LOCATION: Port au Prince, Haiti

DATE: 30 December 2016

Situation Overview

- Hurricane Matthew made landfall near Les Anglais (south-western Haiti) on 4 October at 11:00 UTC, as a very intense Category 4 Hurricane. It then crossed the department of Grande Anse (south-western Haiti) provoking severe damage to road and ICT infrastructures, as well as housing and health facilities.
- Access to the affected areas, especially mountainous areas of Grande Anse, still represents a significant constraint due to blocked roads and damaged infrastructure.

Coordination & Information Management

- WFP co-leads the Logistics Working Group with the Directorate for Civil Protection (DPC); the Logistics Working Group established cells with dedicated staff in Port-au-Prince, Les Cayes and Jéremie where Coordination and Information Management services as well as facilitation of access to common services are provided to support the humanitarian actors on the field.

Storage

- Interagency storage is available in the three logistics hubs of Port-au-Prince, Les Cayes and Jéremie.
- Warehouse capacity in Port au Prince is now 2,000 m², in Les Cayes is 1,680 m² and the logistics hub in Jéremie offers storage space of 2,080 m²/8,320 m³.
- A 240 m² mobile storage unit, managed by ACTED, is available to organisations needing temporary storage to cover distribution needs in Anse d’Hainault.
- MSUs can be provided to organisations to support storage needs in specific working area.

Transport

Air Transport

- Two helicopters (1.5 mt cargo each) are currently available and based in Les Cayes for cargo transport, to serve surrounding affected areas.
- A third fixed-wings aircraft has been deployed for passengers and light cargo transport between Port au Prince, Les Cayes and Jeremie.

Road Transport

- Sixteen off-road trucks are positioned in Les Cayes and Jéremie to support interagency distribution in the affected areas.
- Organisations are invited to participate to MINUSTAH convoys to reduce security risks especially during the election period, when the support to humanitarian operations will be reduced.

Sea Transport

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Regular sea transport is available through the Logistics Working Group with the WFP-chartered vessel Princess Sam Asia, with capacity of 500 mt. Four voyages have been completed so far serving Anse d’Hainault and Roseaux, a pebble beach close to the interagency logistics hub in Jéremie.

Schedules of the next Logistics Working Group meetings in Jéremie, Les Cayes and Port-au-Prince are available on the dedicated webpage: [http://www.logcluster.org/sector/hurrimat16](http://www.logcluster.org/sector/hurrimat16)

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