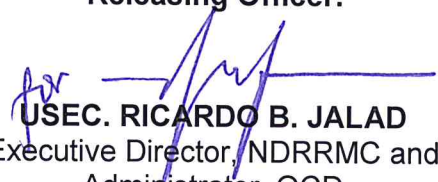




NDRRMC UPDATE

Severe Weather Bulletin No. **02** re Tropical Depression “AURING”

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Source: PAGASA-DOST

I. SITUATION OVERVIEW

Tropical Depression “AURING” has slightly intensified as it continues to move in a West Northwest direction.

- Estimated rainfall amount is from moderate to heavy within the 300 km diameter of the Tropical Depression (TD).
- Resident of areas with TCWS No. 1 and **over the rest of Davao Region and of Northern Mindanao** are alerted against possible flash floods and landslides.
- Expected to make landfall over Surigao Provinces between Sunday evening until Monday early morning.
- Fisherfolks and those with small seacrafts are advised not to venture out over the eastern seaboard of Mindanao.

Location of Eye/Center	At 4:00 PM today, the center of Tropical Depression (TD) “AURING” was estimated based on all available data at 185 km East of Hinatuan, Surigao del Sur (08.1°N, 128.0 °E) .
Strength	Maximum sustained winds of up to 55 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 70 kph .
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move West Northwest at 7 kph
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 24 Hour (Tomorrow afternoon): 85 km East Northeast of Hinatuan, Surigao del Sur (8.7°N, 127.0°E)• 48 Hour (Monday afternoon): In the vicinity of Masao, Butuan City (9°N, 125.5°E)• 72 Hour (Tuesday afternoon): 145 km West of Dumaguete City, Negros Oriental (9.3°N, 122.0°E)• 96 Hour (Wednesday afternoon): 50 km Northwest of Puerto Princessa City, Palawan (10.0°N, 118.4°E)• 120 Hour (Thursday afternoon): 65 km South Southwest of Pagasa Island, Palawan (OUTSIDE PAR) (10.5°N, 113.8°E)

TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL				
TCWS	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao	Impacts of the Wind
1 (30-60 kph Expected in 36 hours)	-	-	Agusan del Sur, Agusan del Norte, Surigao del Sur, Surigao del Norte, Dinagat Province, Misamis Oriental, Camiguin, Davao Del Norte and Compostela Valley	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very light or no damage to low risk structures • Light damage to medium to high risk structures • Slight damage to some houses of very light materials or makeshift structures in exposed communities. Some banana plants are tilted, a few downed and leaves are generally damaged. • Twigs of small trees may be broken. • Rice crops, however, may suffer significant damage when it is in its flowering stage.
Wave Height: (Open Sea) 1.25 – 4.0 meters				

The public and the Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next weather bulletin to be issued at **11PM** today.

ACTIONS TAKEN

- NDRRM Operations Center disseminated **Severe Weather Bulletin No. 2 for Tropical Depression “AURING”** 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.