



Republic of the Philippines  
**COMMUNITY-BASED MONITORING SYSTEM COUNCIL**

**CBMS Council Resolution No. 02, Series of 2022**

**REQUESTING THE CREATION OF A TECHNICAL WORKING GROUP  
FOR THE COMMUNITY-BASED MONITORING SYSTEM (CBMS)  
UNDER THE REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEES TO SERVE  
AS THE CBMS COORDINATING BOARD AT THE REGIONAL LEVEL**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act No. 11315, otherwise known as the Community-Based Monitoring System (CBMS) Act, was enacted on 17 April 2019, institutionalizing the conduct of the CBMS in every city and municipality in the country;

**WHEREAS**, CBMS Council<sup>1</sup> Resolution No. 06, Series of 2021 approved the establishment of the Provincial and City/Municipal CBMS Coordinating Boards and their Terms of Reference;

**WHEREAS**, the CBMS Coordinating Boards will be responsible in overseeing the CBMS operations in their respective localities, ensuring logistic and other requirements are in place prior and during the CBMS operations, and resolving issues and concerns encountered in the conduct of CBMS in their jurisdiction;

**WHEREAS**, the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Board<sup>2</sup> Resolution No. 05, Series of 2015 created the Regional Statistics Committees (RSCs) to provide direction and guidance to regional/local statistical development activities, and serve as the policymaking body on

<sup>1</sup>Section 14 of the CBMS Act provides for the creation of the CBMS Council composed of the PSA, the Department of the Interior and Local Government (DILG) and the Department of Information and Communications Technology (DICT), to be headed by the PSA, for purposes of achieving secure and efficient data sharing arrangements between and among concerned cities and municipalities and national government agencies to be used for their particular social protection and welfare programs and projects

<sup>2</sup>Republic Act No. 10625 created the PSA Board as the highest policy-making body on statistical matters and one of its functions is to prescribe appropriate frameworks for the improvement of statistical coordination and establish mechanisms for statistical coordination at the regional and LGU levels



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statistical matters and shall serve as the venue for discussion and resolution of statistical issues at the local level;

**WHEREAS**, Section VI.D (2) of the PSA-DILG Joint Memorandum Circular No. 2022-0001 dated 11 May 2022 provides that the existing RSCs shall serve as the CBMS Coordinating Boards for the CBMS operations at the regional level. A technical working group (TWG), sub-committee, or a special committee may be created within the RSC to handle CBMS-related concerns;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, for a more efficient and effective disposition of the functions of the RSCs and the CBMS Coordinating Boards, the CBMS Council requests the existing RSCs to create a TWG for CBMS to serve as the CBMS Coordinating Board at the regional level;

**PROVIDED, FURTHER**, the TWG for CBMS shall be composed of the following:

- Philippine Statistics Authority (*Chairperson*);
- Department of the Interior and Local Government;
- Department of Information and Communications Technology;
- Provincial Planning and Development Office (*All Provinces*);
- and
- Other agencies as deemed necessary.


**PROVIDED, FINALLY**, the TWG shall have the following roles and responsibilities:

- Oversee the implementation of the CBMS operations in the region;
- Resolve issues and concerns encountered in the conduct of CBMS in the region;
- Issue communications, directives, instructions, and/or circulars to cooperate, mobilize, and provide support/assistance to the CBMS operations; and
- Take up other matters as necessary for the successful conduct of the CBMS.

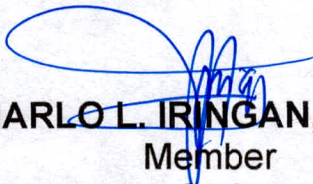
**APPROVED**, this 08 day of November 2022 in Quezon City, Metro Manila.

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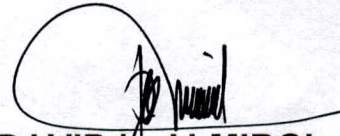
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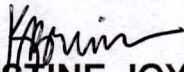


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