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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**

**Severe Weather Bulletin No. 02 re  
Tropical Depression "LUIS"**

**Releasing Officer:**

  
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Source: DOST-PAGASA

**SITUATION OVERVIEW:**

TD "LUIS" has slowed down after making a landfall over Southern Taiwan.

TD "LUIS" is not expected to directly affect any part of the country. It may enhance the Southwest Monsoon (Habagat) which will bring scattered moderate to heavy rains in Ilocos region, Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR), Batanes and Babuyan Islands starting tomorrow (August 24). Residents in these areas, especially those living near river channels, in low-lying areas and in mountainous areas, are advised to take appropriate actions against possible flooding and landslides, coordinate with local disaster risk reduction and management offices, and to continue monitoring for updates.

Sea travel is risky in the seaboard of Northern and Central Luzon. At 8:00 PM today, a Low Pressure Area (LPA) was estimated at 1,000 km East of Aparri, Cagayan (18.7°N, 131.1°E). This LPA may developed into a Tropical Depression within 24 to 48 hours.

<b>Location of eye/center:</b>	At 10:00 PM today, the center of <b>Tropical Depression "LUIS"</b> was estimated based on all available data at <b>385 km North Northwest of Basco, Batanes (23.6 °N, 120.4 °E)</b>
<b>Strength:</b>	Maximum sustained winds of <b>55 kph</b> near the center and gustiness of up to <b>90 kph</b>
<b>Forecast Movement:</b>	Moving <b>West</b> at <b>10kph</b>
<b>Forecast Positions:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 24 Hour (Tomorrow evening): <b>540 km North Northwest of Basco, Batanes (OUTSIDE PAR) (25.2°N, 120.9°E)</b></li> <li>• 48 Hour (Saturday evening): <b>870 km Northwest of Basco, Batanes (OUTSIDE PAR) (26.8°N, 117.0°E)</b></li> </ul>
<b>NO TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL</b>	

The public and DRRM Councils concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next update to be incorporated in the **4AM** Public Weather Forecast and in the next Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at **11 AM tomorrow**.

**ACTIONS TAKEN:**

- NDRRM Operations Center disseminated Severe Weather Bulletin No. **02** for **Tropical Depression “LUIS”** 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.
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