



## NDRRMC UPDATE

### Earthquake Information No. **01** in Mahatao (Batanes)

Releasing Officer:

  
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Source: PHIVOLCS-DOST

#### I. SITUATION OVERVIEW:

- On **26 February 2018**, an earthquake was felt in **Mahatao (Batanes)** with the following details:

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| <b>Date/Time</b>             | 24 Feb 2018 – 06:20:15 AM   |
| <b>Location</b>              | 20.40°N, 121.95°E - 002 km S 03° E of Mahatao (Batanes)                                     |
| <b>Depth of Focus (Km)</b>   | 019   |
| <b>Origin</b>                | TECTONIC  |
| <b>Magnitude</b>             | Ms 3.6  |
| <b>Reported Intensities</b>  | Intensity III – Basco, Batanes<br>Instrumental Intensity:<br>Intensity III – Basco, Batanes |
| <b>Expecting Damage/s</b>    | NO  |
| <b>Expecting Aftershocks</b> | NO  |

#### II. ACTIONS TAKEN:

- NDRRMC Advisory on the earthquake information was disseminated to **OCD REGIONAL OFFICE II** through facsimile, SMS, and website for further dissemination to their respective Local Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (LDRRMCs) from the provincial down to the municipal levels.
- DOST-PHIVOLCS is closely monitoring the situation and any new significant development will be immediately relayed to all concerned.