



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
**NATIONAL DISASTER RISK REDUCTION AND MANAGEMENT COUNCIL**

Camp General Emilio Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines



**MEMORANDUM**

No. 107, s. 2025

02 MAY 2025

FOR : **PCG, BFAR, DILG, DENR-NAMRIA,  
RDRRMC MIMAROPA**

SUBJECT : **ADVISORY ON ROCKET LAUNCH OF THE LONG  
MARCH 12 BY THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA**

*Source: Philippine Space Agency (PhilSA)*

**I. LONG MARCH 12**

The People's Republic of China is scheduled to launch the Long March 12 from the Hainan International Commercial Launch Center in Wenchang, Hainan sometime between 1857H- 1947H PhST on 05 May 2025. Parts of this Long March 12 rocket are expected to drop within the identified drop zone which is approximately 21 NM away from Puerto Princesa, Palawan, and 20 NM away from Tubbataha Reef Natural Park.

**The estimated drop zone coordinates and summary of information are as follows:**

<b>DROP ZONE 1</b>
<b>N09 31 48 E119 03 36</b>
<b>N09 39 00 E119 13 12</b>
<b>N09 36 24 E119 19 48</b>
<b>N09 07 48 E119 43 48</b>
<b>N08 56 24 E119 28 12</b>
<b>N09 26 24 E119 04 12</b>

In this connection, the following actions are recommended related to Marine Access out of an abundance of caution between the abovementioned dates:

- PCG, BFAR, DILG, and DENR-NAMRIA** are advised to consider temporary restrictions and the issuance of Notice to Mariners, Coastal Navigational Warnings or NAVAREA XI warnings, as applicable, in the identified drop zones.
- Concerned **RDRRMC MIMAROPA** is required to continue monitoring and submit updates on this event.

PhilSA cautions everyone against retrieving or coming in close proximity to these materials to minimize risk from remnants of toxic substances such as rocket fuel. Personnel protective equipment (PPE) is recommended when contact with the debris is necessary.

The public is advised to immediately inform local authorities of any suspected debris sighted at sea or land.

For guidance and strict compliance.

By authority of the Executive Director, NDRRMC:

  
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