

Republic of the Philippines

REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEE Central Visayas Region

RSC Resolution No. 4 Series of 2019

REQUESTING ALL REGIONAL LINE AGENCIES, LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS AND THE PRIVATE SECTOR TO SUPPORT THE CONDUCT OF THE 2020 CENSUS OF POPULATION AND HOUSING (CPH) PILOT CENSUS IN BARANGAY BANILAD AND TALAMBAN, CEBU CITY BY THE PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY (PSA)

WHEREAS, the Census of Population and Housing (CPH) refers to the complete process of collecting, compiling, evaluating, analyzing, publishing, and disseminating data about the population and housing units in the country; and entails primarily the listing and recording of the characteristics of each individual and each living quarter as of a specified time and within a specific territory;

WHEREAS, the 2020 CPH is designed primarily to take an inventory of the total population and housing units in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, in May 2020, the PSA will conduct the 2020 CPH in all barangays nationwide, which census will be the 15th census of population and 7th census of housing in the Philippines;

WHEREAS, the pilot census will serve as a dry run of all phases of census activities such as coordination; publicity and information, education and communication (IEC) campaign; workload analysis and resource allocation; recruitment and hiring, training; mapping, listing, and enumeration; supervision and progress monitoring; and processing of accomplished questionnaires;

WHEREAS, the Pilot Census specifically aims to: a) evaluate the census field operations procedures given the use of Computer-Aided Personal Interview (CAPI) and Paper and Pencil Interview (PAPI) modes of data collection; b) test the design and evaluate the adequacy and/or efficiency of the questionnaires; c) test the efficiency of the data collection methods (CAPI/PAPI) and the mobile application used; d) assess the workflow on the use of a mobile device for the CAPI data collection; e) assess the efficiency in the encoding of the accomplished PAPI questionnaires to the CAPI system; f) evaluate the training design, training materials, and instruction manuals for field enumerators (Ens); g) evaluate the Dashboard Monitoring System (DMS) at various levels: Team Supervisors, Provincial Statistics Office, Regional Statistical Services Office and Central Office; h) evaluate the data processing and tabulation processes; i) prepare data story maps based on the results of the pilot census; j) evaluate advocacy and coordinating mechanism; k) evaluate the quality of data using demographic indicators; and I) provide estimates for census resource requirements;

WHEREAS, the CPH has important uses in government, business and industry, research, and the academe;

WHEREAS, the period of enumeration for the pilot census is from 20 May to 17 June 2019, which is approximately 25 working days including Saturdays or Sundays, and holidays;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to request all regional line agencies, local government units and the private sector to support the conduct of the 2020 Census of Population and Housing Pilot Census in Barangay Banilad and Talamban, Cebu City by the Philippine Statistics Authority.

Approved this 22nd day of May 2019 in Dumaguete City, Negros Oriental.

Certified Correct:

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