#### 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.

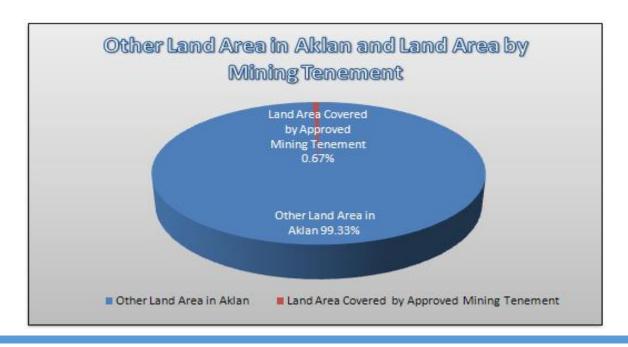
The province is composed of 17 municipalities with 327 barangays.

## 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 **0.67% or 1,217.529** 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<br>Agreements (MPSA) | 1      | 1,162.687 has. |
| Mineral Processing Permit (MPP)                 | 1      | Not Applicable |
| Commercial Sand and Gravel (CSAG) Permit        | 43     | 39.534 has.    |
| Industrial Sand and Gravel (CSAG) Permit        | 2      | 9.780 has.     |
| Quarry Permit                                   | 2      | 5.528 has.     |
| TOTAL   | 49     | 1,217.529 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<br>Holder   |
|--------------|------|-----|--|
| Limestone    |      |     | Far East Cement Corporation  |
| Sand and Gra | vel  |     | International Builders Corporation   |
| Commercial   | Sand | and | Alag, Florencio M. Alag, John Mikko Albaciete, AB B. Alonzo, Ma. Antoinette M. Ascaño III, Mabini D. Candari, Elenita T. Cerezo, Reuben Z. Clifford Construction Corporation Delos Santos, King Malvin M. Fernandez, Victor L. Garcia, Adilpho Gelito, Alexandra M. Gepty, Ariel B. Ibardalosa, Joseph A. Lu, January Macahilig, Audrea N. Magallanes, Michael Chrency Maquirang, Hermina T. Mationg, Ronnie R. Mendoza, Lyneth R. |

Montero, Lito John J.

Mondia, John P.

Nemar Stone Builders Corp.

Pilante, Norlyn A.

Rada, Reoven M.

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Reporen, Annalie R.

Rodriguez, Kristofer M.

Rodriguez, Nestor Victor G.

Rovero, Vilma L.

Roveras, Jenerson I.

Salguero, Nelly O.

Sazon, Reva Grace F.

Serato, Diana R.

Sevilla, Percival J.

Teodosio, Brendalyn O.

Toriaga, Sandy I.

Valenzuela, Ralph T.

Villanueva, Jebb L.

Villorete, Sol Z.

Yambao, Benjor D.

Zeque, Romualdo S.

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**Development Corporation** 

Industrial Sand and Gravel(ISAG)

**AGT Construction Corporation** 

Inolino, John Patrick C.

**Quarry Permit** 

Colesio, Anthony P.

Neron, Neal R.

# IV. **ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION**

# **PRODUCTION**

| Mineral Commodity | Quantity         | Value (PhP)   |  |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------|--|
| Sand and Gravel   | 139,731.00 Cu.M. | 26,908,078.39 |  |
| Ordinary Earth    | 2,385.00 Cu.M.   | 912,119.40    |  |

# > SALES

| Mineral Commodity | Quantity         | Value (PhP)   |  |
|-------------------|------------------|---------------|--|
| Sand and Gravel   | 193,399.00 Cu.M. | 54,810,505.00 |  |
| Ordinary Earth    | 2,385.00 Cu.M.   | 912,119.40    |  |

# **EMPLOYMENT**

| Type of Permit | Male | Female | Total |
|----------------|------|--------|-------|
| MPP            | 5    | 2      | 7     |
| CSAG           | 98   | 25     | 123   |

In the case of Sand and gravel mining, a total of 130 employees were recorded. Most of them 103 (79.23%) are male while only 27 (20.77%) are female engaged in this kind of industry.

## > TAXES PAID

- Total amount of occupational fee paid by the FECC amounted to PhP 87,225.00.
- 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.