

The Mining Industry together with the Mines and Geosciences Bureau is in unity with the Filipino people on the performance of tasks pursuant to RA No. 11469 or the “Bayanihan to Heal as One Act”.

SUMMARY OF ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Pursuant to Republic Act 11469 or the Bayanihan to Heal as One Act

As of April 8, 2020

Applicable Power/Authority	Program/Activity	Number of Target Beneficiaries	Number of Target Beneficiaries Served	Budget Allocation	Budget Utilized
Section 4.k.2: Procurement of goods and supplies for the social amelioration measures in favor of the communities	Realignment of Social Development and Management Program (SDMP) fund for social amelioration of communities around mining projects thru provisions of Health/Hygiene Kits and Food Packs	217,703 Households 16,870 Frontliners 230 PUM	185,894 Households 17,055 Frontliners 230 PUM	74,364,781.25	59,339,082.41

Name of Program/Activity: Realignment of Social Development and Management Program (SDMP) Fund

The Program/Activity is the response of the mining industry to support the Government in addressing the problems it is now confronting, particularly on providing medical assistance and daily sustenance during this period. The MGB has issued a Memorandum dated March 27, 2020 authorizing its Regional Directors to allow mining companies to re-align unutilized funds in their Social Development Management Program to assist their respective host community and neighboring areas as well as non-impact barangays in their localities during the implementation of community quarantine due to COVID-19. This initiative is also in accordance with Section 136-E of DENR Administrative Order No. 2010-21, the Consolidated IRR of Republic Act 7942, otherwise known as the “Philippine Mining Act of 1995”.

The support is through provision of health/hygiene kits and distribution of food packs to households and frontliners in mining host communities and its neighboring areas in close coordination with the concerned LGUs.