

#### **"OPPORTUNITIES FOR TAIWANESE INVESTORS IN PHILIPPINE ECONOMIC ZONES"**

**A Presentation for:** 

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#### **Philippine Economic Zone Authority**

# An investment promotion and incentive granting agency.

**Philippine Economic Zone Authority** 

**PEZA grants incentives to Exporters:** 

1.Exporters of Manufactured or processed products;
2.Exporters of I.T. enabled services

**Philippine Economic Zone Authority** 

# PEZA also grants incentives to:

# DevelopersofEconomicZonesoutsideofMetroManila

### **344 Economic Zones Nationwide**

- **71** Industrial and Export Processing Zones
- **231 IT Parks and Centers** 
  - **19 Tourism Ecozones** 
    - **2** Medical Tourism Parks
  - **21** Agro-Industrial Parks

As of June 2016

# **INCENTIVES TO EXPORTERS**

- Income Tax Holiday (ITH)

   6 to 8 years for pioneer project

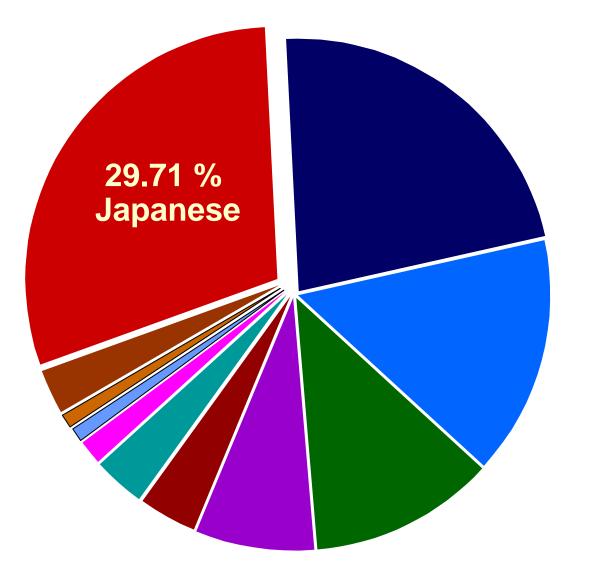
   4 to 6 years for non-pioneer project
- 2. After the ITH Special 5% tax on gross income less allowable deductions in lieu of all national and local taxes

- 3. Tax and duty free importation of capital equipment, spare parts, supplies and raw materials
- 4. Domestic sales allowance of up to 30% of total sales (Note: Sale by Ecozone Manufacturers of solar panels and LED lighting system to other PEZA enterprises are considered indirect export and not local sale.)

- 5. Zero Value Added Tax (VAT) Rate on all local purchases to include telecommunications, power and water bills
- 6. Exemption from payment of local government taxes and fees

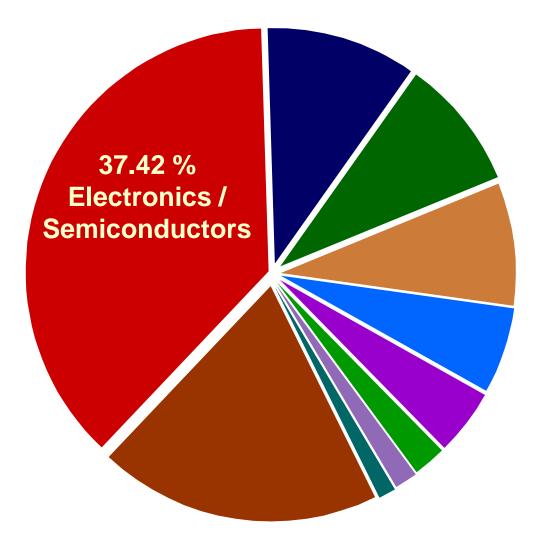
- 7. Employment of foreign nationals
- 8. Special visa for foreign investors and immediate family members

#### **LOCATOR INVESTMENTS BY NATIONALITY** (1995 – 2015)



22.31 % Filipino 15.34 % American 11.85 % Dutch 7.59 % British 3.72 % Korean 3.29 % Singaporean 1.57 % German 0.89 % Taiwanese 0.88 % Swiss 2.88 % Others

