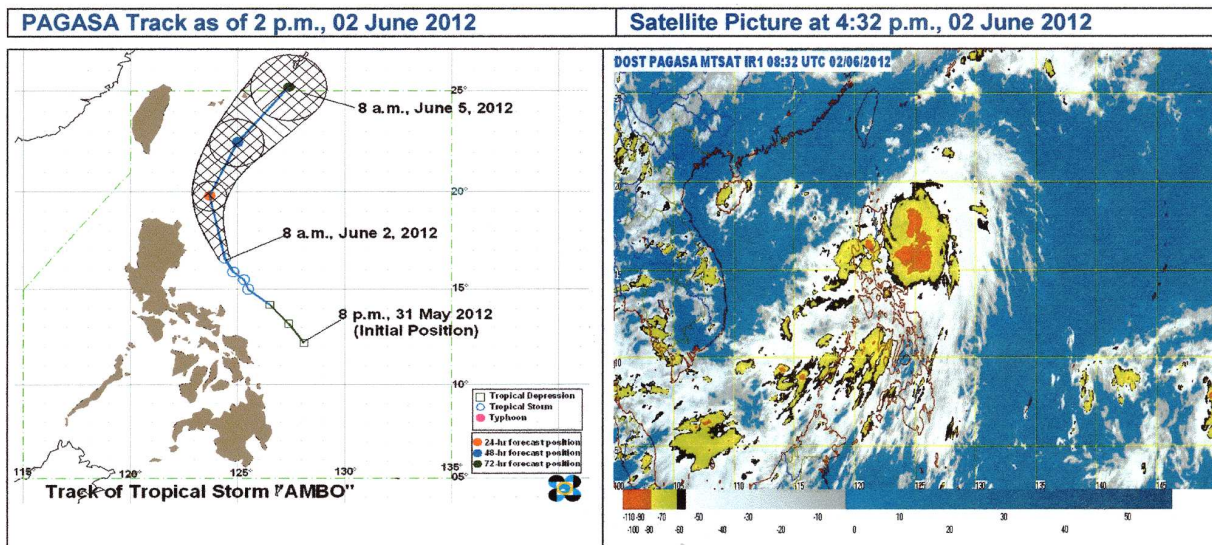
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Source: PAGASA-DOST

I. SITUATION OVERVIEW:

Tropical Storm "AMBO" has gained strength as it moves along the Eastern Coast of Northern Luzon.



Location of Eye/Center: (as of 04:00 P.M.)	210 km East Northeast of Casiguran, Aurora
Coordinates:	17.4°N, 124.1°E
Strength:	Maximum sustained winds of 95 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 120 kph
Movement:	North Northwest at 15 kph
Forecast Positions/Outlook:	Sunday afternoon: 150 km East of Basco, Batanes Monday afternoon:

	Monday afternoon: 440 km Northeast of Basco, Batanes Tuesday afternoon: 780 km North Northeast of Basco, Batanes
PUBLIC STORM WARNING SIGNAL	
Signal No. 2 (61-100 kph winds)	Batanes Group of Islands and Calayan Island
Signal No. 1 (30-60 kph winds)	Northern Aurora Isabela Cagayan including Babuyan Island

- Residents in low lying and mountainous areas under Public Storm Warning Signals are alerted against possible flashfloods and landslides.
- Estimated rainfall amount is from **15 - 25** mm per hour (heavy) within the **400** km diameter of the Tropical Storm.
- TS “AMBO” is expected to enhance the Southwest Monsoon that will bring rains over Central and Southern Luzon and Visayas.
- Fishing boats and other small seacrafts are advised not to venture out into the seaboards of Southern Luzon and Visayas and the Eastern seaboard of Northern and Central Luzon due to the combined effect of TS “AMBO” and the Southwest Monsoon.

II. ACTION/S TAKEN

NDRRMC–OPCEN

- Disseminated **Severe Weather Bulletin No. 8 on Tropical Storm “AMBO”** to all OCD Regional Centers through SMS and facsimile and uploaded same at the NDRRMC website for further dissemination to their respective local disaster risk reduction and management councils (LDRRMCs) from the provincial down to the municipal levels
- Directed RDRRMCs concerned through the OCD Regional Centers to undertake precautionary measures in their area of responsibility (AOR) and subsequently advised local DRRMCs to initiate pre-emptive evacuation of families in low-lying and mountainous areas if situation warrants