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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**

**SitRep No. 02 re Emergency Preparedness and Response for the  
National Day of Protest as of 8:00 AM**

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Sources: OCD I, II, III, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, V, VI, VII, VIII, X, XI, XII, CARAGA, ARMM, NCR, and CAR, AFP, PNP, BFP

### **I. OVERVIEW**

President Rodrigo Roa Duterte, issued Proclamation No. 319, declaring 21 September 2017 as a National Day of Protest, in solidarity with the people's call against all excesses and shortcomings of the government, and with the people's desire to uphold the highest standards of integrity, efficiency, and accountability in government.

In this view, Memorandum Circular No. 26 was issued, suspending work in government offices, both national and local, and classes in public schools in all levels, including state universities and colleges. However, the suspension of work in private companies and classes in private schools in affected areas are left to the sound discretion of their respective heads.

Further, the City Government of Manila is anticipating massive demonstrations both from anti-government and pro-government supporters particularly in the vicinity of Welcome Rotonda, España, Mendiola, B. Bustillos, Plaza Miranda, and the US Embassy. Over 20,000 people are expected to join in the protest actions while at least 15,000 people are expected to join the pro-administration program in Mendiola and Plaza Miranda in Quiapo.

### **II. WEATHER CONDITION**

#### **A. Weather Outlook (20-22 September 2017)**

Humid weather condition is expected over most parts of Northern Luzon due to Ridge of High Pressure Area (HPA) which will prevail over extreme Northern Luzon.

Improved weather is likely to be experienced over the rest of the country causing the whole archipelago to have partly cloudy to at times cloudy skies with isolated rainshowers or thunderstorms. This weather scenario is expected to persist until Friday, 22 September 2017.

### III. MONITORED ACTIVITIES

#### 21 September 2017 (Thursday)

11:10 AM

- a. Vehicles reportedly owned by the protesters/demonstrators were lined up outside Camp General Emilio Aguinaldo, near Gate 2 along EDSA.
- b. A stage was established in the center island of Roxas Boulevard fronting the Jose Rizal Monument (Luneta).

12:49 PM

- a. A pro-government assembly was staged at Plainview Elementary School, Mandaluyong City, which then proceeded to Plaza Miranda.

1:00 PM – 1:30 PM

- a. An estimated 100 protesters gathered in front of Bantayog Ng Mga Bayani along EDSA.
- b. An anti-government group of about 1,500 protesters were within the University of Santo Tomas and headed to Quirino/Mendiola.
- c. At about 1:30 in the afternoon, an estimated 6,000 protesters gathered at Mendiola.

4:05 PM – 5:17 PM

- a. At about 4:05 PM, the pro-government assembly was estimated to be around 3,500 in Mendiola while the anti-government assembly at Plaza Miranda was estimated to be around 4,000.
- b. At about 4:06 PM, the anti-government group moved towards Roxas Boulevard.
- c. At about 5:17 PM, police were already in place/on standby in anticipation for the arrival of the protesters/demonstrators.

6:30 PM – 7:25 PM

- a. As of 6:30 PM, Mendiola and Plaza Miranda were already cleared of protesters except in the Luneta area.
- b. Around forty (40) pro-government individuals was seen in front of San Beda College.
- c. Around 1,000 rallyist were organized in front of the Commission on Human Rights (CHR) in UP Campus.
- d. At about 7:25 PM, an estimated 3,000 protesters were in Luneta (Quirino).

8:00 PM – 9:00 PM

- a. At 8:00 PM, protesters/demonstrators in front of CHR in UP Campus decreased to only 200 persons.
- b. At about 8:30 PM, between 200 to 300 protesters/demonstrators remained at the Luneta area.
- c. The program ended at around 9:00 in the evening.

### III. EFFECTS



## A. SUSPENSION OF CLASSES AND WORK

Through Memorandum Circular No. 26 dated 19 September 2017, the Office of the President declared suspension for work in government offices, both national and local, and classes in public schools at all levels, including state universities and colleges.

