

《菲律宾和中国南方将迎来台风卡瑞娜》

导读:随着热带气旋"卡瑞娜"登陆菲律宾,该国中部正在遭受暴雨袭击,不久之后, 极有可能靠近中国南方。

(CNN)Heavy rains are battering central Philippines as Tropical Depression Carina makes her way toward the country, with the possibility of striking southern China later.

The central provinces of Albay, Sorsogon and Masbate are on alert for flash floods and landslides triggered by the rains, the Philippine Atmospheric Geophysical and Astronomical Services Administration said Saturday afternoon.

Carina's sustained winds of 55 kilometers an hour are relatively mild but the storm is expected to strengthen quickly and become a typhoon prior to reaching the far northern Philippines Saturday night.

It also advised that Carina would create moderate to rough seas over the east coast of Luzon in the north, and the Visayas in central Philippines.

The National Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council held a meeting on Friday and Saturday to ensure disaster prevention measures were in place, CNN Phillippines reported.



Meanwhile Hong Kong and Guangdong province in mainland China are also bracing for a possible impact on Tuesday.

"Though there are still uncertainties in its track and intensity, it is expected to pose a threat to the coast of Guangdong," the Hong Kong Observatory said Saturday.

