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11:25 PM

A strong teleseismic earthquake occurred in **Northern Molucca Sea** at **11:06 PM** August 26, 2012 (Philippine Time), located at **2.2°N, 126.9° E** with depth of **106 km** and a **preliminary magnitude of 6.7**. No destructive Pacific-wide threat exists based on the historical and tsunami data. However, earthquakes of this size sometimes generate local tsunamis that can be destructive along coast located within a hundred kilometers of the epicenter.

PHIVOLCS Tsunami ALERT Level is 0. This is for information purposes only and there is no tsunami threat to the Philippines from this earthquake.

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