



Republic of the Philippines
REGIONAL STATISTICS COMMITTEE
National Capital Region

RSC-NCR Resolution No. 03
Series of 2018

Endorsing the Regional Statistical Development Program (RSDP)
2018-2023 to the Regional Development Council

WHEREAS, Republic Act No. 10625 mandates the Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA), in consultation with the PSA Board, to take the lead in the preparation of the Philippine Statistical Development Program (PSDP);

Whereas, the PSDP sets the strategic directions, thrusts and priorities of the Philippine Statistical System (PSS) in the medium term to provide vital information support to national, sectoral and local development plans, and international commitments;

WHEREAS, the PSDP 2018-2023 provides the necessary framework for the development, generation and dissemination of statistics and indicators needed in evidence-based policies, plans and decisions of government and other key stakeholders and data users at the local and national levels in the medium term;

Whereas, the PSA Board, as the highest policymaking body on statistical matters in the country, established the Regional Statistics Committees (RSCs), through PSA Board Resolution No. 5, series of 2015, to serve as the regional counterpart of the PSA Board;

WHEREAS, in National Capital Region (NCR), the RSC-NCR spearheaded the formulation of the Regional Statistical Development Program (RSDP) 2018-2023, with the representation from the government, the private sector, and the academe;

WHEREAS, the RSDP 2018-2023 of NCR aims to support the statistical requirements of the NCR's Regional Development Plan (RDP) for 2017-2022 and other local development plans;

WHEREAS, the RSDP consists of statistical milestones/developments, major statistical issues and challenges, subnational vision and goals as well as the statistical activities and programs of the various agencies and LGUs that have to be undertaken within the period;

WHEREAS, it is a tool to integrate and coordinate the statistical activities of the government to ensure that the emerging and evolving needs of the data users and stakeholders at the regional and local levels are addressed;

WHEREAS, the RSC-NCR, in its meeting held on August 30, 2018, approved the RSDP 2018-2023 for NCR

WHEREAS, pursuant to Article X, Section 14 of the 1987 Constitution, then-President Fidel V. Ramos signed Executive Order No. 325 creating the Regional Development Council (RDC) to coordinate the preparation, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of short and long-term regional development plans, including the formulation of policy recommendations, among others;

WHEREAS, as also provided in the 1987 Constitution, the RDC is composed of local government officials, regional heads of department and government offices and representatives from non-governmental organizations within the regions;

WHEREAS, RSC-NCR deems it critical to endorse to the RDC to approved RSDP 2018-2023 for NCR to ensure the region's full support in its implementation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AS IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, that the RSC endorse the RSDP 2018-2023 for NCR to the RDC-NCR to enjoin support for its adoption and implementation in the region.

RESOLVED FURTHER that an RDC Resolution be issued enjoining:

- all concerned agencies/institutions to submit annual report on the status of implementation of the statistical development programs to the PSA-Region NCR; and
- all concerned government agencies/institutions to include in their respective budget proposals the financial resources required for the RSDP implementation, and monitoring and evaluation.

Approved this 21st day of September 2018, in Quezon City.

Ma. JOSEFINA J. FAULAN
Chairperson, RSC-NCR
Chairperson, MMDA

Attested by:

PACIANO B. DIZON
Vice Chairperson, RSC-NCR
Officer-in-Charge, Philippine Statistics Authority-NCR