

Regional Development Council Region IV-A (CALABARZON)

REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEE

RSC Resolution No. IV-A-06-2021

"REQUESTING ALL THE LOCAL EXECUTIVES TO CREATE PROVINCIAL STATISTICS COMMITTEES"

- WHEREAS, the strategic thrust of the CALABARZON Regional Statistical Development Program 2018-2023 is the enhancement of the management and coordination of the Regional Statistical System (RSS) to ensure progressive and sustained improvement of statistics for development planning, decision-making, and effective governance;
- WHEREAS, one of the identified issues and concerns in the management and coordination of the RSS is the absence of Provincial Statistics Committee (PSC) in the region;
- WHEREAS, the PSC would be the provincial counterpart of the Regional Statistics Committee and of the PSA Board which will serve as the venue for the discussion and resolution of statistical issues at the provincial/local level;
- WHEREAS, with the increasing demand for local statistics such as Gross Provincial Domestic Product and Community-Based Monitoring System, there is a need to establish the PSCs for a well-coordinated provincial statistical system;
- NOW THEREFORE, on motion duly seconded, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, to request all the local executives to create Provincial Statistics Committees with the composition and functions as shown in "Annex A" which forms part of this resolution;
- **RESOLVED FURTHER**, to endorse the request to the Regional Development Council through the Sectoral Committee on Macroeconomy and Development Administration.
- **SIGNED**, this 21st day of January 2021 via video conference.

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Attested by:

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Annex A

Provincial Statistics Committees

Section 1: Composition

Chairperson: Provincial/City Planning and Development Coordinator

Vice Chair: PSA Provincial Statistics Officer

Members: Heads of Provincial Executive Offices with devolved functions from national agencies including but not limited to the following:

- 1. Provincial Agriculture Office
- 2. Provincial Environment and Natural Resources Office
- 3. City/Municipal Planning and Development Office
- 4. Department of the Interior and Local Government
- 5. Schools Division Superintendent Department of Education
- 6. President of the Local Civil Registrars' League
- 7. Provincial Health Office
- 8. Provincial Engineers Office/President of the City/Municipal League of Engineers
- 9. Philippine National Police
- 10. Provincial Office of the Department of Labor and Employment
- 11. Provincial Office of the Department of Science and Technology
- 12. Provincial Office of the Department of Trade and Industry
- 13. Provincial Office of the Social Welfare and Development
- 14. Provincial Tourism Office
- 15. Provincial Representative of Philippine Statistical Association, Inc.
- 16. Private Sector Representative
- 17. State Universities and Colleges Representative

The Supervising Statistical Specialist for statistical operations of the PSA Provincial Statistical Office shall serve as the Head of the PSC Secretariat.

Composition of the PSC may be modified to provide flexibility in its operations and to ensure that it continually caters to the statistical requirements of the province.

Section 2. Functions and Responsibilities

- Oversee the implementation of policy decisions made by the PSC, RSC CALABARZON and PSA Board, and adoption of prescribed statistical standards and classification systems in the provinces;
- b. Formulate statistical policies designed to resolve provincial statistical issues and recommend workable schemes towards the improvement of provincial level statistics;



- c. Institute measures to strengthen the statistical capability of the provincial statistical system (PrSS) including institutions and the personnel thereof; and
- d. Elevate to the RSC CALABARZON, through proper channels, statistical matters which cannot be resolved at the provincial level.

With regard to the formulation of the Provincial Statistical Development Program (PrSDP), the PSCs shall:

- a. spearhead the formulation of the PrSDP for the province by performing the following:
 - discuss and identify statistical development programs and formulate statistical frameworks and methodologies for inclusion in the PrSDP
 - serve as the Steering Committee of the PrSDP and provide guidance and directions in the formulation of the PrSDP which shall form part of the RSDP
- b. address evolving and emerging statistical requirements of stakeholders in the PrSS; and
- c. perform such other functions as may be deemed necessary/critical for the PrSS.