#### **LOCATOR INVESTMENTS BY PRODUCT SECTOR** (1995 – 2015)



- **10.31 % Information Technology Services** 
  - 8.98 % Metals/Fabricated Metal Products
  - 8.43 % Tourism
  - 5.92 % Transport (Shipbuilding, Aerospace, Car Parts, Equipment)
  - 4.51 % Electrical Machinery and Apparatus
  - 2.25 % Medical, Precision and Optical Instruments
  - 1.58 % Rubber and Plastic Products
  - 1.20 % Medical Tourism
- 19.40 % Other Manufactures

#### **LOCATOR COMPANIES**

# 3,807 LOCATOR COMPANIES AND COUNTING

As of June 2016

TI Philippines	Electronics	American/Dutch
Taganito HPAL Nickel	<b>Basic Metals</b>	Japanese
Toshiba Information	Electronics	Japanese
Tiger Resort	Tourism	American/Japan
Sunpower Philippines	Solar Cells	American/Cayman
Travellers International	Tourism	Filipino
Sureste Properties	Tourism	Filipino
Ibiden Philippines	Electronics	Japanese
Coral Bay Nickel	Basic Metals	Japanese

NXP Semiconductors	Electronics	Dutch
Canon Business	Electronics	Japanese
MCE Leisure	Tourism	British Virgin
Epson Precision	Electronics	Japanese
HGST Philippines	Electronics	Dutch/Japanese
PASAR	<b>Basic Metals</b>	Filipino
Rohm Electronics	Electronics	Singapore/Japan
Samsung	Electronics	Korean
Toyota Autoparts	Automotive	Japanese

St. Luke's	Medical Tourism	Filipino
Tsuneishi	Shipbuilding	Japanese
STMicroelectronics, Inc.	Electronics	Swiss
Integrated MicroElectronics	Electronics	British
Convergys Philippines	Info Technology	Dutch/American
Panasonic Precision	Electronics	Dutch/Japanese
American Power	<b>Electrical Machinery</b>	Dutch/American
TDK Philippines	Electronics	Japanese
Taiyo Yuden	Electronics	Japanese
Lufthansa Technik	Air Transport	German

Pilipinas Kao	<b>Chemical Products</b>	Japanese
Terumo Philippines	Medical Instruments	Japanese
Nidec Philippines	Electronics	Japanese
Accenture, Inc.	Info Technology	Dutch
Continental Temic	Electronics	German
AG & P	Fabricated Metals	Filipino
Teletech	Info Technology	American
On Semiconductor	Electronics	American
Analog Devices	Electronics	Dutch
Green Future	Agro-Industrial	Japanese

Brother Industries	Electronics	Japanese
JPMorgan	Info Technology	American
Xerox Business	Info Technology	Dutch
Schweitzer-Mauduit	Agro-Industrial	American
Convergys Philippines	Info Technology	Dutch/American
House Technology	Rubber/Plastic	Singapore/Japan
Funai Electric	Electronics	Japanese
First Sumiden	Electronics	Japanese
Smart Electronics	Electronics	Korean
MJC Investments	Tourism	Filipino

PV Tech	<b>Electrical Machinery</b>	Singaporean
Ionics EMS	Electronics	Filipino
Cypress Manufacturing	Electronics	American
Moog Controls	Air Transport	American
Cavite Biofuel	Agro-Industrial	Filipino
First Philec	Electronics	Filipino
Nidec Precision	<b>Electrical Machinery</b>	Japanese
Concentrix Daksh	Info Technology	Dutch
Tong Hsing	Electronics	Taiwanese
Boracay Shangri-La	Tourism	British

# 74 Taiwanese Companies in PEZA Economic Zones

#### Number of PEZA-Registered Enterprises with Taiwanese Equity by Sector

INDUSTRY SECTOR	NO. OF ENTERPRISES		
MANUFACTURING	64		
Electronics / Semiconductor	17		
Electrical Machinery and Apparatus, N.E.C.	3		
Medical, Precision and Optical Instruments, Watches and	3		
Clocks	3		
Radio, Television and Communication Equipment and	11		
Apparatus			
Tobacco and Tobacco Products	0		
Garments and Textiles	17		
Wood, Wood Products & Cork	1		
Chemicals and Chemical Products	2		
Rubber and Plastic Products	4		
Basic Metals	0		
Fabricated Metal Products	9		
Machinery and Equipment, N.E.C.	9		
Furniture	1		
Recycling	1		
Manufacturing, N.E.C.	3		
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	1		
Call Centers	0		
Software Development	0		
Data Encoding, Transcribing and Related Services	0		
Business Process Outsourcing	1		
Other IT-enabled Services	0		
REAL ESTATE, RENTING AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES	6		
HOTELS AND RESTAURANTS	0		
TRANSPORT, STORAGE AND COMMUNICATIONS	3		
TOTAL	74		

