



Republic of the Philippines
Department of Environment and Natural Resources
NATIONAL WATER RESOURCES BOARD

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Ms. Aida Mendoza
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Dear Ms. Mendoza,

This refers to your email dated 24 April 2019, requesting for the number of households and service connections per water service providers in the Philippines.

Please be informed that data/information of the same or similar nature may be taken from the Listahang Tubig or **Water Register** which is a database of participating water service providers covering all service levels - Level I or point source, Level II or communal faucets, and Level III or piped connections. Attached herewith is the soft copy of the data/information of number of households and service connections/service coverage per regions for the years 2013 to 2017.

It should be noted that the basic profile of all water service providers in the Listahang Tubig database are self-reported and that key performance indicators are self-rated by the Level III water utilities.

Further, the Listahang Tubig as the first ever national survey of water service providers, shows the profile and performance indicators of the participating utilities. It also has a participation rate of 88% from cities and municipalities nationwide. To date, the NWRB as the Listahang Tubig administrator has to continually enjoin the assistance of the LGUs to populate and update data/information in the database every year in order to continue the initiative and sustain the momentum derived from the initial gains of the Listahang Tubig since it launching in 2015.

Relative to the Listahang Tubig, may we elicit your support to this undertaking, particularly in providing us the results of your research on identifying where people have low water coverage in the country.

We hope that the information will serve to guide you.

Very truly yours,

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