

**Table 7. Employed Persons Wanting More Hours of Work by Number of Hours Worked:  
July 2003 To July 2004**

(Values are in thousands. Details may not add up to totals due to rounding)

Number of Hours Worked	July 2003		October 2003		January 2004		April 2004		July 2004	
	Number ( '000)	Percent	Number ( '000)	Percent	Number ( '000)	Percent	Number ( '000)	Percent	Number ( '000)	Percent
<b>Philippines</b>										
Total Underemployed (In thousands)	6,314	20.7	4,989	15.8	5,522	17.5	5,841	18.5	5,570	17.6
Working:										
Less than 40 hours	3,397	11.2	3,076	9.7	3,282	10.4	3,884	12.3	3,250	10.3
40 hours and over	2,917	9.6	1,913	6.1	2,240	7.1	1,958	6.2	2,215	7.0

*Source:* **Income and Employment Statistics Division, Labor Force Survey  
Household Statistics Department  
National Statistics Office  
Republic of the Philippines**

*Note:* **Estimates for July 2004 are preliminary results and are subject to change.**