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**Tsunami Response Report No. 21**  
Indonesia, Sri Lanka, India, Thailand

This report covers the operational period spanning from 3 February to 8 February, and is based on information provided by ADRA country offices in Indonesia, Sri Lanka, India and Thailand. Additional information and statistics is received from media reports, the UN, WHO, IFRC and other NGO reports.

**SITUATION IN BRIEF:**

1. The global death toll from the Asian tsunami has risen to 226,000, after Indonesia's Health Ministry confirmed the deaths of thousands of people previously reported missing.
2. The Red Cross maintains its estimates of 525,000 injured, 1.6 M displaced, and more than 1 M homeless. These figures are expected to increase.
3. The current confirmed figures are as follows:

	<b>AREAS / PEOPLE AFFECTED</b>	<b>DISPLACED PEOPLES</b>	<b>RELIEF</b>	<b>INJURED</b>	<b>MISSING</b>	<b>DEATHS</b>
<b>INDIA</b>	2200 km of coastal land; 300m to 3 km inland and 3 million people	647,556	595 relief camps with 376,171 people. 638,297 people evacuated	6,898	5,551	10,872
<b>INDONESIA*</b>	Aceh: Districts (14 out of 21); 1 million people	417,124 living in spontaneous settlements	103 camps officially listed - numbers and camps remain fluid	1,736 hospitalized	127,749	101,199 buried
<b>MALAYSIA</b>	NW states of Penang and Kedah	8,000	30,000 in 9 camps	73 in-patient/ 694 outpatient	6	68
<b>MALDIVES</b>	20 atolls, 100,000 people affected	10,578		1,313	26	83
<b>MYANMAR</b>	23 villages, 10-15 000 people affected long-term. 5-7000 directly affected	2,592 homeless/ households (537)		43	3	61
<b>SRI LANKA</b>	12 coastal districts and 103 789 affected families	500,668	328 relief camps	15,196	5,644	30,959
<b>THAILAND*</b>	6 provinces on west Thai coast with 308 villages and 12 068 households		47,708 rescue workers mobilized	8,457	3,144	5,332
<b>SOMALIA</b>	Puntland region worst-hit, 650 km of coastline	Approx. 4,000	Many sheltering under plastic sheeting or in branch huts	NA	NA	About 150

## **INDONESIA**

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4. Martial law is in effect but there has been no major incident. The military and rebels haven't been able to eek out a peace agreement.
5. No outbreaks or epidemics have been reported.
6. Ten (10) clinical cases of measles have been identified in Aceh Utara; the cases have been isolated and treated, and their contacts vaccinated.
7. A joint WHO/UNICEF assessment team has recommended that when new IDP settlements are established, the construction of latrines and the supply of potable water and clean water for washing should be priorities.
8. The Ministry of Health reports that Aceh Jaya needs two ambulances. Medical services are also needed in Calang, Teunom, Lamno and Lhoknga.

### **ADRA'S RESPONSE IN INDONESIA:**

9. *No updates.*

## **SRI LANKA**

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10. The Ministry of Finance has taken over all operations of shipments coming into the country. Now only five (5) items are being allowed into the country, three of which are: baby food, medical equipment and pre-fabricated houses.
11. Currently IDP's are using the water tanks in the streets, which are affected by the heat and some are damaged. Also the taps are sometimes too low for them to fill their water containers.
12. ADRA Sri Lanka has located about 20 cases of TB in the IDP camps.

### **ADRA'S RESPONSE IN SRI LANKA:**

#### *Tangalle*

13. ADRA Sri Lanka received approval for its Sri Lanka Tangalle Livelihoods Recovery Project. The duration of this project is for 6 months.
14. ADRA Sri Lanka is making progress with its Emergency Water Distribution Project. Activities that have occurred include the following:
  - 10,000 families have been identified between Dickwella and Kirinda, who will benefit from this water distribution project.
  - 500 committees have been set up. Each committee has 1 leader. The leader is responsible for 10 families. They will also be responsible for the daily or bi-daily refilling of the water holders. The committee leaders have agreed that they will make the slabs for the water tanks to sit on.
  - One tank platform Prototype has been built and is 1½ meters high. Another prototype will be built in a circular shape, also 1½ meters high. This type will be portable so that when the IDP's go to their new houses, they will be able to move the water tanks with them.

#### *Pottuvil*

15. ADRA Sri Lanka has received approval from the Department of TB for its TB camp containment project. ADRA Sri Lanka plans to buy six microscopes for the project.

**ADRA’S RESPONSE IN INDIA:**

*Andaman and Nicobar Islands*

16. ADRA India has a team on the islands, acceptance from the government, and a method of shipping the goods to the Nicobar Islands.

**THAILAND**

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17. The Phuket Action Plan adopted by the World Tourism Organisation is gearing up to revive the tourism industry in tsunami-hit areas through increased media coverage.

18. Local government authorities have placed a three - month fishing ban on the area’s affected by the Tsunami due to health concerns.

**ADRA’S RESPONSE IN THAILAND:**

19. ADRA Thailand is employing as many local people as possible to join the water system rehabilitation team.

20. ADRA Thailand is focusing its energy on its two-phase community redevelopment program.

**COORDINATION:**

21. All contacts should be addressed to the relevant person as detailed below. Please copy all contacts below for correspondence regarding funding availability.

22. All donors or agencies wishing to assist in the region should notify the coordinating office in order that all aid flows and submissions can be tracked. For banking details please contact the relevant officer indicated below.

23. The coordinating office is in regular contact with all the implementation offices and will revert with further information as it becomes available.

24. Information on the response from the ADRA partners will also be available on the ADRA International website at <http://www.adra.org>.

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