



SITUATION

- Severe weather, including heavy rain and strong winds, has been affecting the south-eastern Asia and French Polynesia over the last weeks, causing floods. According to local media, as of 24 January, 63 deaths and 65 000 evacuees have been reported in **Thailand**; in the **Philippines** 6 people died; in **Malaysia** at least 6 000 people have been evacuated; in **French Polynesia** damaged houses have been reported.
- An earthquake of magnitude 7.9 M occurred in **Papua New Guinea** on 22 January at 4.30 UTC. Other smaller earthquakes occurred in the area. Damaged houses have been reported.

Sources: ECHO, GDACS, USGS, COGIC, Local Media