A number of private schools also suspended their respective classes.

Location	Schools
Quezon City	All Private Schools, All levels
Caloocan	University of the East
Makati	Colegio San Agustin Mapua University
Malabon	St James Academy
Muntinlupa	De La Salle Santiago Zobel
Pasig	St Paul College
Manila	Colegio de San Juan de Letran La Consolacion College Manila Tytana Colleges Mapua University National Teachers College National University San Beda College San Sebastian College-Recoletos St Scholastica's College Manila St Stephen's High School Tiong Se Academy Uno High School University of the East University of Santo Tomas
Davao City	All Private Schools, All levels

Source: OCD NCR Situational Report 02 and OCD XI Report on Preparedness Measures re National Day of Protest

## IV. PREPAREDNESS MEASURES

### A. NATIONAL / NDRRMC

#### 1. NDRRM Operations Center (NDRRMOC)

- The NDRRMOC raised its alert status to Blue effective 5:00 PM 20 September 2017 to monitor and coordinate all efforts to ensure safety and security of the public.
- Representatives from AFP, PNP, BFP, and PCG rendered duty at the NDRRMOC as Detailed Duty Officers (DDOs) to ensure continuous coordination.

#### 2. Bureau of Fire Protection (BFP)

- Activated to Red Alert Status on 20 September 2017.
- Placed on standby for emergency assistance near protest sites and areas of mass action.

#### 3. Philippine National Police (PNP)

- Offices and Units are at full alert.

#### 4. Armed Forces of the Philippines (AFP)

- a. Released directive for additional tactical forces to augment JTF-NCR in connection with the upcoming commemoration of the declaration of Martial Law.
- b. Philippine Navy released control of two (2) CDM Companies with mobility and provisions to JTF-NCR effective 20 September 2017.
- c. Headquarters Philippine Navy and Headquarters Support Group provided one medical team with ambulance on standby at headquarters of the Philippine Navy.
- d. SOLCOM and NOLCOM Barangay Patrol Team (BPT) released operational control of one (1) Infantry Battalion to JTF-NCR.

## **B. REGIONAL / RDRRMC**

### **1. RDRRMC I**

#### **OCD I**

- a. Issued RDRRMC 1 Memorandum no. 100 s. 2017 regarding Notice of Activation to Blue Alert Status and Submission of Preparedness Measures regarding Proclamation of the President declaring 21 September 2017 as National Day of Protest.
- b. Close coordination with Police Regional Office 1 regarding the risks and threats that may arise.

#### **DSWD FO I**

- a. DReAMS staff, Social Welfare Action Development Team (SWAD), and Quick Action Response Team (QUART) of the Field Office-I are on call duty.
- b. Quick Response fund are ready for disaster operations.
- c. Prepositioned goods at different strategic locations.

#### **DOH RO I**

- a. DOH Regional Office 1 Operation Center is on "Code Blue" status.
- b. Three (3) Retained Hospitals (Mariano Marcos Memorial Hospital and Medical Center, Batac City, Ilocos Training and Regional Medical Center, San Fernando City and Region 1 Medical Center, Dagupan City) are on 24-hour duty to attend to casualties brought by possible eventualities.
- c. Prepositioned and stockpile of assorted drugs and medicines to Provincial Department of Health Offices (PDOHO).

#### **DPWH RO I**

- a. Continuous monitoring of status of road lines in their respective Area of Responsibility.

#### **PDRRMC Ilocos Sur**

- a. Command Center on alert to monitor 24/7.
- b. Rescue vehicles are on standby for possible deployment.
- c. Response equipment and tools are ready for dispatch.

#### **MDRRMC Sta. Barbara (Pangasinan)**

- a. Monitoring and all necessary equipment are on standby for possible response.
- b. Monitoring the individuals or groups participating in the protest.
- c. Close coordination with BFP and PNP Sta. Barbara.
- d. Alerted volunteers for possible augmentation to respond to any given incident.



