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NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

MEMORANDUM FOR THE SND AND CHAIRPERSON, NDRRMC:

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Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD

SUBJECT :

Belated Report re Vehicular Accident in Titay, Zamboanga Sibugay

DATE

20 August 2012

Sources: OCDRC IX

SITUATION OVERVIEW:

• On or about 10:30 PM, 17 August 2012, a vehicular accident occurred along National Highway of Purok Fortune, Barangay Poblacion, Titay, Zamboanga Sibugay Province involving a Kia Bongo and a passenger van.

According to the investigation, the Kia Bongo, carrying several containers of gasoline, tried to avoid a crossing stray horse as it travels from Ipil, Zamboanga Sibugay to Zamboanga del Norte. The Kia Bongo collided with the approaching passenger van with thirteen (13) passengers on board. The incident resulted to the death of both drivers and five (5) passengers.

The gasoline carried by the Kia Bongo caught fire which resulted to the burning of both vehicles along with the drivers and five (5) passengers. The truck helper and eight (8) passengers suffered serious injuries and were immediately rushed to Sibud County Hospital, Zamboanga Sibugay.

 The Kia Bongo was driven by Froilan A. Dimasuhid, 32 years old while the passenger van was driven by Joel Y. Villamor, 35 years old and a resident of Brgy Magsaysay, Sindangan, Zamboanga del Norte.

The name of the casualties are as follows:

NAME	AGE/GENDER
Dead: (7)	
1. Joel Villamor	35 / Male
2. Carmela Briones	Female
3. Estalito Pacifico Despi, Sr.	Male
4. Delia Espina	50 / Female
5. Antonia Gantalao	64 / Female
6. Diamay Espina	4 / Male
7. Froilan Dimasuhid	32 / Male
Injured: (9)	
1. Ace dela Cruz	3 / Male
2. Liza Espina	39 / Female
3. Violeta Baraquiles	41 / Female
4. Lolita Espina	37 / Female
5. Robelyn dela Cruz	43 / Female
6. Ernesto Cadorna	53 / Male
7. Nelson Bertulfo	48 / Male
8. Maria Elena Taghap	47 / Female
9. Mario Moro	Male

ACTIONS TAKEN:

- PNP-Titay, ZSP conducted investigation and responded to the incident.
- BFP and the Barangay Police also responded to the incident.
- Zamboanga Sibugay Health Office continuously monitoring the status of the casualties who were brought to the hospital.
- OCD-RC IX closely monitoring the updates on the incident.

For the information of the SND and Chairperson, NDRRMC.

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cc: OES, OpCen-DND, AFP Command Center, DILG, PNP, DOH-HEMS, DSWD-Dromic, PRC and OCDRC IX