

Republic of the Philippines  
**REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEE**  
MIMAROPA Region                      Calapan City

EXCERPT FROM THE MINUTES OF THE THIRD QUARTER RSC  
MEETING HELD ON SEPTEMBER 11, 2017 IN CALAPAN CITY

RSC RESOLUTION NO. 2017-04

ADOPTING PSA BOARD RESOLUTION NO. 03 (S. 2017)  
"RECONSTITUTING THE REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEES (RSCs)"

WHEREAS, Republic Act (RA) No. 10625, otherwise known as the "Philippine Statistical Act of 2013" created the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Board as the highest policy-making body on statistical matters;

WHEREAS, the demand for data to support development planning, implementation and monitoring of programs and projects at the local level has increased in view of the decentralization thrust of the government;

WHEREAS, RA 10625 mandates the PSA to prescribe appropriate frameworks for the improvement of statistical coordination and establish mechanisms for statistical coordination at the regional and local government unit (LGU) levels;

WHEREAS, during the first RSC Summit held on 21 September 2016, at the Crowne Plaza Manila Galleria, a suggestion to amend the composition of the RSCs, i.e., members should be regional directors instead of division chiefs, was raised;

WHEREAS, after thorough evaluation, the PSA recommends the reconstitution of the RSC based on the following considerations: (1) Members shall be those who can make decisions/commitments during RSC meetings; and (2) the composition of the RSC shall have the Regional Director of NEDA as the Chair and Members shall likewise be the Regional Directors of the following member agencies:

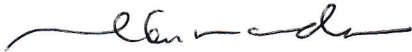
- Bureau of Local Government Finance
- Department of Agriculture
- Department of Budget Management
- Department of Environment and Natural Resources
- Department of Education
- Department of the Interior and Local Government
- Department of Health
- Department of Labor and Employment
- Department of Tourism
- Department of Science and Technology
- Department of Public Works and Highways
- Department of Social Welfare and Development
- Department of Trade and Industry

- Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas
- Commission on Higher Education
- Technical Education and Skills Development Authority

WHEREAS, the PSA Board approved the reconstitution of the RSC, superseding for all intents and purposes of the PSA Board Resolution No. 5, Series of 2015;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, to adopt the PSA Board Resolution No. 03 (S. 2017) "Reconstituting the Regional Statistics Committees" (RSCs).

CERTIFIED CORRECT:



MARIBEL L. BERNARDO  
RSC Secretary

ATTESTED:



LENI R. RIOFLORIDO  
RSC Vice Chairman

APPROVED:



SUSAN A. SUMBELING  
RSC Acting Chairman