



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEE
CENTRAL VISAYAS REGION

RSC Resolution No. 3
Series of 2020

**ENJOINING THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS (LGUS) TO
DESIGNATE A CITY/MUNICIPAL STATISTICIAN FOR THE
IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COMMUNITY-BASED
MONITORING SYSTEM (CBMS)**

WHEREAS, the Republic Act (RA) No. 11315 also known as “*Community-Based Monitoring System Act*” was established to generate updated and disaggregated data necessary in targeting program beneficiaries, conducting comprehensive poverty analysis and needs prioritization, designing appropriate policies, programs and interventions, and monitoring impact over time;

WHEREAS, the RA 11315 involves generation of data at the local level;

WHEREAS, Section 4 of RA 11315 states that each city and municipality is the primary data collecting authority within its locality, thus, each city and municipality shall have a statistician;

WHEREAS, the City/Municipal Statistician shall be primary responsible in data collection, data processing such as analysis and interpretation of CBMS data, mapping and geo-tagging, database management which includes preservation and safekeeping of the data retained at the City or Municipality level and ensure dissemination of CBMS data to users;

WHEREAS, Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA), as the lead agency in implementing the CBMS, shall create additional positions for statisticians at the provincial level to monitor and manage the enumeration activities of LGUs under their jurisdiction;

WHEREAS, the PSA Board approved PSA Board Resolution No. 1, series of 2019, “enjoining national and local government entities to establish statistical units and/or positions”;

WHEREAS, Philippine Statistical Development Program 2018-2023 acknowledges that the absence of statistical unit/personnel to perform statistical functions is one major reason for not being able to conduct statistical activities and implement data quality checks;

WHEREAS, the PSA shall act as the national repository of all poverty data collected by the cities and municipalities;

WHEREAS, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) is tasked to develop and implement information and educational



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campaign relating to CBMS and ensure compliance of the LGUs in the various CBMS activities;

WHEREAS, the State Universities and Colleges shall be involved in the capacity building activities of the LGUs on CBMS data collection and processing and other trainings for data analysis and presentation of CBMS data;

WHEREAS, the regular and synchronized data collection shall be conducted by every City and Municipality every three (3) years;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to enjoin all local government units in Central Visayas to designate Statistician for the implementation of the Community-Based Monitoring System.

Approved this 9th day of July 2020 in Cebu City.

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