World events

Syria – Conflict
• The Independent Commission of Inquiry on Syria is concerned for civilian’s safety, including 100 000 children. Commission called parties to conduct in accordance with international law. Around 275 000 people in Aleppo are under concerned due to AGs. For two days 2 million people citywide suffered power and water outages, lost access to food and medicines. ISIL retreated from Manbij city, making easier the return of 75 000 displaced. Humanitarian operations in Idlib governate have been hampered by continuous Syrian/Russian airstrike. (Source: ECHO, UN, NGO).

Vietnam – Severe weather
• Heavy rain has continued to affect Vietnam, specially the northern areas, causing floods and landslides.
• National authorities reported, seven people dead and 101 houses damaged. Heavy rains are expected to continue over the next few days due to the passage of a Tropical Storm (Source: ECHO, Department of Natural Disaster Prevention and Control, NCHMF).

USA – Severe weather
• The death toll after the recent floods in Louisiana had reached 11 people, 10 000 people evacuated and 40 000 houses damaged.
• Over the next 24 h moderate to locally heavy rain might still affect the area (Source: CONRED, INSIVUMEH, Local Media).

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Philippines – Severe weather
• Heavy rain has continued to affect several areas. Officials reported nine people dead, 262 761 people affected and 17 896 people evacuated.
• Heavy rains enhanced by the Southwest Monsoon are expected to continue (Source: ECHO, NDRRMC).

Philippines – Conflict
• Violence in Mindanao continues; two were killed on August 12. An ECHO mission had visited the municipality. There has been a general increase in military and paramilitary operations in the area (Source: ECHO, Media).

Cape Verde – Seismic Activity
• Seismic activity in Brava continues with a swarm of very low magnitude earthquakes. Due to the possibility of an eruption, the population is on high alert. On 4 August, the EU Civil Protection Mechanism was activated and UNDAC team was deployed to Cape Verde (Source: ECHO, UNOCHA).

Yemen – Conflict
• EU calls for the parties involved in the conflict to engage in negotiations to find a political solution.
• An airstrike in Sana’a city, as of 16 August, killed 17 civilians. As of the same date, nine people were killed when rockets reportedly fired from within the Yemeni territory hit an industrial area in the Saudi city of Najran (Source: ECHO, Media).

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