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PSA – Zamboanga Sibugay Undertakes the January 2025 Labor Force Survey (LFS)

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The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Field Office of Zamboanga Sibugay is currently undertaking the January 2025 Labor Force Survey (LFS). It aims to gather vital data on the demographic and socio-economic characteristics of the population. The data collection phase for this survey will run from January 8 to 31, 2025.

The LFS is an essential instrument in the formulation of policies and programs by lawmakers and other relevant agencies. The information gathered will serve as a foundation for initiatives focusing on the creation of gainful employment and livelihood opportunities, the reduction of unemployment and underemployment, and the enhancement of workers' welfare.



Statistical Researcher Charin Jane S. Tadle during the conduct of January 2025 LFS enumeration in Barangay Malinao, Mabuhay, ZSP

In Zamboanga Sibugay, six (6) trained Statistical Researchers are conducting interviews with 389 sample households. These researchers have completed a comprehensive four-day training program, which equipped them with the necessary knowledge and skills to adhere to standard procedures for data collection. The PSA ensures that all researchers are prepared to conduct the survey with professionalism and accuracy.

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The PSA emphasizes its commitment to maintaining the confidentiality of all information provided by respondents. This assurance is in accordance with Section 26 of Republic Act (RA) 10625, also known as the Philippine Statistical Act of 2013, and Section 8 of RA 10173, or the Data Privacy Act of 2012. All data collected will be treated with the utmost confidentiality and used exclusively for statistical purposes.

PSA-Zamboanga Sibugay earnestly seeks the cooperation and support of the sample households for this significant undertaking. Respondents are encouraged to provide accurate and truthful information, as their participation is integral to the success of this survey.

The PSA extends its gratitude to the public for their continued support and cooperation in this and other statistical activities, which are essential in fostering informed decision-making and contributing to the nation's development.

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