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PSA RSSO VI Holds 2024 POPCEN-CBMS Regional Press Launch

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2024 POPCEN-CBMS Regional Press Launch on 12 July 2024 at Park Inn by Radisson, Iloilo City.

The Philippine Statistics Authority Regional Statistical Services Office VI (PSA RSSO VI) led the conduct of the 2024 Census of Population and Community-Based Monitoring System (POPCEN-CBMS) Regional Press Launch on 12 July 2024 at Park Inn by Radisson Iloilo, Mandurriao, Iloilo City. This event underscores the PSA's significant undertaking to integrate its two major statistical services, the POPCEN and CBMS.

OIC – Regional Director Nelida C. Amolar emphasized during her welcome message that the PSA will deploy more than 6,000 personnel across Western Visayas to undertake a comprehensive enumeration of Filipino households. She added that this extensive effort will yield updated population counts for all barangays and provide a comprehensive information of each community and barangay, that will aid in relevant policy and targeted program implementation to meet the specific needs of the people.

The event was attended by representatives from Regional Census-CBMS Coordinating Board (RCCB) member agencies, relevant stakeholders, and selected local press/news outlets. Chief Economic Development Specialist Joyalita B. Tigres of National Economic and Development Authority (NEDA) VI, Regional Director Carmelo N. Nochete of Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD) Field Office VI, and Assistant Regional Director Maria Calpiza J. Sardua of Department of Interior and Local Government (DILG) VI gave their message of support to this undertaking of the PSA.

The 2024 POPCEN-CBMS aims to capture several factors that can be used for multidimensional poverty analysis, policy formulation, poverty alleviation, economic development in cities and municipalities, and an inventory of the total population in the Philippines and the enumeration period officially commences on 15 July 2024.



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