

TABLE 8. EMPLOYED PERSONS WANTING MORE HOURS OF WORK BY NUMBER OF HOURS WORKED, URBAN-RURAL: APRIL 1996 TO APRIL 1997  
 (Values are in thousands. Details may not add up to totals due to rounding)

NUMBER OF HOURS WORKED	Apr 1996		Jul 1996		Oct 1996		Jan 1997		Apr 1997	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
PHILIPPINES										
Total Underemployed (In thousands)	6,086	22.2	5,904	21.5	5,326	19.4	5,755	21.1	6,577	23.4
Working:										
Less than 40 hours	3,596	13.1	2,919	10.6	2,763	10.1	3,006	11.0	3,321	11.8
40 hours and over	2,490	9.1	2,985	10.9	2,563	9.3	2,750	10.1	3,256	11.6
URBAN										
Total Underemployed	2,562	19.9	2,253	18.1	1,803	14.4	2,096	16.9	2,572	20.2
Working:										
Less than 40 hours	1,408	10.9	931	7.5	773	6.2	924	7.4	1,028	8.1
40 hours and over	1,154	9.0	1,322	10.6	1,030	8.2	1,172	9.4	1,545	12.1
RURAL										
Total Underemployed	3,524	24.3	3,651	24.4	3,524	23.6	3,659	24.5	4,004	26.1
Working:										
Less than 40 hours	2,188	15.1	1,987	13.3	1,991	13.3	2,081	14.0	2,293	14.9
40 hours and over	1,336	9.2	1,664	11.1	1,533	10.3	1,578	10.6	1,711	11.1

Source: National Statistics Office