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Situation Report

Response Name Volcanic Activity - Ambae & Ambrym

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15:30 30th October 2017 Time & Date

Reporting period 30/10/2017

Provinces affected Penama, Sanma, Malampa

Attachment(s)

NEOC status Operational

Situation Overview

Ambae volcano remains at Alert Level 3.

The State of Emergency on Ambae finished last week.

All general repatriations to Ambae are completed. Some people remain on host islands, including some students, some people with special needs and others who voluntarily chose to remain.

The operational hub for the response has moved from Luganville to East Ambae.

The Penema Provincial Government has re-established services on Ambae and continues to hold regular coordination meetings.

The NDMO will continue to work with the Provincial Government and partner agencies to support affected communities on Ambae and to support those with special needs remaining on host islands.

The NDMO will organise and coordinate a response review exercise in the coming weeks.

Further Information

Volcanic bulletins: http://www.vmgd.gov.vu/vmgd/index.php/geohazards/volcano/alert-bulletin

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