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NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

NDRRMC UPDATE

**Severe Weather Bulletin No. 6 re
 Tropical Depression "CRISING"**

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Source: PAGASA-DOST

I. SITUATION OVERVIEW

"CRISING" HAS MAINTAINED ITS STRENGTH AND CONTINUES TO MOVE CLOSER TO SAMAR PROVINCES.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Estimated rainfall amount is from moderate to occasionally heavy within the 250 km diameter of the Tropical Depression. Expected to make landfall over Samar island this afternoon. Residents in areas under Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal (TCWS) 1 are alerted against possible flashfloods and landslides. Possible inclusion of Camarines Norte, Marinduque and Mindoro Provinces under TCWS 1 in the next bulletin.
Location of Eye/Center	At 7:00 AM today, the center of Tropical Depression (TD) "CRISING" was estimated based on all available data at 185 km East of Guiuan, Eastern Samar (11.1°N, 127.4°E) .
Strength	Maximum winds of up to 55 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 68 kph .
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move West Northwest at 20 kph
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 24 Hour (Tomorrow morning): In the vicinity of Pilar, Capiz (11.5°N, 123.0°E) 48 Hour (Monday morning): 205 km Northwest of Coron, Palawan (13.4°N, 119.0°E) 72 Hour (Tuesday morning): 290 km West of Iba, Zambales (15.0°N, 117.3°E) 96 Hour (Wednesday morning): 340 km West Northwest of Iba, Zambales (16.8°N, 117.2°E)

TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL				
TCWS	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao	Impacts of the Wind
1 (30-60 kph Expected in 36 hours)	Sorsogon, Burias Island, Romblon, Masbate including Ticao island	Aklan, Antique, Iloilo, Capiz, Northern Cebu, Northern Negros Occidental, Northern Samar, Eastern Samar, Samar, Biliran, Leyte and Southern Leyte		<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 **11 AM today.**

II. ACTIONS TAKEN

- NDRRM Operations Center disseminated **Severe Weather Bulletin No. 6 for Tropical Depression "CRISING"** 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.
- Concerned Regional and Local DRRMCs are directed to undertake the necessary preparedness measures and possible response actions.