- e. Activated the Emergency Operations Center/Disaster Operations Center in Blue Alert Status.

#### **CDRRMC Dagupan**

- a. Emergency Operations Center was put on Blue Alert Status.
- b. Close coordination with the Public Order and Safety Office, PNP, and BFP.
- c. Deployed personnel to the area for immediate response to any emergency or incident.
- d. Coordinated with concerned agencies and monitored the prayer rally initiated by Saint John Cathedral Parish with an estimated crowd of about 1,000 that ended at 2:00 PM, no untoward incidents monitored.

#### **580<sup>th</sup> AIRCRAFT CONTROL AND WARNING WING**

- a. Conducted accounting/formation of PAF Disaster Response Units (DRU)/ Disaster Response Tasked Units (DRTU). Likewise, inspected DRU/DRTU equipment.

### **2. RDRRMC II**

#### **OCD II**

- a. Close coordination with RDRRMC Member-Agencies, P/C/MDRRMCs and other stakeholders.

#### **BFP RO II**

- a. On Red Alert Status.
- b. Prepositioned firetrucks and personnel in strategic areas where possible rallies may be held.
- c. Placed all responding units under Red Alert Status.

#### **PNP-PRO II**

- a. On heightened alert status for continuous monitoring of AOR.

#### **DOH-HEMS II**

- a. Active monitoring through tri-media (radio, TV, internet) and 24/7 Operations Center.

#### **Provincial Climate Change Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council Cagayan**

- a. Conducted Emergency Meeting in connection with National Day Protest.
- b. Raised Alert status from White to Blue Alert.
- c. Resopone assets are on standby including Food and Non-food items.
- d. IMT ready for activation.
- e. Employees of PDRRM Office, QRT, TFLC, POPE, PSWDO and PIO are ready for any eventuality.
- f. Alerted frontline departments and is in close coordination with National Government Agencies.

### **3. RDRRMC III**

#### **OCD III**

- a. Emergency Operations Center alert status was upgraded from white to blue effective 21 September 2017, 8:00 AM for continuous monitoring of the observance of National Day of Protest.
- b. Close monitoring and coordination with PNP, BFP, AFP, and P/C/MDRRMOs for any updates or untoward incidents within their respective AOR.

#### **4. RDRRMC CALABARZON**

##### **OCD CALABARZON**

- a. Activated its Emergency Operations Center (EOC) to Blue Alert on 20 September 2017, 6:00 PM to monitor possible escalation of the situation and provide augmentation of standby resources to NCR.

#### **5. RDRRMC MIMAROPA**

##### **OCD MIMAROPA**

- a. Issued Memorandum to RDRRMC Member Agencies and P/C/MDRRMs MIMAROPA regarding Blue Alert Status for National Day of Protest.
- b. Activated Blue Alert status regarding National Day of Protest effective 21 September 2017 for coordination/monitoring and assistance.
- c. Coordinated with RDRRMC member agencies regarding Preparedness Measure for National Day of Protest.

##### **DILG MIMAROPA**

- a. Issued Memorandum to all provincial offices regarding National Day of Protest.

##### **DSWD MIMAROPA**

- a. Activated all P/C/M Quick Response Teams in 5 provinces of MIMAROPA to regularly monitor the situation in their areas.
- b. Advised P/MQRTs to coordinate with concerned LGUs to report any unusual eventualities in their respective areas.

