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1103 PM AST FRI JAN 29 2016

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COASTAL AREAS OF PUERTO RICO - THE U.S. VIRGIN ISLANDS AND THE
BRITISH VIRGIN ISLANDS
1103 PM AST FRI JAN 29 2016

...A TSUNAMI ADVISORY IS NOW IN EFFECT...

PERSONS LOCATED IN OR NEAR THE OCEAN SHOULD MOVE OUT OF THE
WATER... OFF THE BEACH AND AWAY FROM HARBORS... MARINAS... BAYS AND
INLETS.

AN EARTHQUAKE WITH A PRELIMINARY MAGNITUDE OF 6.8 OCCURRED ABOUT
49 MILES NORTH OF PUERTO RICO AT 1100 PM AST ON FRIDAY JANUARY 29
2016.

A HAZARDOUS TSUNAMI MAY HAVE BEEN GENERATED BY THIS NEARBY
EARTHQUAKE THAT COULD SOON IMPACT NEARBY COASTS.

BASED ON ALL AVAILABLE DATA... THERE IS A TSUNAMI THREAT TO PUERTO
RICO AND THE VIRGIN ISLANDS OF SEA LEVEL FLUCTUATIONS AND STRONG
OCEAN CURRENTS THAT COULD BE A HAZARD ALONG COASTS...
BEACHES... IN HARBORS... AND IN COASTAL WATERS.

THE HAZARD IS FORECAST TO BEGIN AROUND 1109 PM AST ON FRIDAY
JANUARY 29 2016 AND IT CAN PERSIST FOR MANY HOURS OR LONGER.

DO NOT GO TO THE SHORE TO OBSERVE THE TSUNAMI.

DO NOT RETURN TO EVACUATED AREAS UNTIL THE ALL CLEAR IS GIVEN BY
LOCAL AUTHORITIES.

BE ALERT TO AND FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS FROM LOCAL EMERGENCY
MANAGEMENT OFFICIALS BECAUSE THEY MAY HAVE MORE DETAILED OR
SPECIFIC INFORMATION FOR YOUR LOCATION.

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