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NDRRMC UPDATE

INCIDENTS MONITORED COVERING THE PERIOD OF **200800H- 210600H October 2012**

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1. PROGRESS REPORT ON EARTH CRACK IN BRGY. LAMLAHAK, LAKE SEBU, SOUTH COTABATO

SITUATION OVERVIEW:

- On 28 September 2012, multiple landslide incidents occurred in South Cotabato displacing 109 families from Sitio Bentung, Lemuti, and Tokobokong al of Brgy Lamlahak, Lake Sebu
- The incident was caused by almost a week of continuous normal rains in several ridges of the barren mountain slopes moved down in mass resulting to landslides
- Residents evacuated into a safer place within the locality
- 5 houses were totally damaged. A total of 83 families with 390 dependents have already vacated their homes. An estimated 20 hectares was affected, and an estimated Php 800,000.00 worth of crops and properties were damaged. Only 2 Sitios, namely Sitio Tokobukong and Bentung have evacuated
- **A total of 228 families/ 1,015 persons in two (2) sitios (Sitio Upper Talubek - 110 families/ 519 persons and Sitio Lower Talubek- 118 families/ 496 persons) of Barangay Lamlahak, Lake Sebu, South Cotabato were evacuated due to presence of earth crack**
- **Affected families are presently staying with their relatives in other barangays of Lake Sebu**
- **Residents of Barangays Seloton and Poblacion are also likely to be affected and were given early warning**

ACTIONS TAKEN:

- **OCD XII and PDRRMC South Cotabato, MDRRMC of Lake Sebu and BDRRMC Lamlahak** are currently conducting DANA
- **Local DRRMC** extended relief assistance to the affected families.
- **OCD XII and PDRRMC with DENR-MGB** conducted meeting and scheduled to conduct technical assessment on 15 October, 2012
- **South Cotabato Provincial Government sent a team to assess the extent of the earth crack**

2. REPORT ON GROUND HEATING IN QUEZON CITY

SITUATION OVERVIEW:

- At around 8:00 PM of 17 October 2012, Ms. Jane Filio of No.19 Manalo Street, Brgy. Del Monte, Quezon City observed that about a square foot of their floor tiles in their living room felt hotter
- On 19 October 2012, at around 2:00 - 3:00 PM, it was observed that the affected area widened to approximately a square meter. This prompted Ms. Filio to report the incident
- Thirteen (13) individuals were affected by the incident and are temporarily staying in their garage
- Affected residents managed the increasing floor temperature by placing wet rags on the floor

Actions Taken:

- QCBFP and Malabanan Services conducted an inspection but were unable to detect the source of heat. They did not attempt to make a hole and advised the owner to coordinate with PHIVOLCS
- Meralco cut the power line at around 7:00 PM 19 October 2012
- DPOS Rescue inspected the area at 8:45 PM 19 October 2012 and gathered information. After which, DPOS coordinated with DENR MGB but were told to refer the matter to PHIVOLCS
- PHIVOLCS personnel were not able to respond to the concern because there was no available Geoscientist on Saturday and Sunday
- DPOS Rescue revisited the area at 6:00 PM of 20 October 2012 and observed that the affected floor area has widened further to nine (9) square feet, but the temperature decreased
- DPOS is closely monitoring the situation
- OCD- NCR properly coordinated and monitored the matter

3. MARITIME INCIDENT REPORT ON MBCA BRITPHIL EXTRA EXPRESS

SITUATION OVERVIEW:

- At 11:47 AM 17 October 2012, M/Bca Britphil Extra Express, enroute from Dapa, Siargao Island to Surigao City, encountered an engine trouble due to defective transmission gear at vicinity seawaters off Bucas Grande Island and Hinatuan Passage, Surigao del Norte
- All forty- two (42) passengers were rescued, while one (1) was brought to Caraga Hospital due to minor foot injury

ACTIONS TAKEN:

- PCG SAR Team immediately responded to the scene and assisted in towing MBca Britphil Extra Express; transferred the passengers to another MBca that brought the passengers to Bilang- Bilang Pier, Surigao City
 - CGS Surigao coordinated with Quick Action Response Team (QART) Surigao for the transport of the injured passenger to Caraga Hospital
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