## Newsletter

# PSA RSSO-Davao Region holds Presscon on the 2018 Economic Performance of Davao Region

The Philippine Statistics Authority Regional Statistical Services Office-Davao Region (PSA RSSO-Davao Region) conducted the Press Conference (Presscon) on the 2018 Economic Performance of Davao Region. It was held at The Pinnacle Hotel and Suites, Sta. Ana Avenue, Davao City on 25 April 2019 at exactly 10:00 AM.

Assistant National Statistician (ANS) Divina Grace L. Del Prado of Economic Sector Statistics Service delivered her opening remarks on the importance of knowing the indicators of economic performance in the context of sustainable growth and development of Davao Region.

OIC-RD Ruben D. Abaro, Jr.



of PSA RSSO-Davao Region presented the highlights of 2018 Economic Performance of Davao Region.

While, NEDA Regional Director Maria Lourdes D. Lim provided the official statement of NEDA XI on the estimates of 2018 Gross Regional Domestic Product of Davao Region.

The Press Conference was attended by members of the Media, Regional Government Offices, Local Government Units, Academe, Government Owned and Controlled Corporation (GOCC), and private sector.

#### Inside this issue:

Regional Statistics Committee XI Conducts Meeting  PSA RSSO-Davao Region Presents the Latest Poverty Statistics  PSA RSSO-Davao Region Launches the 2018 CPBI and IOSPBI	2
	3
	3

#### **PSA RSSO-Davao Region Presents the Latest Poverty Statistics**

The Provincial Development Council (PDC) of Davao Oriental conducted a Joint Sectoral Meeting on 16-17 May 2019 at Honey's Hotel and Restaurant, Matiao, City of Mati. The PSA was invited to provide a presentation on the latest poverty statistics. Chief Statistical Specialist (CSS) Rosendo M. Aya-ay provided the presentation on behalf of (CSS) Rogelio T. Lebria . The meeting was called to discuss the following agenda: Provincial Result Matrices (PRMs), Annual Investment Programs (AIPs), and Poverty Alleviation Programs.

#### PSA RSSO-Davao Region Launches the 2018 CPBI and IOSPBI



frame for various surveys of establishments.

On 31 May 2019, PSA RSSO-Davao Region launched the 2018 Census of Philippine Business and Industry (CPBI) and 2018 Input-Output Survey of Philippine Business and Industry (IOSPBI) at the Pinnacle Hotel and Suites, Davao City.

The CPBI needs to be undertaken considering that its results will serves as reference on establishing a sampling

Regional Director Maria Belenda Q. Ambi of the Department of Trade and Industry delivered her opening message during the launching.

On preparing the participants about the activity, the introduction and background of 2018 CPBI and IOSPBI was presented.

Related to the Philippine Business and Industry, the results of 2016 ASPBI were presented by Supervising Statistical Specialist (SSS) Maria Leah C. Magracia.

The presentation showed that in 2016, there were about 1,665 establishments in Davao Region, and 74% of these establishments belongs to the service sector.

The survey also showed that workers of Electricity, Gas, Steam and Air Conditioning Supply were the highest compensated workers in the region with a monthly average compensation of P57,627.

### **Regional Statistics Committee XI Conducts Meeting**



The Regional Statistics Committee (RSC) of Davao Region convened its second quarterly meeting, which was conducted on June 4, 2019 with the following agenda:

- a) Establishment of statistical units and/or positions in the national and local government entities;
- b) Creation of Provincial Statistics Committee (PSC);
- c) First Semester 2018 Poverty Statistics;
- d) Surveys granted clearance through Statistical Survey and Review Clearance System (SSRCS) by Statistical Standards Division of Standard Service of PSA
- e) Presentation on the 2018 Gross Regional Domestic Product (GRDE);
- f) Regional Statistical Committee (RSC) Awards;
- g) Updates on Republic Act 11055, An Act Establishing the Philippine Identification System (PhilSys); and
- h) Information of the 2018 Census of Philippine Business and Industry/2018 Input-Output Survey on Philippine Business and Industry.

During the meeting, the committee has discussed and approved four (4) resolutions for way onward of all concerns as follows:

- a) Resolution No. 7 Enjoining Regional Line Agencies, Government-Owned and Controlled Corporations and Local Government Units of Davao Region to Establish Statistical Units and/or Positions:
- b) Resolution No. 8 Enjoining Davao Region's Provinces and Its Highly-Urbanized City to Establish their Respective Provincial/City Statistics Committees (P/CSC);
- c) Resolution No. 9 Enjoining Regional Line Agencies, Local Government Units, Academe, Media and Private Sector to Support the 2018 CPBI of PSA; and
- d) Resolution No. 10 Enjoining Regional Line Agencies, Local Government Units, Government-Owned and Controlled Corporation, Academe, Media and Private Sector to support the Republic Act 11055;

Moreover, the 2018 IOSPBI is a rider survey to the 2018 CPBI. It is the 8th of the Input-Output (I-O) survey series conducted by PSA. The 2018 IOSPBI aims to collect detailed information on revenue, expense and inventories by the product of businesses and industries covered in the 2018 CPBI in order to build input structure and to construct the distribution of output required in the compilation of the 2018 I-O Table.





