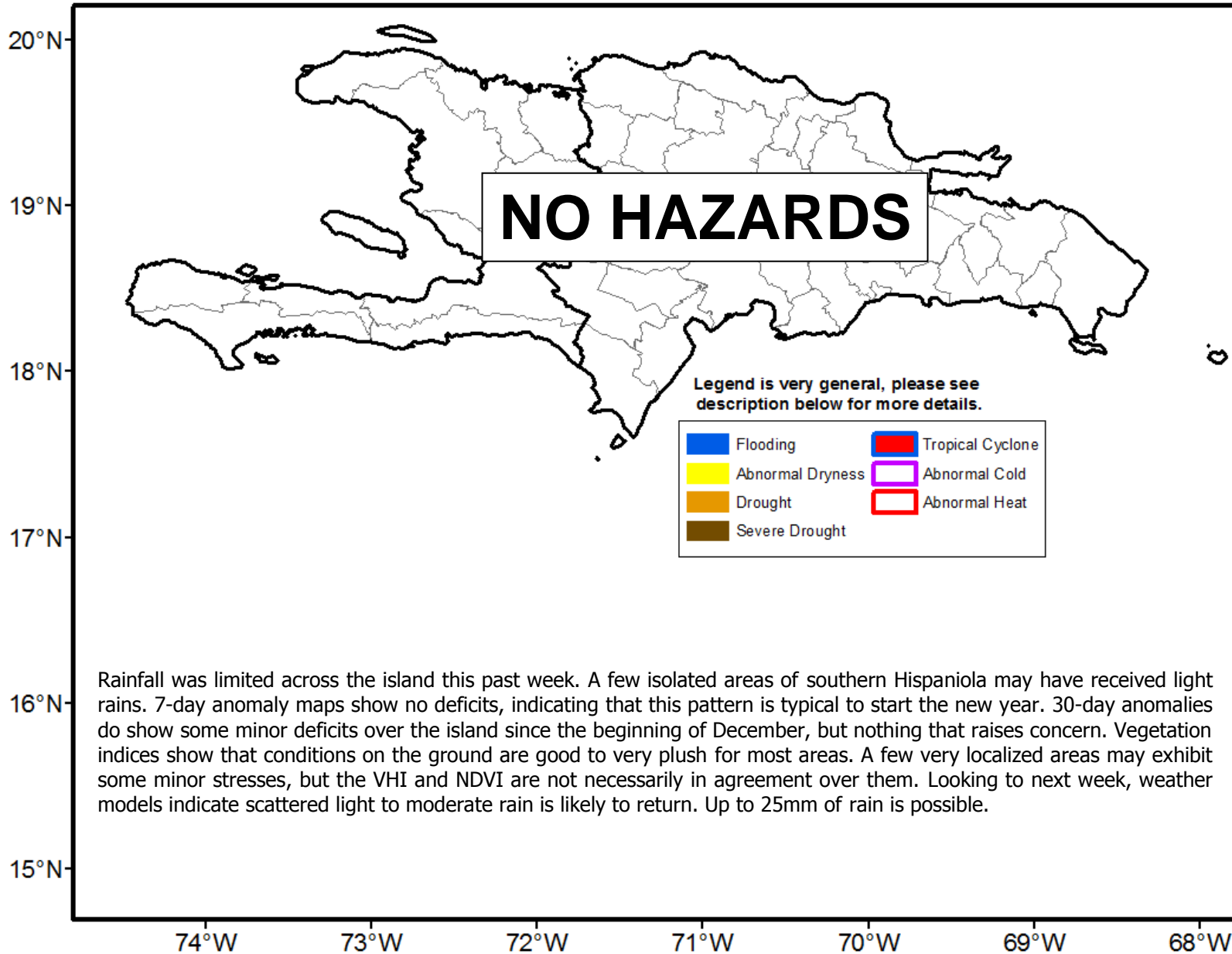




Climate Prediction Center's Hispaniola Hazards Outlook January 5 – 11, 2017

- Almost no rain observed last week; increased rain chances during the upcoming week.



Rainfall was limited across the island this past week. A few isolated areas of southern Hispaniola may have received light rains. 7-day anomaly maps show no deficits, indicating that this pattern is typical to start the new year. 30-day anomalies do show some minor deficits over the island since the beginning of December, but nothing that raises concern. Vegetation indices show that conditions on the ground are good to very lush for most areas. A few very localized areas may exhibit some minor stresses, but the VHI and NDVI are not necessarily in agreement over them. Looking to next week, weather models indicate scattered light to moderate rain is likely to return. Up to 25mm of rain is possible.