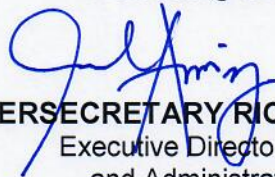




NDRRMC UPDATE

**Severe Weather Bulletin No. 1
 for Tropical Storm "BETTY" (I.N. WUTIP)**

Releasing Officer:

for 
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 Executive Director, NDRRMC
 and Administrator, OCD

DATE : 28 February 2019, 5:00 PM

Source: DOST-PAGASA

TROPICAL STORM WUTIP IS ABOUT TO ENTER THE PHILIPPINE AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY (PAR) AND IT WILL BE NAMED "BETTY".

- The tropical storm poses no direct threat to any part of the country.

Location of eye/center:	At 4:00 PM today, the center of Tropical Storm "WUTIP" was estimated based on all available data at 1,430 km East of Tuguegarao City, Cagayan (OUTSIDE PAR) (17.6 °N, 135.2 °E)
Strength:	Maximum sustained winds of 65 km/h near the center and gustiness of up to 80 km/h
Movement:	Moving West Northwest at 25 km/h
Forecast Positions:	24 Hour (<i>Tomorrow afternoon</i>): 1,265 km East of Aparri, Cagayan (19.1°N, 133.6°E)
NO TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL	
The public and the disaster risk reduction and management council concerned are advised to take appropriate actions and watch for the next Severe Weather Bulletin to be issued at 11 PM today.	

ACTIONS TAKEN:

NDRRM Operations Center disseminated Severe Weather Advisory No. 1 for Tropical Storm "BETTY" to all OCD Regional Offices through SMS and facsimile and uploaded in the NDRRMC website for further dissemination to their respective local DRRMCs from the provincial down to the municipal levels.