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

NDRRMC UPDATE

Severe Weather Bulletin No. 07 re Tropical Depression "ODETTE"

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Source: DOST-PAGASA

I. SITUATION OVERVIEW:

Tropical Depression "ODETTE" is now threatening Cagayan Province.

Estimated rainfall amount is from moderate to heavy within the 350 km diameter of the Tropical Depression.

TD "ODETTE" is about to make landfall over the province of Cagayan tonight.

Sea travel remains risky over the seaboards of Northern Luzon due to the Northeasterly surface windflow enhanced by the approaching Tropical Depression.

Location of eye/center	At 7:00 PM today, the center of Tropical Depression "ODETTE" was estimated based on all available data at 200 km East of Aparri, Cagayan (18.4 °N, 123.5 °E).
Strength	Maximum winds of up to 55 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 65 kph.
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move West at 30 kph
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 24 hour (Tomorrow afternoon): 265 km West of Laoag City, Ilocos Norte (18.2°N, 118.1°E)• 48 hour (Saturday afternoon): 720 km West of Laoag City, Ilocos Norte (OUTSIDE PAR) (18.0°N, 113.8°E)• 72 Hour (Sunday afternoon): 1,155 km West of Calayan, Cagayan (OUTSIDE PAR) (19.1°N, 110.5°E)• 96 Hour (Monday afternoon): 1,575 km West of Calayan, Cagayan (OUTSIDE PAR) (20.5°N, 106.5°E)

TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL				
TCWS	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao	Impacts of the Wind
1 (30-60kph expected in 36 hrs)	Batanes, Cagayan including Babuyan group of Islands, Isabela, Apayao, Abra, Kalinga, Mountain Province, Ifugao, Ilocos Norte and Ilocos Sur.			<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 Advisory No. **07** for **Tropical Depression** to all OCD Regional Offices through SMS and facsimile and uploaded in 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.
- The public and DRRM Councils concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next weather bulletin to be issued at **11PM** today.