#### **ELECTRONICS AND SEMICON COMPANIES**

Tong Hsing Electronics (Philippines), Inc. Dyna Image Corporation Philippines Acbel Polytech Philippines, Inc. KINPO ELECTRONICS (PHILIPPINES), INC. Orient Semiconductor Electronics Philippines, Inc. Leader Electronics (Philippine Branch), Inc. MEC Electronics Philippines Corporation Tong Fang International, Inc. Lakepower Converter, Inc. High Well Electronics Mfg. Corporation Ultra-Pak Philippines Corporation Linksphere Technologies, Corp.

#### **FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS COMPANIES**

Hor Sin Metal Corp. Vinox Corporation ASAM INDUSTRIES INC. Rosario Fasteners Corporation Philake Metal Corporation Zhan Jung Metal Finishing Corporation SK10 Corporation

#### **WEARING APPAREL, GARMENTS, TEXTILE COMPANIES**

**Feeder Apparel Corporation** Mactan Apparels, Inc. **Global Wear Manufacturing, Inc.** Metro Wear Inc. Pan-Phil Sportswear, Inc. **Palmphil Garments Philippine Corporation** Formosagarment Printing, Inc. Chi Hsing Hats & Caps, Inc. **Good Enterprise Corporation Excellent Texscreeners, Inc. Philippine Unionlite Industrial Corporation Better Phils. Apparel, Inc.** Mactan Diamond Embroidery, Inc. **Classic Computer Embroidery, Inc.** 

#### LEATHER, LUGGAGE, HANDBAGS, FOOTWEAR COMPANIES

Probag Cebu Exports, Inc. St. Jane International, Inc. Sports Royal, Inc. Headway Caps International Co., Inc. Bagtrends International Corporation

#### **MEDICAL, PRECISION AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS COMPANIES**

Bioteque Medical Phil., Inc. Tong Fang International, Inc. Asia Scopro Optics Co., Inc.

#### **RUBBER, PLASTIC, AND PAPER PRODUCTS COMPANIES**

Taihan Precision Technology (Philippines) Co., Inc. Shing Hung Plastics Company, Inc. Kou Fu Packaging Corporation Fong Shann Printing Philippines Inc. Tsuchiya Kogyo (Phils.), Inc. Foxcolor Tech. Inc. Yiking Plastic Production Inc. Polaris Mold Fabrication Corporation Faith Achieve Plastics Corporation Philbook Consumer Products Inc. Paul Deco Industrial Corporation

#### FURNITURE AND WOOD PRODUCTS COMPANIES

Apollo Sun Corporation Greenwood Home Décor, Inc. Paul Yu Philippines Corporation

#### LOGISTICS, FACILITIES, UTILITIES, RECYCLING COMPANIES

Greenstone Creative Property Holding Corporation Pofucon Realty Corporation Tansunco Properties, Inc. Globalwear Manufacturing Inc. Formosawide Industries, Inc. OTKM Services Phils., Inc. TMC Metal Philippines, Inc. V-Tech Trading Logistics And Services Corp. Alicia Ann International, Inc. Elom International Foods, Inc

#### **ELECTRICAL MACHINERY, CHEMICAL PRODUCTS COMPANIES**

CSB Battery Co., Ltd. (Philippine Branch) East Stacker Philippines Corporation VAST LIGHTING CORP. Bary's Industrial Corporation

#### I.T. COMPANY

**Xuenn Incorporated** 



Thank you

# Philippine Economic Zone Authority (PEZA)

- Attached to the Department of Trade and Industry
- Promotes Investments
- Creates Employment
- Generates Exports

# WHY PHILIPPINES

The Philippines is Fastest Growing Among the ASEAN-6 countries:

- •Fastest Growing Economy
- •100 Million Population

Youngest Population

	GDP Growth (2012-2015)	Population	Median Age
Philippines	6.63%	100,000,000	23.5
Singapore	3.57%	5,469,700	33.8
Thailand	3.67%	67,725,979	36.2
Malaysia	5.40%	29,901,997	27.7
Indonesia	5.53%	254,454,77	29.2
Vietnam	5.53%	90,730,000	29.2
ASEAN-6	5.06%	91,236,857	29.93

Source : World Bank and CIA World Fact Book

✓ GSP + granted to Philippines by E.U.
 Parliament on Dec. 19, 2014

Philippines is the only E.U. GSP+ beneficiary country among ASEAN

Zero Tariff on 6,274 products destined for Europe with 40% local content

 ✓ U.S.A. listed the Philippines as GSP-Eligible Beneficiary on October 2015

Zero Tariff on 3,500 products lines destined for the USA except textiles and apparel, watches, footwear, work gloves, and leather apparel.

