



**Tsunami Information No.: 1**

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## **ADVISORY**

### **Sea-level Change Monitoring**

A strong distant earthquake with a preliminary magnitude of **7.9** occurred **Near Coast of Chile** on **17 September 2015** at **06:55 AM** (Philippine Standard Time) located at **31.5 °S, 71.9 °W** with depth of **33 km**.

An earthquake of this size has the potential to generate a destructive tsunami that can strike coastlines in the region near the epicenter within minutes to hours.

**NO EVACUATION ORDER** is in effect. Coastal communities of the following provinces fronting the Philippine Sea/Pacific Ocean are **ADVISED TO WAIT AND LISTEN FOR UPDATES**:

**Batanes Group of Islands**  
**Cagayan**  
**Ilocos Norte**  
**Isabela**  
**Quezon**  
**Aurora**  
**Camarines Norte**  
**Camarines Sur**  
**Albay**  
**Catanduanes**

**Sorsogon**  
**Northern Samar**  
**Eastern Samar**  
**Leyte**  
**Southern Leyte**  
**Surigao del Norte**  
**Surigao del Sur**  
**Davao Oriental**  
**Davao del Sur**  
**Davao Occidental**

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