

### REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

# NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

## **NDRRMC UPDATE**

Weather Advisory No. 02 for Low Pressure Area (LPA)

Releasing Officer:

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DATE

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Source: PAGASA-DOST

### I. SITUATION OVERVIEW:

At 10:00 AM, the Low Pressure Area was estimated based on all available data at 715 km east of Catarman, Northern Samar (12.4°N, 131.2°E). This weather system will bring cloudy skies with moderate to occasionally heavy rains and isolated thunderstorms over Eastern Visayas and CARAGA. Residents in these areas are alerted against possible flashfloods and landslides.

This LPA is expected to develop into a Tropical Depression within 24 and will be named "KAREN".

#### II. ACTIONS TAKEN

- NDRRM Operations Center disseminated Weather Advisory No. 02 for Low Pressure Area (LPA) to all OCD Regional Offices through SMS and facsimile and uploaded on the NDRRMC website for further dissemination to their respective local DRRMCs from the provincial down to the municipal levels.
- Directed RDRRMCs concerned through the OCD Regional Offices to undertake precautionary measures in their areas of responsibility (AOR) and subsequently advised local DRRMCs to initiate pre-emptive evacuation of families in low-lying areas and mountainous areas if situations warrants.