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

NDRRMC UPDATE

**Incident Monitored Covering the Period of
032000H – 040800H January 2016**

Releasing Officer:


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Administrator, OCD

DATE : 04 January 2016, 8:00 AM

Source: RDRRMC 3, Baler MDRRMC, PNP

1. Final Report re Missing Persons Incident due to Strong Sea Waves in Baler, Aurora (Region III)

A. Situation Overview:

- On or about past 3:00 PM, 01 January 2016, two (2) persons were reported missing due to strong sea waves in Sitio Puntian, Barangay Zabali, Baler, Aurora.

B. Effects:

- On 03 January 2016, the two (2) missing persons were found dead in Baler, Aurora:

Name	Sex	Age	Address	Remarks (from Aurora Police Provincial Office)
1. Richard Anderson Dela Cruz	M	28	Brgy. Campos, Talavera, Nueva Ecija	Cadaver was found on 3 January 2016 around 1:30 PM floating along the shore between the Lukso Lukso (Aniao Islet) and Sitio Cemento both in Brgy. Zabali, Baler, Aurora
2. Ricardo Dela Cruz	M	38		Cadaver was found on 3 January 2016 around 4:50 PM floating along the shore of Sitio Cemento, Brgy. Zabali, Baler, Aurora

C. Actions Taken:

- PDRRMO Aurora, MDRRMO Baler, PNP, BFP, PCG personnel and Barangay Zabali officials conducted search and rescue operations in the area.
- On 3 January 2016, search and retrieval operations resumed at 5AM with MDRRMO Baler Team on board a speed boat, BFP conducted search and retrieval operations on the coastline and 5 local divers have been deployed for underwater search and retrieval on the scene.
- Baler MDRRMO and Aurora PNP provided situation updates of the incident.