



Republic of the Philippines

Regional Development Council

Region IV-A (Calabarzon)

RSC Resolution No. IV-A-09-2018

“REQUESTING THE CALABARZON REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEE MEMBERS AND THEIR RESPECTIVE INSTRUMENTALITIES TO SUPPORT THE CONDUCT OF THE 2018 FAMILY INCOME AND EXPENDITURE SURVEY”

WHEREAS, Philippine Statistical Act of 2013 states that the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) shall collect, compile, analyze, abstract, and publish statistical information relating to the country's economic, social, demographic, political affairs and general activities and condition of the people;

WHEREAS, there is a need to gather data on family income and expenditure which include among others, the levels of consumption by item of expenditure and sources of income in cash and in kind;

WHEREAS, there is also a need to provide the following: 1) information on the levels of living and disparities in income of Filipino families, and their spending patterns; 2) benchmark information to update the weights used in the estimation of Consumer Price Index; and 3) inputs in the estimation of the country's poverty threshold and incidence;

WHEREAS, the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey (FIES) will be conducted by the PSA in July 2018 (with January to June 2018 as the reference period), and in January 2019 (with July to December 2018 as the reference period);

WHEREAS, the 2018 FIES will cover samples of around 180,000 households, deemed sufficient to provide provincial level estimates;

NOW THEREFORE, on motion duly seconded, **BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED,** to request the Calabarzon Regional Statistics Committee members and their respective instrumentalities to support the conduct of the 2018 Family Income and Expenditure Survey.

SIGNED, this 26th day of July 2018 at DA-STIARC, Barangay Marauoy, Lipa City, Batangas.

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