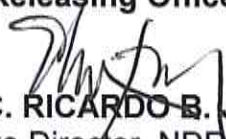




NDRRMC UPDATE

Severe Weather Bulletin No. 27 for Typhoon "VINTA" (TEMBIN)

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Source: DOST-PAGASA

1. SITUATION OVERVIEW:

"VINTA" HAS INTENSIFIED INTO A TYPHOON AS IT APPROACHES THE WESTERN BOUNDARY OF THE PHILIPPINE AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY (PAR).

- **Scattered to widespread moderate to heavy rains** will prevail over Palawan. Residents of these areas must take appropriate actions against **flooding and landslides**, coordinate with their respective local disaster risk reduction and management offices, and continue monitoring for updates.
- **Sea travel remains risky** over the western seaboard of Palawan due to Typhoon.
- **Tropical Cyclone Warning Signal No. 1** over Northern Palawan has been lifted.
- **Expected** to exit the PAR between 5:00 AM and 8:00 AM today.

Location of eye/center	At 4:00 AM today, the eye of Typhoon "VINTA" was located based on all available data at 355 km South Southeast of Pagasa Island, Palawan (8.1°N, 115.4°E)
Strength	Maximum sustained winds of up to 120 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 145 kph.
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move West at 25 kph.
Forecast Positions	24 Hour (Tomorrow morning): 465 km West Southwest of Pagasa Island, Palawan (OUTSIDE PAR) (8.8°N, 110.5°E)

TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL

TCWS	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao	Impacts of the Wind
#1 (30-60 kph Expected in 36 hours)	Southern Palawan	-	-	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very light or no damage to high risk structures. • Light damage to medium to low 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

				<p>damaged.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at 8:00 AM today.				

2. ACTIONS TAKEN:

- NDRRM Operations Center disseminated Severe Weather Advisory No. **27** for **Typhoon "VINTA"** to all OCD Regional Offices through SMS and facsimile and uploaded in the NDRRMC website for further dissemination to their respective local DRRM Councils from the provincial down to the municipal levels.
- The public and DRRM Councils concerned are advised to take appropriate actions.