



**Tsunami Information No.: 1**  
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## **ADVISORY**

### **No Tsunami Threat**

A strong distant earthquake with a preliminary magnitude of **7.5** occurred in **New Ireland Region Papua New Guinea** on **2015 May 05** at **09:44 AM** (Philippine Standard Time) located at **5.6 °S, 152.1 °E** with a depth of **10 km**. No destructive Pacific-wide threat exists based on the historical and tsunami data. However, earthquakes of this size sometimes generate local tsunamis that can be destructive along coast located within a hundred kilometers of the epicenter.

This is for information purposes only and there is no tsunami threat to the Philippines from this earthquake.

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