#### **Investment Grade Credit Rating**







# **The Filipino Work Force**

- High literacy rate of 94.6%
- Englishspeaking



# **The Filipino Work Force**

# • Easy to train





• Hardworking

# **The Filipino Work Force**

• Very friendly



# In the I.T. Sector



**Filipino Workers are** considered **Global Knowledge Workers** because they are intelligent and able to compete at the highest levels among the best in the world.

# **The Filipino Work Force**

1 million Filipinos reach working age every year, and half of them are college graduates.



# **Foreign Investor-Friendly Policies**

- Basic rights of Investors are guaranteed:
  - Right to remit profits
  - Right to pay foreign obligations
  - Right to repatriate investments
- 100% Foreign ownership of companies

## **STRATEGIC LOCATION**



## HOSPITABLE and COMFORTABLE SECOND HOME

### **Very friendly attitude of Filipinos**



# Housing at very reasonable rates



# International schools for expatriates' children



# Best sporting and recreational facilities



# **World class health services**





# THE PEZA BRAND OF SERVICE

# **1. PEZA is a One-Stop Shop**

- Building and Occupancy Permits
- Import and Export Permits
- Online Import and Export Procedures and E-Payment System

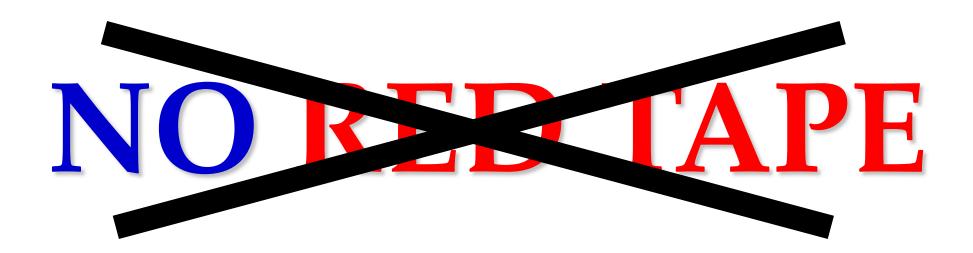
- Special multiple-entry non-immigrant Visa
- Environment Clearance Certificate
- Exemption from Local Government Permits and Fees
- Simplified registration process

   electronic application available
   from website; forms
   downloadable

# 2. PEZA is a Non-Stop Shop

- Provides 24 hours a day, 7 days a week of continuous service
- The Director General and other top officials are on call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week

# **3. In PEZA, there is**



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# ONLY RED CARPET TREATMENT



# PEZA is ISO 9001:2008 Certified

#### Attestation

This is to attest that

#### Philippine Economic Zone Authority

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> Had successfully undergone re-certification audit last December 1, 2, 5 and 6, 2011 conducted by AJA REGISTRARS INC, and subsequently satisfactorily submitted its rectification plans in the prescribed corrective action request procedure

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#### ISO 9001:2008

and have now been recommended for continued certification.

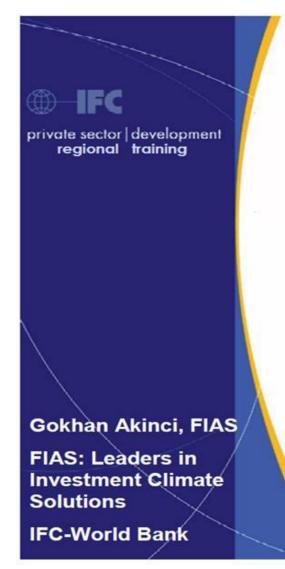
The scope of certification is

ALL PEZA PROCESSES IN ALL PEZA SPECIAL ECONOMIC ZONES (SEZs) & INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT) PARKS/CENTERS NATIONWIDE (Business Registration Permits, Zone Enterprise Operations, Incentives Administration, Zone Estate Administration, and Adminnistrative Services)

Paul B. Bagatsing Vice President / General Manager AJA REGISTRARS INC. 05 January 2012 Date

Unit 3D, Unioil Center, Acacia Corner Commerce Avenue, Madrigal Business Park, Ayala Alabang, Mantinhapa City Tel : 850 2040 / 2204 / 2208 Fax : 850 2208 Email: admin@ajaphils.com For all processes, at all levels, in all offices, nationwide.