##### **DOH MIMAROPA**

- a. Continuous coordination and active monitoring with all PDOHO and HEMS point persons for any untoward incident.
- b. Continuous coordination with DOH retained hospitals and other attached agencies including PCG, PPA, RDRRMC, OCD, LGUs, PNP station and other stakeholders
- c. Advised PDOHO to coordinate with HEMS-PHO for the health emergencies monitored and to coordinate with Philippine National Police, Provincial and Municipal Disaster Risk Reduction Management Offices, and other response groups in relation to the event being monitored.
- d. Coordinated with General Services Unit in relation to the availability of essential drugs/medicines and medical supplies.
- e. Coordinated with Health Promotion Unit MIMAROPA to disseminate and establish health information kiosk to areas of gathering.
- f. Coordinated with Philippine Air Force 505 Search and Rescue for the utilization of Air Medical Services in the Provinces of MIMAROPA as contingency for Air Medevac and advised PAMAS Air Ambulance Services through the Provincial DOH-Palawan for possible utilization of air evacuation.



#### **Coast Guard District Southern Tagalog**

- a. Deployable response groups (DRGs) are placed on standby status 24/7.
- b. Continuous monitoring of situation in their respective AOR.
- c. Ensure the operational status of HF and VHF radio communications as support to the province operational concern in case of power blackout.

#### **Coast Guard District Palawan**

- a. Prepared PCG boarding teams, SAR assets and Deployable Response Group (CDRG) Teams.
- b. Close monitoring of maritime traffic and weather condition for prompt, sustained and effective implementation of existing command policies, rules and regulations and doctrines.
- c. Continuous monitoring of situation in their respective AOR.
- d. Assets are on standby for deployment.
- e. Deployable Response Groups (DRGs) are placed on standby status 24/7.

#### **Police Regional Office MIMAROPA**

- a. All PNP offices/units remains in full alert status.
- b. Ensure deployment of crowd control components and available assets in areas that may be affected by the activities to ensure safe and secure movement of motorists and pedestrians in respective AORs.

#### **BFP MIMAROPA**

- a. All BFP stations were placed under Red Alert Status.
- b. Assists crowd dispersal units of PNP/BFP.
- c. Ensures the availability of fire truck, EMS ambulance, and rescue team.

### **6. RDRRMC V**

#### **OCD V**

- a. Activated Blue Alert status on 20 September 2017, 6:00 PM.
- b. Issued a Memorandum to RDRRMC Response Agencies and LDRRMCs to conduct precautionary measures.

### **7. RDRRMC VI**

#### **OCD VI**

- a. Activated Blue Alert Status.
- b. Continuous monitoring of AOR

#### **PDRRMCs Aklan, Antique, Capiz, Guimaras and Iloilo / CDRRMCs Bacolod and Iloilo**

- a. On Blue Alert Status.
- b. Continuous monitoring the situation within their respective AOR.

#### **PDRRMC Aklan**

- a. Deployed one (1) team of emergency responders.

#### **PDRRMC Capiz**

- a. Emergency Responders are on standby.
- b. Capiz Emergency Response Team (CERT) was at Roxas City Plaza and the Provincial Capitol.

**PNP Roxas City**

- d. Deployed 28 personnels at the Roxas City Plaza and municipal police stations are on alert and on standby.

**PCG Roxas City**

- a. On alert and on standby for any possible response operations.

**PDRRMC Guimaras**

- a. Five (5) of emergency responders are on standby.

**PDRRMC Iloilo**

- a. One (1) medical team was deployed.

**CDRRMC Bacolod City**

- a. Two (2) ambulances were deployed near the Old City Hall.

**CDRRMC Iloilo City**

- a. Deployed two (2) teams of emergency responders.
- b. In close coordination with PNP Iloilo City.

**BFP Region VI**

- a. BFP Iloilo City deployed one (1) firetruck outside the YMCA Building.
- b. Provincial and municipal fire stations in Capiz are on alert and on standby.

**8. RDRRMC VII**

- Resources on standby for possible deployment in case of any untoward incidents.

**OCD VII**

- a. Information dissemination thru email/Infoblast re Proclamation of National Day of Protest to RDRRMC member Agencies and LGUs.
- b. Monitoring of activities related to the said declaration.
- c. Raised alert status to blue.

**PNP Region VII**

- a. Continuous monitoring of the situation.
- b. Deployed personnel in different protest areas.

