



NDRRMC ADVISORY

TO : CHAIRPERSONS, RDRRMCs/OCDROs I, II, III, CALABARZON, MIMAROPA, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XI, XII, CARAGA, BARMM, CAR and NCR

FROM : Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD

SUBJECT : Weather Advisory No. **03** for the Low Pressure Area (LPA)

DATE : 21 August 2020, 11:00 AM

Source: PAGASA-DOST

I. SITUATION OVERVIEW:

At **10:00 AM today**, the Low Pressure Area (LPA) was estimated based on all available data at **55 km East of Basco, Batanes (20.5 °N, 122.5 °E)**. This LPA may develop into a tropical depression in the next 24 hours. The Public and Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Offices (LDRRMOs) concerned are advised to continue monitoring for updates regarding the potential development of this weather disturbance.

Rainfall Forecast: Today, the LPA and Southwest Monsoon will bring light to moderate with at times heavy rains over Cagayan Valley, **Ilocos Region, Zambales, Bataan, Cavite, Batangas, Mindoro provinces, and northern Palawan**. Scattered rains and thunderstorms may prevail over the rest of Luzon.

Flooding and rain-induced landslide may occur during heavy or prolonged rainfall especially in areas that are highly or very highly susceptible to these hazards. The public and local disaster risk reduction and management offices concerned are advised to monitor the Rainfall/Thunderstorm Advisories and Heavy Rainfall Warnings from PAGASA Regional Services Divisions and take appropriate measures.

The next update on this weather disturbance will be incorporated in the Public Weather Forecast at **4:00 PM today and 4:00 AM tomorrow**.

The next weather advisory will be issued at 11:00 AM tomorrow.

You are hereby directed to monitor the situation and undertake precautionary measures in your area of responsibility (AOR). Likewise, the public and the DRRMCs are advised to take appropriate actions as necessary.

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 casualties.

Submit report on actions taken.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE CHAIRPERSON, NDRRMC:

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