

NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

NDRRMC UPDATE

Earthquake Information No. 02 regarding Ms 5.6 Magnitude in Alabel (Sarangani)

Releasing Officer:

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DATE

16 March 2019

Source: DOST-PHIVOLCS

A. Situation Overview

On 16 March 2019, an earthquake occurred in Alabel (Sarangani) with the following details:

Date/Time	16 Mar 2019 - 07:07:54 AM
Location	06.13°N, 125.36°E - 010 km N 65° E of Alabel (Sarangani)
Depth of Focus (Km)	096
Origin	TECTONIC
Magnitude	Ms 5.6
Expecting Damage	NO
Expecting Aftershocks	Yes

B. Effects

- No reported damage or incident relative to the earthquake as of this reporting time.
- Reported Intensities:

Intensity V - Koronadal City; Malungon, Sarangani

Intensity IV - Alabel, Malapatan & Kiamba Sarangani; General Santos City and Tupi, South Cotabato

Intensity III - Davao City; Glan, Sarangani; Tacurong City, Sultan Kudarat

Intensity II - Kidapawan City; Makilala & Magpet, North Cotabato

Intensity I - Cagayan De Oro City

Instrumental Intensities:

Intensity V - Alabel, Sarangani; General Santos City, South Cotabato

Intensity IV - Kiamba, Saranggani

Intensity III - T'Boli, South Cotabato; Davao City

Intensity II - Kidapawan City

Intensity I - Zamboanga City

C. Actions Taken

- NDRRMC Advisory on the earthquake information was disseminated to OCDROs IX, X, XI and XII 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