**Municipality of Asturias, Cebu**

- a. Emergency Response Operations (ERT) is on standby at MDRRMC Open in observance of National Day of Protest.
- b. ERT members are divided into two teams with four members each.

**Municipality of Cordova, Cebu**

- a. ERT on standby in observance of National Day of Protest.

**Municipality of Amlan, Negros Oriental**

- a. A total of fourteen (14) emergency responders, two (2) ambulances, one (1) mass transport vehicle and two (2) rescue vehicles were on standby.



**Municipality of San Miguel, Bohol**

- a. On standby for monitoring and response.

**Municipality of Enrique Villanueva**

- a. Operations Center on standby for emergency assistance.

**9. RDRRMC VIII**

**OCD VIII**

- a. Closely monitoring the situation.
- b. Coordinated with P/CDRRMOs and RDRRMC stakeholders for updates and actions taken relative to the National Day of Protest.

**PNP-PRO VIII**

- a. All units of the PNP are placed on Full Alert Status.
- b. Prepared the Civil Disturbance Management for any possible deployment.

**DOH VIII**

- a. Raised Code White Alert in response to the National Day of Protest.
- b. Continuous monitoring and reporting of any untoward incident needing health emergency Disaster management in their respective AOR.

**8ID, PA**

- a. Closely monitoring the situation in the region.

**PDRRMC Leyte, Biliran, and Southern Leyte**

- a. Closely monitoring the situation in the region.

**10. RDRRMC X**

**OCD X**

- a. Activated Blue Alert Status
- b. There is no report of any untoward incident.

**11. RDRRMC XI**

**OCD XI**

- a. On Red Alert Status re Martial Law Declaration in Mindanao.
- b. On close monitoring of AOR for any untoward incidents in relation to the National Day of Protest.

**PNP XI**

- a. Deployed personnel to provide security and crowd control to ensure safe and secure movement of pedestrians in relation to National Day of Protests.
- b. Task Force Davao conducted intensified checkpoint procedures in all entry and exit points of Davao City.
- c. Provided security to all rally convergence areas in Davao City.

**12. RDRRMC XII**

**OCD XII**

- a. RDRRMC XII Operations Center activated alert status to BLUE.

- b. OCD XII Operations Center is manned by three (3) groups who will ensure the consolidation, preparation and submission of situational reports to the OCD-Central Office
- c. Regularly provide disaster-related information to all concerned parties including the media (PIA XII), who is primarily involved in information dissemination to keep the public abreast of the situation and the development of the incident.
- d. Monitors and ensures the participation of all agencies with communications and warning capabilities within their AOR.
- e. Reviews directory of different active responders from both government and private agencies.
- f. Ensures the activation of LDRRMCs' Response Operation Plan.
- g. Continuous monitoring of preparedness and response activities of member agencies and LDRRMCs.

#### **DILG XII**

- a. Assists OCD in dissemination of related information and advisories to all LGUs.
- b. Ensures the activation of Region XII Alert Code (AHEWS-EBS Operational Guidelines) at the LGU/Barangay level.

#### **DSWD XII**

- a. With standby fund of ₱5.0M (Quick Response Fund) and 30,000 family packs for distribution.
- b. Field offices have stockpiles and are readily available for augmentation as needed.

#### **DOH XII**

- a. On alert status and activated OpCen.
- b. Prepositioned medicines to all provinces and cities in the region.
- c. Closely monitors all health centers in the region.
- d. Assists OCD in the dissemination of related information and advisories to all local HEMS
- e. **Activated Code White in all retained hospitals, Provincial Health Office (PHOs), and Rural Health Units (RHUs).**

#### **PNP XII**

- a. PPOs and C/MPOs are ready for any possible emergencies.
- b. Provides alert advice on civil disturbances, terrorist acts, insurgencies and other threats.
- c. Maintains peace and order in the areas of convergence.
- d. PPOs and C/MPOs were advised to assist the LDRRMCs in the conduct of evacuation and search and rescue operation.
- e. Assists OCD in the dissemination of related information and advisories to all PPOs and C/MPOs.
- f. **Intensified its entry and exit check points in General Santos City.**

