



Republic of the Philippines
REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEE
Central Visayas Region

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**ENJOINING ALL REGIONAL LINE AGENCIES, LOCAL GOVERNMENT UNITS
AND THE PRIVATE SECTOR TO SUPPORT THE CONDUCT OF THE FAMILY
INCOME AND EXPENDITURE SURVEY (FIES) OF THE PHILIPPINE
STATISTICS AUTHORITY (PSA)**

WHEREAS, the Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) is one of the major household surveys conducted every three years by the Philippine Statistics Authority;

WHEREAS, the FIES aims to:

- gather data on family income, source of income, family expenditure and related information affecting income and expenditure levels and patterns in the Philippines;
- determine the sources of income distribution, levels of living and spending patterns, and the degree of inequality among Filipino families;
- provide benchmark information to update weights used in the estimation of Consumer Price Index (CPI); and
- provide inputs for estimation of the country's poverty threshold and incidence.

WHEREAS, the FIES is important for the:

- estimation of the household account in the System of National Accounts and balances;
- measurement of the Human Development Index (HDI);
- measurement of poverty; and
- measurement of level of living of different sections of the population and disparities in the levels of living across geographical regions and socio-economic groups and for inter temporal comparisons of levels and disparities.

WHEREAS, the result of the FIES are valuable inputs in development planning, policy formulation and monitoring development activities;

WHEREAS, the 2018 FIES enumeration will be conducted twice: the first visit in July 2018 with the first semester (January to June) as the reference period, and the second visit in January 2019 with second semester (July to December 2018) as reference period;

WHEREAS, the support of the government and the private sectors in the region is crucial in coming up with accurate and reliable FIES data for Central Visayas;

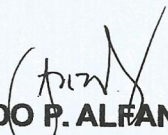
WHEREAS, the PSA adhere to the confidentiality of sensitive data through the release of statistical tables only;


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to enjoin all regional line agencies, local government units and the private sector to support the conduct of the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey by (1) accommodating FIES enumerators if visited, and providing truthful information; and (2) providing assistance to inform the general public of the FIES and encouraging them to accord the same support.

Approved this 11th day of December 2018 in Cebu City.

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