



NDRRMC UPDATE

Severe Weather Bulletin No. 08 re Tropical Depression "KIKO"

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I. SITUATION OVERVIEW

Tropical Depression "KIKO" has intensified and slowed down as it continues to traverse Balintang Channel.

- Estimated rainfall amount is from moderate to heavy within the 250 km diameter of the Tropical Depression.
- Expected to exit PAR **late evening today or tomorrow early morning**.
- Fisherfolks and those with small seacrafts are advised not to venture out over the Northern seaboard of Northern Luzon due to Tropical Depression "KIKO".
- Tropical Depression Kiko is expected to intensify into a Tropical Storm within 24 hours.
- All tropical cyclone warning signals elsewhere are now lifted.

Location of Eye/Center	At 10:00 AM today, the center of Tropical Depression "KIKO" was estimated based on all available data at 115 km West of Basco, Batanes (20.6 °N, 120.9 °E)
Strength	Maximum winds of up to 60 kph near the center and gustiness of up to 70 kph .
Forecast Movement	Forecast to move Northwest at 10 kph
Forecast Positions	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 24 Hour (Tomorrow morning): 370 km Northwest of Basco, Batanes (OUTSIDE PAR) (22.9°N, 119.6°E)• 48 Hour (Friday morning): 645 km Northwest of Basco, Batanes (OUTSIDE PAR) (25.0°N, 118.1°E)• 72 Hour (Saturday morning): 860 km North of Basco, Batanes (OUTSIDE PAR) (28.1°N, 121.0°E)
NO TROPICAL CYCLONE WARNING SIGNAL	

II. ACTIONS TAKEN

- NDRRM Operations Center disseminated **Severe Weather Bulletin No. 08 for Tropical Depression “KIKO”** to all OCD Regional Offices through SMS and facsimile and uploaded on the NDRRM website for further dissemination to their respective local DRRMCs from the provincial down to the municipal levels.
 - Directed concerned Regional and Local DRRMCs to undertake the necessary preparedness measures and possible response actions.
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