

NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

NDRRMC ADVISORY

TO : CHAIRPERSON, RDRRMC IX, XI, XII

SUBJECT: Earthquake Information No. 01 in Maasim, Sarangani

DATE: 31 December 2017

Source: PHIVOLCS-DOST

I. Background:

 On 31 December 2017, an earthquake was felt in Maasim, Sarangani with the following details:

Date/Time	10:53:28 PM, 31 December 2017
Location	05.44°N, 124.91°E - 048 km S 14°W of Maasim, Sarangani
Depth of Focus (Km)	002
Origin	TECTONIC
Magnitude	Ms. 5.2
Reported Intensities	Intensity III – General Santos City; Davao City Intensity II – Zamboanga City
Expecting Damage/s	No
Expecting Aftershocks	YES

You are hereby directed to undertake precautionary measures and monitor the situation in your AOR. Likewise, the public and LDRRMCs concerned are advised to take appropriate actions.

In order to better inform/warn communities, you are reminded to disseminate these through local/community leaders and through your local media, including community radio stations. Conduct press briefings as often as needed. This local effort will complement and reinforce efforts at the national level. Emphasis should be on proactive actions – evacuation rather than rescue.

Let's untiringly aim for zero casualties.

Submit report on actions taken.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE CHAIRPERSON, NDRRMC:

Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD