



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES  
**PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY BOARD**

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**PSA Board Resolution No. 05**  
**Series of 2024**

**CREATING THE NATIONAL, REGIONAL, PROVINCIAL,  
CITY, AND MUNICIPAL COORDINATING BOARDS FOR THE  
2024 CENSUS OF POPULATION AND  
COMMUNITY-BASED MONITORING SYSTEM IMPLEMENTATION**

**WHEREAS**, Republic Act (RA) No. 10625 or the “Philippine Statistical Act of 2013” mandates the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) to prepare and conduct periodic censuses on population, housing, and other sectors of the economy;

**WHEREAS**, Executive Order (EO) No. 352, series of 1996, “Designation of Statistical Activities That Will Generate Critical Data for Decision-Making of the Government and the Private Sector,” requires the conduct of the census of population and housing every ten years, and the mid-decade census of population every ten years, with the primary objective of coming up with population figures at the national level down to barangay level;

**WHEREAS**, the Census of Population (POPCEN) shall be a nationwide government undertaking that involves the collection, compilation, evaluation, analysis, publication, and dissemination of data on population count, demographic and socio-economic characteristics of the population, and other relevant data in each barangay, municipality, city, province, and region in the country;

**WHEREAS**, the POPCEN aims to provide government executives, policymakers, and planners with population data on which to base their social and economic development plans, policies, and programs;

**WHEREAS**, RA 11315 or the “Community-Based Monitoring System (CBMS) Act” declares that the State shall adopt a community-based monitoring system which generates updated and disaggregated data necessary in targeting beneficiaries, conducting more comprehensive poverty analysis and needs prioritization, designing appropriate policies and interventions, and monitoring impact over time;

**WHEREAS**, the 2024 POPCEN-CBMS shall be jointly conducted from July to September 2024, with 01 July 2024 as the reference date;

**WHEREAS**, the 2024 POPCEN-CBMS was primarily designed to update the inventory of the population of the entire Philippines while ensuring the updating of social registries of both national government agencies and local government units (LGUs);

**WHEREAS**, Batas Pambansa Blg. 72 provides for the creation of Census Coordinating Boards to ensure the systematic coordination of government agencies and instrumentalities involved in the conduct of the census;

**WHEREAS**, to ensure cooperation of all government and private entities and the smooth flow of census operations at all geographic and administrative levels for the conduct of the 2024 POPCEN-CBMS, there is a need to create a national, regional, provincial, city, and municipal Census-CBMS Coordinating Boards (CCBs);

**WHEREAS**, Section 9 of RA 10625 specifies that one of the functions of the PSA Board is to prescribe appropriate frameworks for the improvement of statistical coordination and establish mechanisms for statistical coordination at the regional and LGU levels;

**WHEREAS**, with this mandated function and being the highest policy-making body on statistical matters, the PSA Board can be designated as the National Census Coordinating Board (NCCB) for POPCEN;

**WHEREAS**, PSA Board 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 policy-making body on statistical matters and a venue for discussion and resolution of statistical issues at the local level;

**WHEREAS**, the RSC can be designated as the Regional Census-CBMS Coordinating Board, with the inclusion of other concerned agencies/organizations;

**WHEREAS**, the assistance provided by government agencies, government-owned or -controlled corporations as well as LGUs to the PSA will be instrumental in the successful implementation of the 2024 POPCEN-CBMS;

**WHEREAS**, the created CCBs shall issue rules and regulations to successfully carry out the joint undertaking, and provide facilities and assistance as may be required for the conduct of the 2024 POPCEN-CBMS;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED**, that the PSA Board approves the a) designation of the PSA Board as NCCB for POPCEN, b) designation of RSC as Regional CCB, and c) the creation of the Provincial and City/Municipal CCBs, and their terms of reference for the 2024 POPCEN-CBMS operations, as provided in Annex BR-05-20240216-01.

Approved this 16<sup>th</sup> day of February 2024, in Quezon City.

  
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