#### **AFP**

- a. 6<sup>th</sup> ID PA and 1002<sup>nd</sup> BDE PA response team on standby for possible deployment.
- b. 512<sup>th</sup> ECB, 52<sup>nd</sup> BDE equipment and crew on standby for deployment.
- c. Provide alert advice on threats to national security and other external threats.



d. 512 Engineering Construction Brigade, Philippine Army (512 ECB, PA) has six (6) Construction Teams on standby.

e. Intensified its entry and exit check points in General Santos City.

#### **PCG**

- a. Provides safety and security for the sea farers.
- b. Secures seaports and coastal areas.

#### **PDRRMCs**

- a. Activation of Disaster Operations Centers.
- b. AHEWS-EBS Operational Guidelines reviewed.
- c. Closely monitors their respective AOR.
- d. PDRRM Council members (PNP, BFP, AFP, Health Office, PSWDO, Engineering Office and responders) are on alert and have prepositioned all resources.
- e. All PDRRM SaR groups with their equipment on standby.
- f. Maintains open communication through handheld radios with all municipalities and barangays to monitor their situation for any untoward incident.
- g. Conducted inventory of assets and resources of PDRRMO.
- h. Continuous coordination with OCD OpCen XII.
- i. **Activated alert status to BLUE.**

#### **CDRRMCs**

- a. Disaster Operation Centers activated.
- b. AHEWS-EBS Operational Guidelines reviewed.
- c. Preparedness Plans and Response Operational Plan were activated.
- d. CDRRMCs' SaR groups with equipment on standby mode.
- e. Cities with Joint Task Force already alerted and on the standby for deployment.
- f. Conducted inventory of assets and resources for mobilization.
- g. Continuous coordination with OCD/RDRRMC OpCen XII.
- h. **Activated alert status to BLUE.**

#### **MDRRMCs**

- a. Emergency Operations Centers and Preparedness Response Plans were activated.
- b. Conducts information dissemination of advisories to all BDRRMCs.
- c. MDRRMCs' SaR groups on standby for deployment.
- d. Continuous coordination with PDRRMC and OCD OpCen XII.
- e. Conducted inventory of assets and resources to MDRRMO.
- f. Continuous coordination with OCD OpCen XII.

### **13. RDRRMC CARAGA**

#### **OCD CARAGA**

- a. Disseminated Memorandum No. 659, s, 2017 dated 20 September 2017 re: Preparedness Measures for the Observance of the National Day of Protest thru email to all PDRRMC Member Agencies and PDRRMC to take precautionary measures for the expected public rallies, marches, demonstrations, and other mass actions in their respective AOR and placed their local responders on standby alert status.
- b. Local DRRMCs were directed to submit updates on the situation within their respective AORs to the RDRRMC Operations Center through sms, fax, or email.

- c. Coordinated with Public Information Agency (PIA) for public information dissemination on precautionary measures for civil protection and public welfare.
- d. In continuous 24/7 monitoring and coordination with the local DRRMCs for situational update.

#### **DILG CARAGA**

- a. Advised all DILG Provincial Offices to be on alert and 24/7 monitoring.

#### **PNP CARAGA**

- a. Provided maximum security coverage and public safety services including road/traffic assistance to ensure the peaceful observance and on standby alert status.

### **14. RDRRMC ARMM**

#### **OCD ARMM**

- a. Coordination with RDRRMC-ARMM/ARMM HEART and LDRRMCs concerned for their respective preparedness program.
- b. Activated the Operations Centers at the regional and local levels to Blue Alert effective 20 September 2017 at 5:00 PM until further notice of downgrading the alert Level.
- c. Establishment of Incident Command Posts (ICPs) if necessary serving at the same time as Public Emergency Assistance Stations by LDRRMCs thru their respective LDRRMOs in the identified public places of concern.
- d. Enhance monitoring for any untoward incidents particularly in the identified public places of concern.
- e. Coordinated with PNP-PRO-ARMM and AFP for security measure established for National Day of Protest 2017.
- f. Coordinated with R/P/MDRRMCs for continuous monitoring and reporting of any incidents thru SMS, facsimile and e-mail.
- g. Continuous monitoring of the situation within the AOR.

