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

NDRRMC UPDATE

**Incident Monitored covering the Period of
04 February 2020, 5:00 PM to 05 February 2020, 8:00 AM**

Releasing Officer:


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Executive Director, NDRRMC and
Administrator, OCD

DATE: 05 February 2020

Source: OCDRO XI

Initial Report regarding the Suspected Case of African Swine Fever in Davao Region (Region XI)

I. SITUATION OVERVIEW

- On or about 28 January 2020, the Department of Agriculture (DA) XI received report from the Office of the Provincial Veterinarian of Davao Occidental on disease incident causing the death of more or less 1,000 heads of swine at Barangays Linadasan, North Lamidian, South Lamidian, Calian, Mabuhay, Lawa, Nueva Villa, and Baluntaya, all situated in the Municipality of Don Marcelino, Davao Occidental. Thus, requesting for technical assistance for validation, monitoring and diagnosis on the cause of swine deaths.
- There is currently an on-going investigation being conducted by the DA XI to determine how and where the disease started and to validate the effects of the same on livelihood.

II. ACTIONS TAKEN

OCD-RDDRM XI

- Attended the special meeting of DA Region XI regarding updates on swine deaths in Don Marcelino, Davao Occidental last 03 February 2020.
- Issued RDRRMC XI Memorandum dated 31 January 2020 on the Activation of Regional Animal Disease Task Force.

Department of Agriculture XI

- Conducted special meeting on 03 February 2020 regarding updates on swine deaths in Don Marcelino, Davao Occidental.

- Conducted emergency meetings with LGUs and other coordinating agencies for the update on the reported disease incident last 31 January 2020.
 - Submitted samples to DA-RFO XII Regional Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory (RADDL) for differential diagnostics for CSF and ASFF (PCR) on 30 January 2020.
 - Deployed Quick Response Team on 29 January 2020 to Don Marcelino, Davao Occidental to validate the information and conducted disease investigation and sample collection; Recommended the establishment of strict animal quarantine procedures in the entry and exit points of the municipality, biosecurity procedures and IEC.
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