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## PSA MARINDUQUE PSO CONDUCTS THIRD QUARTER 2024 LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY SURVEYS (BACKYARD AND COMMERCIAL)

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PSA-Marinduque SRs conducting interviews of sample households of the Third Quarter 2024 BLPS/CLPS.

06 OCTOBER 2024 – MARINDUQUE PROVINCIAL STATISTICAL OFFICE. The Philippine Statistics Authority (PSA) Marinduque Provincial Statistical Office (PSO) successfully conducted the *Third Quarter* **2024 Livestock and Poultry Surveys (Backyard and Commercial),** from 26 September 2024, to 06 October 2024.

**BLPS and CLPS** are two of the major agricultural surveys conducted by PSA. The data gathered in this survey are as follows: type of operation, inventory, born live/hatched live, acquired, sold live for slaughter and for other purposes, slaughtered/dressed in the household/establishments, number of deaths, average liveweight, average farmgate price, egg production indicator for poultry, and milk production for carabao, cattle and goat. These survey aims to generate estimates on the inventory, number of animals disposed, average farmgate price, egg production of poultry animals, milk production of dairy animals and other related data. More importantly, the production data generated from the survey are direct inputs



to the valuation of production in Philippine agriculture and fisheries, and accordingly to the computation of Gross Domestic Product (GDP).

PSA Marinduque hired three Statistical Researchers (SRs) to conduct personal interviews with 240 sample households from selected barangays across the province, including Duyay, Puyog, Tabigue, and Tugos in Boac; Bagtingon, and Libas in Buenavista; Balanacan, Laon, and Nangka II in Mogpog; Kaganhao, Landy, and Matalaba in Santa Cruz for the Backyard Livestock and Poultry Survey (BLPS); and nine sample establishments from selected barangays across the province located in Boton and Tugos in Boac, Tabionan and Libtangin in Gasan, Caigangan in Buenavista, Balanacan in Mogpog, and Pantayin in Santa Cruz for the Commercial Livestock and Poultry Survey (CLPS).

In this regard, the sample households are encouraged to participate in this nationwide undertaking by providing the necessary and accurate information.

According to Section 19 of Republic Act No. 10173, the "Data Privacy Act of 2012," all collected information will be kept confidential. Section 26 of RA No. 10625 states that individual data provided to the PSA for statistical inquiries is privileged communication and inadmissible as evidence in any proceeding.

For further questions or clarification, you may reach us via email at marinduque@psa.gov.ph. Alternatively, you can also reach us via our landline numbers: (042)332-0848 or (042)754-0024.

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