

## **BORACAY EMERGENCY EMPLOYMENT PROGRAM – ADJUSTMENT MEASURES PROGRAM (BEEP-AMP) BRIEFER**

As of 28 February 2019

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- The DOLE BEEP-AMP offered a comprehensive package of assistance for formal sector workers affected by the temporary closure of the Boracay Island. It aimed to enhance the employability and competitiveness, as well as mitigate the adverse economic impact of the island's rehabilitation.
- **Displaced, suspended, and retained workers** were provided with 50% of the prevailing minimum wage in Region VI or **Php 4,205.50 per month**, deposited monthly to the beneficiary's Land Bank of the Philippines account for a maximum period of **6 months**.
- Secretary Silvestre H. Bello III issued **DOLE Department Order No. 191-A, Series of 2018** on 13 July 2018 which relaxed the submission of documentary and conditional requirements and modified the provision of financial support (FS) across all affected formal sector workers.
- **Accomplishments:** As of 28 February 2019, the program through the DOLE Regional Office VI has accomplished the following:
  - Total applications received: **28,304**
  - Target beneficiaries: **17,735**
  - Applications Paid: **29,279 paid**
  - Amount Disbursed: **Php 447,494,931.36**
- The number of paid beneficiaries exceeded the target beneficiaries because some beneficiaries did not comply with the conditional requirements to receive their final financial support tranche. Available funds were then used to accommodate other applications.