

Indonesia Country Office Situation Report 01 – Mount Agung Volcano Risk

DATE: 03 July 2018

Introduction

Country/Location: Bali Island , Indonesia

Title of emergency: Mount Agung Volcano threat on Bali Island

Dates covered by report: week 2nd- 3th July 2018

Situation Report No: 1

General overview: (for INTERNAL use)

Volcanic Activity: Mount Agung, an active volcano in Karangasem Regency in East Bali, has shown recent increased volcanic activity. The last eruption took place in March 1963 through to January 1964 and 1100 people died.

Monday 2 July 2018 evening (9.21pm)erupted with spewed the ash 2000 meters above the crater. Eruption with amplitude 24mm for 7 minutes 21 second. Lava explosion observe up to 2km from the cratercause of fire at the forest around the mountain at several spots.

Impact

People who living close to Mount Agung did self-evacuation to the safe place. During this report, there is no suspension of Ngurah Rai International Airport as well as Banyuangi airport at East Java and Lombok International Airport.

National Emergency Response:

Authority requested community do not panic and refer the information from PVMBG (Volcanology and Meteorology Agency). The community where Mount Agung located at Karang Asem District not to evacuated out of the district.

BNPB (National Disaster Management Agency) do coordination with local authority. There is no casualty reported.

Other agencies

No international support has been requested by the government of Indonesia. International Agencies are on standby monitoring the situation and preparing their teams to be deployed if support is likely to be required.

Overview of ChildFund response (for INTERNAL use)

Assessment : ChildFund Indonesia have no program in Bali and Bali is a transit island for travelling to program locations in the east of Indonesia eg Kupang, Sumba, Flores . It is also a transit location for travel to Dilli in Timor Leste. No immediate threat therefore to stafv , partners of project beneficiaries

Response

1. **For people living directly at risk in Bali:** ChildFund is monitoring the situation closely through various mechanisms : BNPB alerts and sitreps, UNOCHA / BNPB coordinating forum

communiques, media, and through liaison with other International Agencies especially those in those in the protection cluster eg communication with UNICEF. Since we do not have local partner in the area, there are no sponsorship funds that can be readily mobilized so the most feasible, in case, is the Child Alert funding (and possible alliance support), if required. At this stage there are adequate resources available .

2. For ChildFund :

- i. Domestic travel : We have advised all ChildFund staff and partners travelling domestically to re-route via Surabaya, or Lombok and where possible to take direct flights eg to Kupang. Travel advisory will be updated on a daily basis as required
- ii. International travel :For ChildFund staff transiting in Bali enroute to or from Dilli we are liaising with the Asia regional team staff and advise to explore other options eg re-routes via Singapore or Australia to avoid high levels of congestion and ensure more predictable planning.

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- Security & logistics

Security: There is no security issues for visiting Bali but likely disruption for travelling especially due to large numbers of tourists visiting Bali. The closest International airport is Djuanda International Airport at Surabaya (40 minutes flight from Bali) and Lombok International Airport (30 minutes flight from Bali) as alternative for airlines to reroute their flight.

Logistics: If air travel to Bali is disrupted but required , Bali can be reached by road and Ferry (ship) where frequently (hour) entering Bali from Banyuwangi East Java Province.

- Partnership and coordination: ChildFund has no local partner in Bali

- Program: N/A

- Staffing : staff travel arrangements

- International Transit staff : have advised on re-routing

Staff on the Ground (Location): N/A

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- Donors: Not required at this point

Proposals and concept note submitted: NA

- Finance : NA
- Media/Communications

Spokesperson : Bridgette Thorold, Country Director – English:

- Internal coordination :

- Internal core team activated and on alert:

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- Regular Monitoring
- Communications updates: Sitreps, and communications to RO and Indonesia based staff

- Additional information

Hazard Map of Mount Agung Volcano:

