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FROM : Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD

SUBJECT : Severe Weather Bulletin No. **11** for **Typhoon
"AMBO"**

DATE : **14 May 2020, 5:00 AM**

Source: DOST-PAGASA

"AMBO" FURTHER INTENSIFIES AND IS MOVING CLOSER TO NORTHERN SAMAR.

Heavy Rainfall Outlook:

- **Today (14 May): Heavy to intense with at times torrential rains** over **Samar Provinces. Moderate to heavy with at times intense rains** over Sorsogon, Albay, Catanduanes, Masbate, and the rest of Eastern Visayas.
- **Tomorrow (15 May): Heavy to intense with at times torrential rains** over Bicol Region. **Moderate to heavy with at times intense rains** over Northern Samar. **Quezon, Aurora, Marinduque, and Romblon.**
- Residents in these areas are advised to take appropriate measures, coordinate with local disaster risk reduction and management offices, and continue monitoring for updates, especially the local rainfall or thunderstorm advisories and heavy rainfall warnings from PAGASA Regional Services Divisions (PRSD). **Flooding and rain-induced landslides may occur in highly to very highly susceptible areas during heavy or prolonged rainfall.**

Coastal Water Conditions and Storm Surge Information:

- **In the next 48 hours, storm surge of 1.0 to 3.0 meters may be experienced over the coastal areas of Northern Samar, Eastern Samar (east coast), Samar (west coast), Sorsogon, Albay, Catanduanes, Camarines Sur, Camarines Norte, Quezon, and Aurora. Along with large swells, this storm surge may cause potentially life-threatening coastal inundation.**
- **Sea travel is risky for all types of seacrafts over the seaboard of areas under TCWS.**

Landfall information:

- **The typhoon is forecast to make landfall over the northeastern portion of Northern Samar this afternoon or early evening before heading towards Sorsogon later tonight. Violent winds and heavy to torrential rains of the**

eyewall region may begin affecting Northern Samar and the northern portions of Samar and Eastern Samar within 12 hours.

- Further intensification remains likely before the typhoon makes landfall.

Location of eye/center:	At 4:00 AM today, the center of Typhoon “AMBO” was located based on all available data including those from Guiuan Doppler Radar at 230 km East of Catarman, Northern Samar (12.1°N, 126.7°E).			
Strength:	Maximum sustained winds of 150 km/h near the center and gustiness of up to 185 km/h .			
Movement:	Moving West at 15 km/h .			
Forecast Positions:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 24 Hour (Tomorrow morning): In the vicinity of Guinobatan, Albay (13.2°N, 123.6°E)• 48 Hour (Saturday morning): In the vicinity of Carranglan, Nueva Ecija (16.1°N, 121°E)• 72 Hour (Sunday morning): 30 km West of Calayan, Cagayan (19.3°N, 121.2°E)• 96 Hour (Monday morning): 485 km Northeast of Basco, Batanes (23.4°N, 125.4°E)• 120 Hour Tuesday morning): 1,815 km Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (30.0°N, 136.6°E)			
TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND SIGNAL				
TCWS	Luzon	Visayas	Mindanao	Impacts of the wind
3 (121-170 km/h winds prevailing or expected in 18 hours)		Northern Samar, the northern portion of Eastern Samar (Jipapad, Arteche, Maslog,		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Heavy damage to high-risk structures;• Moderate damage to medium-risk structures;• Light damage to low risk structures• There may be widespread
		Dolores, Oras, San Policarpio, Can-avid, Taft), and the northern portion of Samar (Calbayog City, Sta. Margarita, Gandara, Pagsanghan, San Jorge, Matuguinao, San Jose de Buan)		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• disruption of electrical power and communication services.• Almost all banana plants are downed.• Some big trees (acacia, mango, etc.) are broken or uprooted.• Dwarf-type or hybrid coconut trees are tilted or downed.• Rice and corn crops may suffer heavy losses.• Damage to shrubbery

				and trees with foliage blown off; some large trees blown down
	Areas under TCWS No. 3 will experience strong to destructive typhoon-force winds during the passage of the typhoon.			
	Catanduanes, the eastern portion of Camarines Sur (Siruma, Tinambac, Goa, Lagonoy, San Jose, Garchitorena, Presentacion, Caramoan, Calabanga, Bombon, Magarao, Canaman, Camaligan, Gainza, Pamplona, Naga City, Milaor, San Fernando, Minalabac, Pili, Ocampo, Tigaon, Bula, Baao, Sagñay, Iriga City, Buhi, Nabua, Balatan, Bato) and Ticao Islands (San Pascual, Claveria, Monreal, San Jacinto, San Fernando, Batuan, Aroroy, Baleno, Masbate City, Mobo, Uson, Dimasalang, Palanas, Cataingan, Pio V. Corpuz)	The central portion of Samar (Tarangnan, Catbalogan City, Jiabong, Motiong, Paranas, San Sebastian, Hinabangan, Tagapul-an, Almagro, Sto. Niño) and the central portion of Eastern Samar (Sulat, San Julian, Borongan City, Maydolong)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Light to Moderate damage to high risk structures; • Very light to light damage to medium-risk structures; • No damage to very light damage to low risk structures • Most banana plants, a few mango trees, ipil-ipil and similar types of trees are downed or broken. • Some coconut trees may be tilted with few others broken. • Rice and corn may be adversely affected. • Considerable damage to shrubbery and trees with some heavyfoliated trees blown down.
2 (61-120 km/h winds prevailing or expected in 24 hours)				

Areas under TCWS No. 2 will experience strong to damaging gale/storm-force winds during the passage of the typhoon.				
		Biliran, the rest of Samar, the rest of Eastern Samar, and the northern portion of Leyte (Calubian, San Isidro, Tabango, Villaba, Leyte, Kananga, Capoocan, Carigara, Barugo, San Miguel, Babatngon, Tunga, Jaro, Alangalang, Sta. Fe, Tacloban City, Palo, Pastrana, Dagami, Tabontabon, Tanauan, Tolosa)		<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Very light or no damage to low risk structures• Light damage to medium to high risk structures
1 (30-60 km/h winds prevailing or expected in 36 hours)	Cavite, Laguna, Batangas, Rizal, Quezon, Marinduque, the eastern portion of Romblon (Banton, Corcuera, Romblon, Magdiwang, Cajidiocan, San Fernando)		-	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Slight damage to some houses of very light materials or makeshift structures in exposed communities. Some banana plants are tilted, a few downed and leaves are generally damaged• Twigs of small tress may be broken• Rice crops, however, may suffer significant damage when it is in its flowering stage.
Areas under TCWS No. 1 will experience strong to near gale-force winds during the passage of the typhoon				
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 8:00 AM today.				


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.

Moreover, you are hereby directed to reiterate the guidelines on personal protection and hygiene such as respiratory etiquette and hand hygiene, social distancing, environmental, and food safety measures.

Let's untiringly aim for zero casualty.

Submit report on actions taken.

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