PHILIPPINES - Severe weather
Rainfall, floods and landslides in the southern Philippines by Tropical Depression LINGLING has killed 64 people and 10 are missing, as of 26 January. A total of 1,148,621 have been affected, with 108,991 of them displaced in 235 evacuation centres. (NDRRMC)

BOLIVIA - Severe weather
Heavy rainfall continued affecting Bolivia on 25–26 January, adding to the floods, landslides and overflown rivers of the past two weeks.
As of 26 January, four deaths and seven missing people were reported in the town of Rurrenabaque, close to the Beni river. As of the same day, the number of affected people countrywide had risen to 18,000, mainly in Beni, Cochabamba, Santa Cruz and La Paz. (SENAMHI, Bolivian Government)

GREECE - Earthquake
On 26 January at 13:55 UTC a 6.0M earthquake at a depth of 6km hit the island of Kefalonia in western Greece. The epicentre was located approx. 7 km NE of Argostoli. USGS-PAGER indicates shaking up to “Very Strong” for 4,000 people. A series of aftershocks followed, including one of magnitude 5.2 ML on the same day. As of early 27 January, only some minor damage in buildings and the road network was reported, mostly in Lixouri and Argostoli. Media reported also seven people slightly injured. (NOA, Media)

SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC - Conflict
- Syrian Government agreed to allow women and children in the besieged Old City of Homs to leave. The movement of the rest of the civilians is pending the submission of a list of the men’s names which the Government has requested.
- Armed groups inside the Old City also assured that humanitarian convoys would not be attacked. A convoy with relief aid organized by humanitarian organizations in Syria is on standby pending authorization to reach the Old City, which has been under siege for more than 18 months. (ECHO)

BELGIUM - Severe weather
Rainfall, wind and hail affected northern Belgium on 25 January, causing injuries and damage to buildings and infrastructure, mostly in West Flanders. As of 27 January, local media report one person seriously injured and 10 others lightly in Rekkem and Koksijde, West Flanders, respectively. (Media 1, 2, 3)