### AKLAN

## **Mineral Profile**

## I. GENERAL INFORMATION

Region: WESTERN VISAYAS (Region VI)
Province: Aklan
Population (as of August 1, 2015; in thousand): 575
Income classification: 2<sup>nd</sup> Class Province
Major economic activities: Tourism industry, farming and fishing

Aklan is a province located in the northwest portion of Panay Island, bordered by the provinces of Iloilo from the south, Capiz from the east and Antique from the southwest. It also faces the Sibuyan and includes the island of Boracay which is located at its northwestern tip.

The province is composed of 17 municipalities with 327 barangays.

### II. LAND AREA AND MINERAL POTENTIAL

Total land area of the province of Aklan is 181,789 hectares. The total area covered by the approved mining rights is only **0.66% or 1,207.1045** hectares of the total land area of Aklan.



# Number of Mining Rights Issued by National Government in Aklan

TYPE OF MINING RIGHT	NUMBER	AREA
Mineral Production Sharing Agreements (MPSA)	1	1,162.687 has.
Industrial Sand and Gravel Permit (ISAGP)	0	has.
Commercial Sand and Gravel (CSAG) Permit	50	44.4175 has.
TOTAL	51	1,207.1045 has.

#### **III. MINERAL RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS**

There is only one mining company but is still under exploration stage. Most of the permits registered are for sand and gravel collections.

		Mining Projects/Operators/Permit Holder
Limestone		Far East Cement Corporation
Sand and Gravel		
Commercial Sat Gravel	nd and	Alag, Florencio M. Andrada, Allyn A. Aniciete, Romeo Candari, Elenita Candari, Oscar G. Del Rosario, Teresita Dulpa, Janeth Fernandez, Victor Ibit, Evelyn B. Ibit, John Michael B. Inolino, Jency I. Inolino, Jency I. Inolino, John Patrick C. Manikan, Doralyn Mationg, Ronnie R. Maquirang, Victor Steve M. Lito John J. Montero Nalangan, Mary Paz A. Nalangan, Miguel V. Oducado, Rowena P. Randoy, Marlon

Reunir, Eugene Sazon, Reva Grace F. Sevilla, Percival J. Toriaga, Sandy Valencia, Jonathan Valenzuela, Ralph T. Villanueva, Alma B. Zapata, John Randy P. Zeque, Mary Rose Z. Zeque, Romualdo S. Zeque, Rosemarie Z. 79 Cornerstone Const. Dev't Corp. John Mikko R. Alag Teodoro Neron, Jr. Leah Q. Ramirez Diane S. Manikan Nestor Victor G. Rodriguez Leodith Sallador Jose Lounel G. Alonzo Salvador, Jerome R. **Clifford Construction Corp.** Pilante, Norlyn A. Ibardolasa, Joseph Navarosa, Manilyn Gepty, Ariel Yeban, Edgardo Powell A. Del Rosario Annabelle Gaspar Rookienani P. Solina Salve R. Idorot

### IV. ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION

### > **PRODUCTION**

Mineral Commodity	Quantity	Value (PhP)	
Sand and Gravel	192,468.70 Cu. M	35,685,739.67	

### > EMPLOYMENT

Type of Permit	Male	Female	Total
CSAG	206	37	243

In the case of Sand and gravel mining, a total of 243 employees were recorded. Most of them 206 (84.77%) are male while only 37 (15.23%) are female engaged in this kind of industry.

# > TAXES PAID

- Total amount of occupational fee paid by the FECC amounted to PhP 109,500.00.
- The municipality of Buruanga explores for limestone.
- Sand and gravel mining are in 7 municipalities of Aklan Kalibo, Lezo, Libacao, Ibajay, Malinao, Numancia and Banga.

Note: All other LGU remittances from permittees are yet to be submitted.