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NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL
National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Center, Camp Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

NDRRMC ADVISORY

TO : Chairpersons, RDRRMC I, II, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, V, & VIII
FROM : Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD
SUBJECT : Gale Warning No. **05** for Strong to Gale Force Winds Associated with the Surge of the Northeast Monsoon

Date : **28 March 2017**

Source: PAGASA-Marine Meteorological Services Section, Weather Division

Strong to gale force winds is expected to affect the following areas:

SEABOARDS	WEATHER	WIND FORCE (KPH / KNOTS)	SEA CONDITION	WAVE HEIGHT (meters)
The Northern Seaboard of Northern Luzon (Batanes, Calayan, Babuyan, Northern coast of Cagayan and Northern coast of Ilocos Norte)	Partly cloudy to cloudy skies with isolated light rains	(52-63) / (28-34)	Rough to very rough	3.4 - 4.5
THE WESTERN AND EASTERN SEABOARDS OF SOUTHERN LUZON AND THE NORTHERN AND EASTERN SEABOARDS OF SAMAR PROVINCES (Cuyo Island, Coron Island, Southern coast of Mindoro provinces, Eastern coast of Quezon including Polillo Island, Camarines provinces, Catanduanes, Eastern coast of Albay, Eastern coast of Sorsogon, Northern and eastern coast of Northern Samar and Eastern coast of Eastern Samar)	Partly cloudy to cloudy skies with isolated rainshowers or thunderstorms	(52 - 63) / (28 - 34)	ROUGH TO VERY ROUGH	3.4 TO 4.5

Fishing boats and other small seacraft are advised not to venture out into the sea while larger sea vessels are alerted against big waves.

You are hereby directed to undertake precautionary measures and monitor the situation in your AOR. Likewise, the public and Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Councils (DRRMCs) concerned are advised to take precautions and appropriate actions.

In order to better inform/warn communities, you are reminded to disseminate these through local/community leaders and through your local media, including community radio stations. Conduct press briefings as often as needed. This local effort will complement and reinforce efforts at the national level. Emphasis should be on proactive actions—evacuation rather than rescue.

Let's untiringly aim for zero casualties.

Submit report on actions taken.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE CHAIRPERSON, NDRRMC:


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