State EOC Activation Level: Level 4 (Normal operations)

Tropical Weather Update:

As of 1300 hours 29 September 2011, the NWS/NHC is reporting on the tropical features listed below. These systems will not pose a threat to Louisiana.

1. Tropical Depression Ophelia is centered at 20.9N 61.8W or about 180 miles north-northeast of the northern Leeward Islands moving northwest at 9 mph. Maximum sustained wind speed is 70 mph with higher gusts.

2. Tropical Storm Philippe is centered at 18.6N 42.6W or 1075 miles west of the Cape Verde Islands moving west at 13 mph. Maximum sustained wind speed is 45 mph with higher gusts.

3. Tropical wave is analyzed along 2N 35W between 9N 32W moving west at 12-17 mph.

More information can be accessed from The National Hurricane Center:

http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/