

TABLE 10 Unemployed Persons by Highest Grade Completed: July 2007 and July 2008

(Details may not add up to totals due to rounding.)

| Highest Grade Completed   | July 2008                |              | July 2007                |              |
|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------------------|--------------|
|                           | Number<br>(in thousands) | Percent      | Number<br>(in thousands) | Percent      |
| <b>Philippines</b>        | <b>2,749</b>             | <b>100.0</b> | <b>2,824</b>             | <b>100.0</b> |
| <b>No grade completed</b> | <b>16</b>                | <b>0.6</b>   | <b>22</b>                | <b>0.8</b>   |
| <b>Elementary</b>         | <b>375</b>               | <b>13.6</b>  | <b>404</b>               | <b>14.7</b>  |
| Undergraduate             | 173                      | 6.3          | 192                      | 7.0          |
| Graduate                  | 202                      | 7.3          | 211                      | 7.7          |
| <b>High school</b>        | <b>1,250</b>             | <b>45.5</b>  | <b>1,285</b>             | <b>46.8</b>  |
| Undergraduate             | 313                      | 11.4         | 398                      | 14.5         |
| Graduate                  | 937                      | 34.1         | 887                      | 32.3         |
| <b>College</b>            | <b>1,109</b>             | <b>40.3</b>  | <b>1,113</b>             | <b>40.5</b>  |
| Undergraduate             | 571                      | 20.8         | 563                      | 20.5         |
| Graduate                  | 537                      | 19.5         | 550                      | 20.0         |

Figures were estimated using the 2000 Census-based Population Projections.

*Source:* National Statistics Office, July 2007 and July 2008 Labor Force Survey