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SUBJECT **: Situational Report re: Fire Incident in Butuan City**

DATE **: July 30, 2018**

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Around 12:20 in the afternoon, last July 28, 2018, a fire broke out in Purok 8, Brgy. Obrero Butuan City, which razed down 83 houses leaving 83 families or 402 individuals to take temporary shelter in Brgy. Obrero Covered Court.

Based on the assessment conducted by the Bureau of Fire Protection – Butuan City Station, the fire started in the house of Ms. Lucia Cabalo, which easily spread to the nearby houses due to the light materials that were used for housing and the presence of strong wind during the time of the incident.

On that day, the Local Government Unit (LGU) of Butuan City through the City Social Welfare and Development Office and the City Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office has conducted relief operation to the affected families. Each families received food and non-food items consisting of 6 kilos rice, 3 tin cans corned beef, 1 blanket, 1 mat, 1 mosquito net, 1 kettle, 4 liters drinking water, 6 pcs. spoon, 6 pcs fork, 6 pcs glass, and 6 pcs plate.

*Source: CSWDO Butuan City*

On the other hand, Philippine Red Cross Butuan City also conducted relief distribution to the displaced families. 80 families received a food pack consisting of 5 kilos rice, 5 canned goods, 5 and packs noodles with a total amount of Php27,500.00

*Source: Philippine Red Cross Butuan City*

DSWD Field Office Caraga is ready to provide augmentation assistance to support the daily needs of the families displaced once a letter request coming from the LGU is received.

The Field Office through the Disaster Response Management Division (DRMD) in close coordination with the CSWDO and CDRRMO will continue monitor the situation in order to provide the Central Office with more updates.

For your information and ready reference.

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