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PHILIPPINES EXTENDS HUMANITARIAN SUPPORT FOR SUDAN AND SURROUNDING REGION



Permanent Representative Evan P. Garcia announced the Philippines intention to support humanitarian response for Sudan and the surrounding region through the UN OCHA and UNHCR.

21 June 2023, Geneva, Switzerland – The Philippines announced its intention to provide support for humanitarian assistance for civilians and displaced persons affected by the on-going conflict in Sudan and the surrounding region, during the Sudan Pledging Conference held on 19 June 2023 at the Palais des Nations in Geneva, Switzerland.

The Philippines' pledge will be coursed through the UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (UN OCHA) Humanitarian Response Plan and the UN High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR) Regional Refugee Response Plan for Sudan.

The announcement is in line with the country's long-standing humanitarian tradition to contribute to global burden and responsibility sharing. The Philippines also evacuated more than 300 Filipino migrants working in Sudan. **END**