



NATIONAL DISASTER COORDINATING COUNCIL

National Disaster Management Center, Camp Gen. Emilio Aguinaldo, Quezon City, Philippines

NDCC UPDATE

Incidents Monitored from May 26-28, 2010: Flashflood in Sultan Kudarat, Maguindanao; Family Fued in Datu Montawal and Sultan Sabarungis, Maguindanao; and Landslide Incident in Tuba, Benguet

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References: OCDRC XII and CAR

I. Flashflood in Sultan Kudarat, Maguindanao

A. Situation Overview

- ❖ A flashflood occurred in Sultan Kudarat, Maguindanao on May 26, 2010 due to heavy rains
- ❖ More or less **47,552 persons** or **9,388 families** were affected in Brgys Bulalo, Salimbao, Limbo, Gang, Calsada, Banubo, Katuli, Macaguiling, Mulaog and Senditan
- ❖ Fifteen (15) houses were totally damaged
- ❖ A total of 840 meter span and 7.5 km span of farm-to-market road (FMR) were damaged and **39 hectares** of farmland planted with vegetables, peanuts and corn were heavily damaged
- ❖ On 28 May 2010, at about 10:00 PM affected families evacuated to Dawa Center, Simuay for their safety. However, on the morning of 29 May 2010 evacuees returned to their houses after the flashflood subsided. There was no report of major displacement and nor casualty reported

B. Actions Taken

- ❖ MDCC Sultan Kudarat (SK) team immediately conducted damage and needs assessment to determine the extent of damages after which an emergency meeting followed to discuss the assessment of the team
- ❖ Other matters discussed in the meeting were the following: facilities and equipage needed by the emergency response units of PNP-SK, DSWD-SK, DOH-SK and 33 IB (PA) and other emergency preparedness and response measures; strategies and SAR trainings; establishment of early warning system (EWS) identification of evacuation centers, formulation of evacuation plan and protocols; and establishment of incident command post (ICP) near the approach of Quirino Bridge in Brgy Bulalo

- ❖ The MDCC extended relief assistance to the evacuees
- ❖ OCD XII, ARMM, RDCC, MDCC and response units are on standby for possible rescue and evacuation if heavy rain will continue and floodwaters will rise to critical levels

II. IDP Situation due to Family Fued in Maguindanao

A. Situation Overview

- ❖ As per assessment of DSWD in Maguindano, 468 families or 2,531 persons were affected as a result of the two (2) incidents which occurred on May 16, 2010 (election-related) in Barangay Bulod, Datu Montawal and on May 21, 2010 in Brgy Kolambog, Sultan Sabarungis (SSB) with 170 houses burned
- ❖ These IDPs are currently staying outside the municipal government buildings in Datu Montawal and SSB
- ❖ They have been served by DSWD-Maguindanao and were provided with relief assistance
- ❖ Health and other medical needs are still being assessed by local DOH concerned
- ❖ PNP-Maguindanao reported that there were 14 casualties reported (5 dead and 9 wounded) all combatants as a result of family fued involving local MILF Commanders (Badi-Sali and Abusamin Sempal) in SSB

B. Actions Taken

- ❖ The International "ceasefire" Monitoring Team (IMT) and the MILF high command are already intervening to resolve the issue of these warring MILF sides over control/ownership of parcel of land in the area
- ❖ Security measures have already been tightened by 33 IB PA in the entire SSB
- ❖ The burned houses in Datu Montawal and SSB are still subject for further validation by the RDCC-ARMM.

III. Landslide in Tuba, Benguet

A. Situation Overview

- ❖ The overnight continues heavy rains triggered a landslide incident along Brgy Atap, Sto Tomas, Tuba, Benguet on May 27, 2010 at 3:45 AM
- ❖ Four (4) persons suffered minor injury identified as: Ricardo Villanueva, Maricel Villanueva, Rodolfo Bustarde and Lorna Bustarde
- ❖ Two (2) story residential structures were partially damaged

B. Actions Taken

- ❖ PNP Station 10 in Baguio City and the Baguio City Emergency Medical Services have responded to the incident
- ❖ All injured victims were transported to Baguio General Hospital and Medical Center (BGHMC) for medical treatment
- ❖ PNP advised neighboring residents to temporarily vacate their houses for precautionary measures