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**Tsunami Information No.: 1**

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Time Issued: 08:40 AM

## **ADVISORY No Tsunami Threat**

A strong earthquake with a preliminary magnitude of **6.8** occurred ***Southeast of Loyalty Islands*** on **16 October 2018** at **08:28 AM** (Philippine Standard Time) located at **21.8° S, 169.7° E** with depth of **33 km**. No destructive tsunami threat exists based on available data.

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

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