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Tsunami Information No.: 1
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07:46 AM

ADVISORY

No Tsunami Threat

A strong distant earthquake occurred *new Britain Region Papua New Guinea* at *06:52AM*, located at *7.0 South, 148.3 East* with depth of *20* 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.

This is for information purposes only and there is **no tsunami threat to the Philippines from this earthquake**.

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