ABSTRACT

This study examines the effectiveness of the Provincial Government of Cavite's Policies on disaster risk reduction on Barangay San Antonio I, Noveleta Cavite. It aims to find out how effective the programs and policies of the local government are on Disaster Risk Reduction and Management (DRRM). The effectiveness of the programs and policies are measured in terms of VanBruaene's (2011) organizational performance. The study utilizes the descriptive method with the use of a validated survey tool. In triangulation, interviews as well as library researches and observations are also used in the study. The results show high degree of effectiveness in areas of *coverage*, *accomplishment*, *quality*, and *satisfaction*. Qualitative results however indicate the need for service improvement and additional funding and support for the program. The research suggests strengthening people's participation and enhancing local government's implementation towards sustainable disaster risk reduction policies and programs.