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## Press Release

### **DDPM announcing 13 provinces hit cold weather**

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Mr. Wiboon Sanguanpong, Director-General of Disaster Prevention and Mitigation (DDPM) states that cold weather disaster since November 5 to at present caused 13 provinces, 177 districts, 1,243 sub-districts, 14,466 villages ruined. It divided into 7 North Region Provinces namely; Chiang Mai, Payao, Mae Hong Sorn, Nan, Lamphun, Chiang Rai and Petchabun Province, together with 6 provinces in Northeastern Region namely; Udonthani, Sakonnakorn, Loei, Khon Kaen, Nakhonpanom and Nongkhai. 147,235 warm clothes were distributed to the victims.

DDPM Hotline number is 1784 for 24 hours.