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PSA Apayao conducts 2024 POPCEN CBMS Data Collection



Enumerator of Flora during the data collection

The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Apayao is currently conducting the 2024 Census of Population Community-Based Monitoring System (2024 POPCENCBMS). It is a nationwide government undertaking that involves the collection, compilation, evaluation, analysis, publication, and dissemination of data on population count, demographic and socioeconomic characteristics of the population, housing statistics, and other relevant data from the barangay level up to the regional scope.

A total of 100 enumerators and 27 supervisors are currently visiting households throughout the province to conduct interviews and collect data. The said census started from July 15 and is expected to continue until all households be listed.

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MLT in Pudtol, Flora and Sta Marcela

PSA Apayao Completes 2024 POPCEN-CBMS Municipal Level Training

The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) - Apayao Provincial Statistical Office has successfully completed the Municipal Level Training (MLT) for the 2024 Census of Population and Community-Based Monitoring System (POPCEN-CBMS). Held in two batches from July 1 to 6 and July 8 to 13, 2024, the training focused on equipping enumerators with essential skills for accurate and reliable data collection. The sessions covered data collection methodologies, effective communication, and ethical fieldwork responsibilities.

These activities were supported by the MLGUs by providing Enumerator's Manuals aside from the venue.

With office-based employees serving as trainers across various municipalities, the training laid a strong foundation for the successful implementation of the census, ultimately supporting more informed policymaking and program development.

Philippine Standard Industrial Classification Training for MLGUs

team from **Philippine** the **Statistics** Authority Apayao conducted trainings on the adoption of the Philippine Standard Industrial Classification (PSIC) which was held at the Municipal Local Government (MLGU) Kabugao last July 26, and at MLGUs Flora and Santa Marcela last July 31. The trainings were aimed at orienting the MLGUs on the PSIC and its importance, broadening the knowledge and expertise of the personnel of the Business Permit and Licensing Offices (BPLOs) in processing LGU Business Registers using the PSIC and Philippine Standard Geographic Code (PSGC), and to assist the non-adopting MLGUs to use both in processing their busi-



Ms. Sheena Tactac giving introduction on PSIC, Kabugao

ness permit applications.

The **PSIC** is а detailed classification of industries prevailing in the country based on activities the productive establishments. undertaken bv and serves as a guide in the classification of establishments according to their primary economic activity which is useful It serves for analysis. framework for data collection, processing and compilation to ensure uniformity and industrial comparability of statistics produced by various entities at the local, national and international levels.

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