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

NDRRMC UPDATE

**Incident Monitored covering the period
8:00 AM, 05 January 2019 to 8:00 PM, 05 January 2019**

Releasing Officer:


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DATE : 05 January 2019

Source: OCDRO VIII

Initial Report re Fire Incident in Catbalogan City, Samar

A. Situation Overview:

- On or about 12:35 AM, 02 January 2019, a fire incident occurred in Purok I, Barangay 6, Pier I, Curry Avenue, Catbalogan City, Samar. The fire involved a business establishment. It was declared fire out at 02:50 AM by BFP Catbalogan. As of this report, the cause of fire was not yet determined.

B. Effects:

- A total of **87** families or **282** individuals were affected.
- There were **87** damaged houses (**75 – totally; 12 – partially**)
- Total estimated cost of damage is Php 8,000,000.00.

C. Actions Taken:

- **LGU, Catbalogan City, extended assistance to the fire victims a total of Php 40,800.00**
- BFP Catbalogan responded to the fire incident.
- CSWDO Catbalogan conducted an assessment of the extent of the damage, needs of displaced families, and determined the number of affected families.
- DROMIC Focal Person gathered data and are coordinated with DRMD-PDO.
- DSWD Regional Resource Operation Section are alerted to ensure the readiness of dispatching the food and non-food commodities whenever needed for augmentation.
- **DSWD field Office VIII through Provincial Action Team conducted relief operations dated 05 January 2019**
- CDRRMC Catbalogan coordinated with the BFP Catbalogan.
- OCD Regional Office coordinated with CDRRMO Catbalogan.
- **OCD Regional Office provide vehicle to transport relief items from DSWD RO8 to Catbalogan City**
- Progress Report to follow.