#### **Provincial and Municipal DRRMCs**

- a. Rescue groups are on stand-by to respond to any emergency situation.

### **15. RDRRMC CAR**

#### **OCD CAR**

- a. Issued RDDRMC Memorandum No. 25 dated 20 September 2017 raising of alert status of its Emergency Operations Center (EOC) to Blue Alert effective 21 September 2017, 5:00 AM to monitor situations and turns of events for the observance of the National Day of Protest in the region.
- b. Advised all members of the Cordillera RDRRMC and the Local DRRMCs to be on heightened alert by providing standby emergency assistance near protest sites and areas of mass action. Likewise, all were requested to utilize available communications system to ensure timely and effective coordination. The Cordillera RDRRMC reminded everyone to be vigilant.



- c. In close coordination with all the member-agencies especially the AFP and PNP as to the the current situation on major grounds of mass gathering.
- d. Coordinated with all Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (PDRRMCs) in the region on weather status, road conditions, monitored incidents and suspensions of business and private schools.
- e. Advised all LDRRMCs Operations Centers and member-agencies of the regional council to take preparedness and proactive measures.

**503<sup>rd</sup> Brigade, Armed Forces of the Philippines**

- a. Closely monitoring its AOR for appropriate coordination, communication, report development, and possible actions to be taken.
- b. Deployed personnel on the grounds of mass gathering, continuously gathering significant information, and coordinating with the Cordillera RDRRMC EOC.

**PNP-CORDILLERA (PROCOR)**

- a. In normal deployment but in full alert for possible emergency assistance with standby units for crowd management.
- b. Closely monitoring their area of responsibility for appropriate coordination, communication, report development and possible actions to be taken.

**Philippine Information Agency-Cordillera (PIA-CAR)**

- a. Continuously covering/documenting significant events related to the National Day of Protest and other mass gatherings in the Cordillera Administrative Region especially in Baguio City.
- b. Closely monitoring the area of responsibility for appropriate coordination, communication, report development, and possible actions to be taken.

**LDRRMCs Abra, Apayao, Benguet, Baguio City, Ifugao, Kalinga, Mt. Province**

- a. Manning their respective DRRM EOCs and in continuous monitoring of the situation within their respective AORs for appropriate coordination, communication, report development, and possible actions to be taken.
- b. Continuous dissemination of updates on the situation and significant reports to the Cordillera RDRRMC EOC.

**16. RDRRMC NCR**

**OCD NCR**

- a. Coordinated with Chairperson, MMDRRMC re raising the alert status for Metro Manila in connection with Presidential directives.
- b. Placed under BLUE ALERT status as of 5:00 PM, 20 September 2017 to continuously monitor, disseminate information, receive and consolidate reports in relation to the observance of the National Day of Protest.

- c. RD, OCD-NCR requested LGUs of Manila, Quezon City, Makati, and Pasay to advise about possible assembly points in respective AOR prior to any movement towards Luneta. Other LGUs were also requested to report any assembly in their areas.

**Metropolitan Manila Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (MMDRRM) Operations Center, Office of Civil Defense – NCR (OCD-NCR) Operations Center**

- a. Metro Manila DRRM Operations Center was raised to BLUE ALERT status effective 12:00 NN, 20 September 2017.
- b. MMDRRMC member agencies Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (LDRRMCs) of Metro Manila were advised by the MMDRRMC, through OCD-NCR, to provide stand-by emergency assistance near protest sites and areas of mass action and submit preparedness and situation reports to the Office of Civil Defense as MMDRRMC Secretariat.
- c. Continuously monitors and ensures dissemination of update and advisories re Observance of National Day of Protest and Weather Advisories, 24-hour Public Weather Forecasts, to all the MMDRRMC Member Agencies and Local Government Units DRRM Offices through redundant means for information, appropriate action and widest dissemination.

