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NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

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

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TO

ALL CONCERNED **NDRRMC** MEMBER-AGENCIES.

REGIONAL DRRM COUNCILS, and OCD PERSONNEL

SUBJECT

Downgrading of the NDRRMOC Alert Status from **EMERGENCY CONDITION (BLUE) to NORMAL CONDITION**

(WHITE) Effective November 06, 2023

The Barangay and Sangguniang Kabataan Elections (BSKE), which took place on October 31, 2023, and the observance of Undas 2023 from November 1 to 2, 2023 has concluded. Throughout the monitoring period in the NDRRMOC, there were no significant incidents or occurrences as the overall situation no longer requires national intervention and monitoring. However, considering the extended non-working days leading up to it, it is advisable to maintain the current weekly duty schedule to ensure uninterrupted reporting and vigilant monitoring throughout the weekend.

Meanwhile, in light of the ongoing Mayon Volcano activity, which remains at Alert Level 3 (Extension of Danger Zone in the sector where the crater rim is low will be considered), the PDRRMC-APSEMO has issued Advisory 17 - 2023 re Decampment of Evacuees from the 6-km Radius Permanent Danger Zone. Thus, the Albay Province Governor and PDRRMC Chairperson directed all concerned Local Chief Executives (LCEs) to decamp their respective evacuees immediately. Likewise, the OCD Regional Office / RDRRMC V has formally communicated with the Operations Service through a GMF, indicating the postponement of Human Resource Augmentation for Mayon. This recommendation is based on the assessment that the regional situation is manageable, and no additional coordination at the national level is deemed necessary at this time.

In light of the foregoing, the NDRRMOC shall function as a regular office with a skeletal duty but shall continue and perform monitoring of situations, coordination, reporting, and information dissemination. Hence, the NDRRMOC Alert Status is downgraded from EMERGENCY CONDITION (BLUE) to NORMAL CONDITION (WHITE) effective November 6, 2023 (Monday) ICOW with the above-mentioned events. Accordingly, the Detailed Duty Officers from PCG, AFP, PNP, and BFP may now return to their respective units.

However, concerned NDRRMC Member-Agencies and Regional DRRMCs are still required to continue monitoring and to submit updates to the NDRRMOC thru the NDRRMC Monitoring Dashboard, email address: ndrrmoc@ocd.gov.ph, telephone nrs.: 8912-5668, 912-3046; and/or facsimile nr.: 8911-1873.

For guidance and compliance.

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