

REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
BUREAU OF INTERNAL REVENUE
Quezon City

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REVENUE MEMORANDUM CIRCULAR NO. 48 - 2012

TO : All Internal Revenue Officials, Employees and Others Concerned
SUBJECT : Celebration of the 23rd National Statistics Month in October, 2012

Pursuant to Presidential Decree No. 647 issued on September 20, 1990, declaring the month of October of every year as the National Statistics Month, the **23rd National Statistics Month (NSM)** will be celebrated in October 2012. The overall theme for this year's celebration is "**Monitoring Progress on Decent Work Through Statistics: Pathway to Inclusive Growth**" with the objectives of promoting, enhancing and instilling nationwide awareness and appreciation of the importance and value of statistics to the different sectors of the society; and eliciting the cooperation and support of the general public in upgrading the quality and standards of statistics in the country.

The celebration is a nationwide event. All agencies of the government and their respective regions/field offices are enjoined to participate and support the celebration through various activities such as symposia, workshops, orientation seminars, exhibits, slide shows, and publication of statistical reports, indicators, and other relevant information with particular emphasis on the theme.

Each Revenue Regional and District Office is requested to provide their own NSM streamer to be displayed at their building façade throughout the month of October. BIR employees may coordinate with the participating agencies in their respective areas for their specific activity that they may want to get involved in.

Attached is the NSCB Memorandum Circular No. 01-12 as well as the NSM streamer format for your information and guidance.

You are hereby encouraged to participate in the said activity.

(Original Signed)
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