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PRESS RELEASE

THE 2ND LEVEL DATA PROCESSING TRAINING ON 2023 HOUSEHOLD ENERGY CONSUMPTION SURVEY (HECS) SPEARHEADS BY PHILIPPINE STATISTICS AUTHORITY IX

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Group photo opportunity of PSA IX employees and hired Data Processors during the 2nd Level Data Processing Training on Household Energy Consumption Survey (HECS).

17-19 September 2024 – ZAMBOANGA CITY. The Philippine Statistics Authority-Regional Statistical Services Office IX (PSA-RSSO IX) spearheaded the 2nd Level Data Processing Training on Household Energy Consumption Survey (HECS) headed by Ms. Sonia D. Supnet, Statistical Specialist II at Function Hall, PSA IX, this City.

Ms. Roxan Kastine M. Lumapas, OIC CRASD Chief formally opened the training with her opening message. Mr. Moriancumer A. Cabasag, Assistant Statistician of PSO Zamboanga del Norte served as resource person during the activity.



Attending the training were Mr. Milven J. Sumalpong, Statistical Analyst of PSO Zamboanga del Sur, Ms. Roselyn R. Manalo, Assistant Statistician of PSA RSSO IX, Mr. Romel S. Ganzale, Assistant Statistician of PSO Zamboanga Sibugay and hired Data Processors.

The Household Energy Consumption Survey (HECS) is a nationwide undertaking that collects and updates data on residential energy consumption patterns, providing valuable information for government, non-government agencies, and academia for in-depth research and studies. Energy statistics are crucial for formulating policies and programs, assessing energy targets, and identifying parameters affecting household and industry consumption, as they serve as inputs for energyrelated social issues.

All gathered information by the statistical researchers of PSA IX is treated with strict confidentiality under section 26 of the Republic Act 10625. The PSA strictly adheres to the Data Privacy Act of 2012, ensuring that all collected personal information is processed in accordance with the law and other relevant regulations.

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