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## **Final Results of 2006 CPBI for Fishing and Mining and Quarrying now available**

The National Statistics Office, the authority on general-purpose statistics, announces that the final results of the 2006 Census of Philippine Business and Industry (CPBI) for Sectors B – Fishing and, C - Mining and Quarrying are already available. The data include national and regional tables up to 5-digit Philippine Standard Industrial Classification (whenever applicable) for establishments with Average Total Employment (ATE) sizes 20 and over and, ATE less than 20.

The 2006 CPBI is a nationwide undertaking that aims to collect and to compile benchmark information on economic activities of establishments in the entire Philippines for the year 2006. Accurate and up-to-date business and economic information enable planners, both from the government and the private sector, to analyze industry structures and to evaluate business performance; to make effective plans and sound business decisions; and, to formulate meaningful policies and appropriate market strategies.

The 2006 CPBI which was undertaken by the NSO in 2007 covered establishments engaged in Agriculture, hunting and forestry; Fishing; Mining and quarrying; Manufacturing; Electricity, gas and water supply; Construction; Wholesale and retail trade, repair of motor vehicles, motorcycles and personal and household goods; Hotels and restaurants; Transport, storage and communications; Financial intermediation; Real estate, renting and

business activities; Private education; Health and social work; and, Other community, social and personal service activities as defined in the amended 1994 Philippine Standard Industrial Classification.

Copies of the final tables for Sectors B and C are available upon request. Interested parties may contact the NSO Industry Statistics Division/Non-Manufacturing Section at telephone numbers (02) 713-7067/716-3932 or visit its Office located at the 4th Floor Solicarel Bldg. II, R. Magsaysay Blvd., Sta. Mesa, Manila

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