

## REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

## NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

BAGONG PILIPINAS

Camp General Emilio Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

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TO

ALL CONCERNED NDRRMC MEMBER-AGENCIES AND

**REGIONAL DRRM COUNCILS** 

SUBJECT

Maintaining of the National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Operations Center (NDRRMOC) Alert Status to RED ICOW the TROPICAL CYCLONE "LEON" and

**UNDAS 2024** 

Based on DOST-PAGASA Tropical Cyclone Bulletin No. 3, Tropical Storm "LEON" (KONG-REY) was estimated at 1,075 km east of Central Luzon (16.6°N, 132.2°E) with maximum sustained winds of 65 km/h near the center, gustiness of up to 80 km/h, and central pressure of 994 hPa. Its present movement is westward at 30 km/h. This tropical cyclone is expected to gradually intensify in the next 24 hours and may reach severe tropical storm category tomorrow and typhoon category on Tuesday. This tropical cyclone may also undergo rapid intensification.

Furthermore, each year, Filipinos observe All Saints' Day and All Souls' Day on 1 and 2 November 2024, paying homage to deceased loved ones. Locally referred to as "Undas," this solemn tradition draws millions, who are expected to return to their home provinces and gather in cemeteries nationwide to commemorate Undas 2024.

In this regard, the following measures shall be implemented:

a. Maintaining of the Alert Status of the NDRRMOC to RED ICOW Tropical Cyclone "LEON" effective 28 October 2024 and the celebration of Undas 2024 effective 30 October 2024.

b. Detailed Duty Officers (DDOs) from AFP, BFP, PCG, PNP, and respective technical staff from DOST-PAGASA, DILG, DSWD, DA, DPWH, DepEd, DOH, PIA, DOTR, DOTR-PPA, MMDA, and DOE are required to continue their in-person duty at the NDRRMOC.

Likewise, all NDRRMC Member-Agencies and RDRRMCs are required to continue monitoring their respective AORs and to send updates to NDRRMOC thru the **NDRRMC Monitoring Dashboard**, email address: <a href="mailto:ndrmoc@ocd.gov.ph">ndrmoc@ocd.gov.ph</a>, telephone nrs.: 8912-5668, 8912-3046; and/or facsimile nr.: 8911-1873.

For guidance and compliance.

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