



## NDRRMC ADVISORY

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

**FROM :** Executive Director, NDRRMC and Administrator, OCD

**SUBJECT :** Severe Weather Bulletin No. **04 (FINAL)** for **Severe Tropical Storm "IGME"**

**DATE :** **22 August 2020, 11:00 PM**

Source: DOST-PAGASA

### **SEVERE TROPICAL STORM "IGME" IS NOW OUTSIDE THE PHILIPPINE AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY (PAR).**

#### **Track and intensity outlook:**

- **"IGME" left the PAR at 7:00 PM today. While over the East China Sea, it is forecast to move generally northeastward tonight through tomorrow, then turn northward on Monday before shifting slightly northwestward on Tuesday. It is generally heading towards the Korean Peninsula.**
- **This tropical cyclone will continuously intensify in the next couple of days. It is forecast to reach typhoon category within 24 hours.**

#### **Hazards affecting land:**

- **No tropical cyclone wind signal is currently in effect. However, intermittent gusts may be experienced over Batanes and Babuyan Islands due to the Southwest Monsoon slightly enhanced by "IGME".**
- **Tonight through tomorrow evening, the Southwest Monsoon will bring light to moderate with at times heavy rains over Batanes, Babuyan Islands, and Ilocos Region.**
- **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.**

#### **Hazards affecting coastal waters:**

- **A Gale Warning is in effect for the seaboard of Batanes. Sea travel is risky due to rough to very rough seas (2.8 to 4.0 m)**
- **Those with small seacrafts are advised to take precaution when venturing out over the northern and western seaboard of Northern Luzon due to moderate to rough seas (northern: 1.2 to 3.1 m, western: 1.2 to 2.8 m).**

<b>Location of eye/center:</b>	At <b>10:00 PM</b> today, the center of <b>Severe Tropical Storm "IGME"</b> was estimated based on all available data at <b>585 km North Northeast of Basco, Batanes (OUTSIDE PAR) (25.5°N, 123.6°E).</b>
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<b>Strength:</b>	Maximum sustained winds of up to <b>100 km/h</b> near the center and gustiness of up to <b>125 km/h</b> .
<b>Movement:</b>	Moving <b>Northwestward</b> at <b>10 km/h</b> .
<b>Forecast Positions:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 24 Hour (<b>Tomorrow evening</b>): <b>785 km North Northeast of Basco, Batanes (OUTSIDE PAR) (26.8°N, 125.3°E)</b></li> <li>• 48 Hour (<b>Monday evening</b>): <b>995 km North Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (28.4°N, 126.5°E)</b></li> <li>• 72 Hour (<b>Tuesday evening</b>): <b>1,155 km North Northeast of Extreme Northern Luzon (OUTSIDE PAR) (30.2°N, 125.9°E)</b></li> </ul>
<b>NO TROPICAL CYCLONE WIND SIGNAL</b>	
<b>With this development and unless re-entry occurs, this is the final bulletin for this weather disturbance.</b>	

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.

**BY AUTHORITY OF THE CHAIRPERSON, NDRRMC:**

  
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