**Philippine Atmospheric, Geophysical and Astronomical Services NCR**

- a. Continuous dissemination of weather forecasts and weather bulletins.

**Department of Social Welfare and Development NCR**

- a. Placed available stockpile and relief goods for augmentation support to LGUs.
- b. Alerted and activated the Region's Quick Response Team Leaders on any eventualities and to immediately prepare/inform their team members.
- c. Informed/advised the Region's Planning Unit Focal Person to schedule staff in preparation for the consolidation of disaster reports to be forwarded to DROMIC.
- d. Advised the Region's Administrative Division to ensure availability and accessibility for the hauling of goods from the warehouse to field office and LGUs, maximize vehicles from the Center/Residential Care Facilities for loading and unloading of goods for distribution of food/non-food packs to LGUs and evacuation centers.

**National Capital Regional Police Office (NCRPO)**

- a. Five (5) Police Districts are on alert.
- b. Crowd Dispersal Management (CDM) are on standby alert status for possible deployment.

**CDRRMC Manila**

- a. Manila DRRMC to implement Emergency Preparedness and Response (EPR) capabilities for the City of Manila. All response unit must be strategically located in the different staging areas or location where rallies will be held.
- b. Coordinated with all stakeholders (Manila Health Dept., BFP, PNP, PCG, DILG-Manila, City Engineering, Department of Public Safety, Affiliated



Volunteer Groups and Army Reservist) to be on standby as part of Manila DRRMO EPR.

- c. Activated Manila Emergency Operation Center (EOC) starting from 1400H, 20 September 2017 until 21 September 2017 midnight and placed the DRRMO to RED ALERT status.
- d. Assigned the DRRMO Coordinators and response units in the following areas:
  1. Espana – three (3) DRRMO Coordinators, one (1) Raha Ambulance, one (1) QC DRRMO Ambulance, and two (2) Red Cross Manila
  2. Plaza Miranda – five (5) DRRMO Coordinators, two (2) Team Network EMS, one (1) Manila Incident Command Unit, two (2) Raha Rescue, one (1) Red Cross, one (1) Ambulance from Ospital ng Tondo, one (1) Ambulance from Jose Abad Santos, and Security Assets from 1304<sup>th</sup> Army Reservist.
  3. US Embassy – four (4) DRRMO Coordinators, one (1) Manila DRRMO Rescue Truck, one (1) Pasay DRRMO Rescue Truck, one (1) Ermita Malate ambulance, one (1) Ospital ng Maynila ambulance, two (2) Red Cross, and one (1) Gat Andres ambulance.
  4. Mendiola (Legarda, Tanduay) – four (4) DRRMO Coordinators, one (1) Red Cross ambulance, one (1) Sta. Ana ambulance, communication asset from Civil Defense Action Group Command Unit, and Security asset from 1304<sup>th</sup> Army Reservist.
  5. B. Bustillos – five (5) DRRMO Coordinators, one (1) Blue Dragon Ambulance, and one (1) Red Cross

#### **CDRRMC Pasay**

- a. To augment efforts of Manila DRRMO.

#### **CDRRMC Quezon**

- a. On standby alert.
- b. QCPD to monitor from QC EOC
- c. Deployed troops on the ground.

#### **CDRRMC San Juan**

- a. Deployed one (1) ambulance stationed in Ortigas to support operations of Mandaluyong CDRRMO.

#### **CDRRMC Caloocan**

- a. Monitored groups converging at Monumento Area.

#### **CDRRMC Navotas**

- a. Standby team augmented Manila DRRMO.

#### **CDRRMC Paranaque**

- a. On alert status.