

## REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

## NDRRMC UPDATE

Tsunami Information No. 01 (NO TSUNAMI THREAT)

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DATE

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Source: PHIVOLCS-DOST

## I. Background:

A strong earthquake with a preliminary magnitude of **6.8** occurred in **Fiji** Region on **30** September **2018** at **6:52 PM** (Philippine Standard Time) located at 18.3°S, 178.0°W with depth of **591 km**. No destructive tsunami threat exists based on available data.

This is for information purposes only and there is **no tsunami threat** to the Philippines from this earthquake.

## II. ACTIONS TAKEN:

- NDRRMC Advisory on the earthquake information was disseminated to OCD I, II, III, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII, CARAGA, CAR, NCR, and ARMM 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-PHIVCLCS is closely monitoring the situation and any new significant development will be immediately relayed to all concerned.