# IFC – World Bank cited only PEZA for Best Practice among Economic Zones worldwide



*"Under PEZA, the Philippines has shown dramatic improvements in Investment Climate.* 

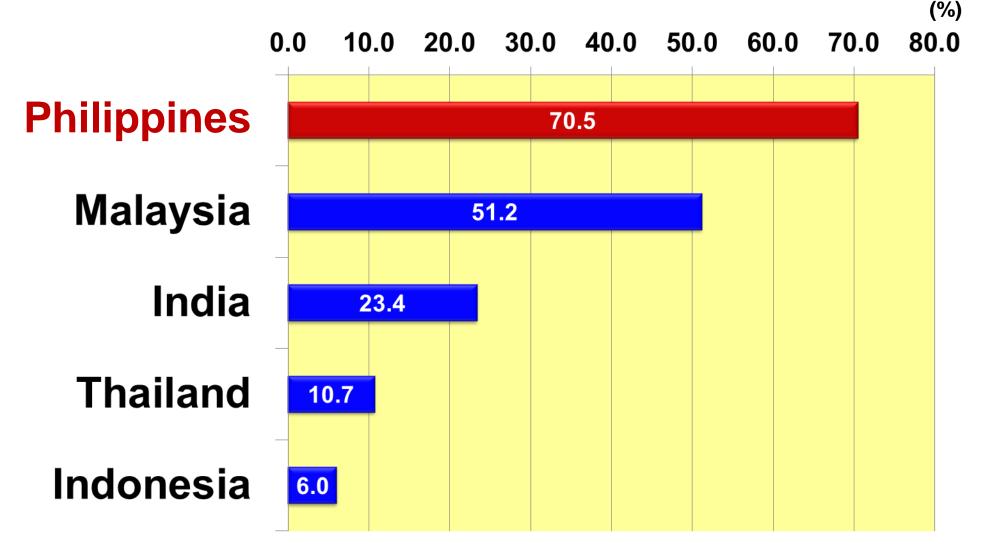
End Result – PEZA is a shining example of successful regulatory reform improving overall investment climate in the country."



# Appreciation of Investment Environments December 2014

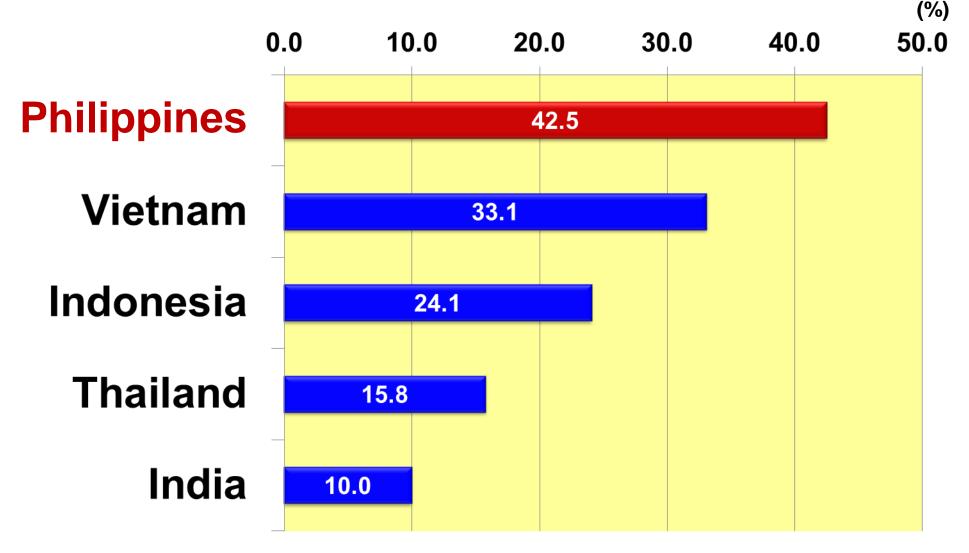
#### JETRO 2014 Survey of Japanese-Affiliated Firms in Asia and Oceana

### **Less Linguistic/Communication Problems**



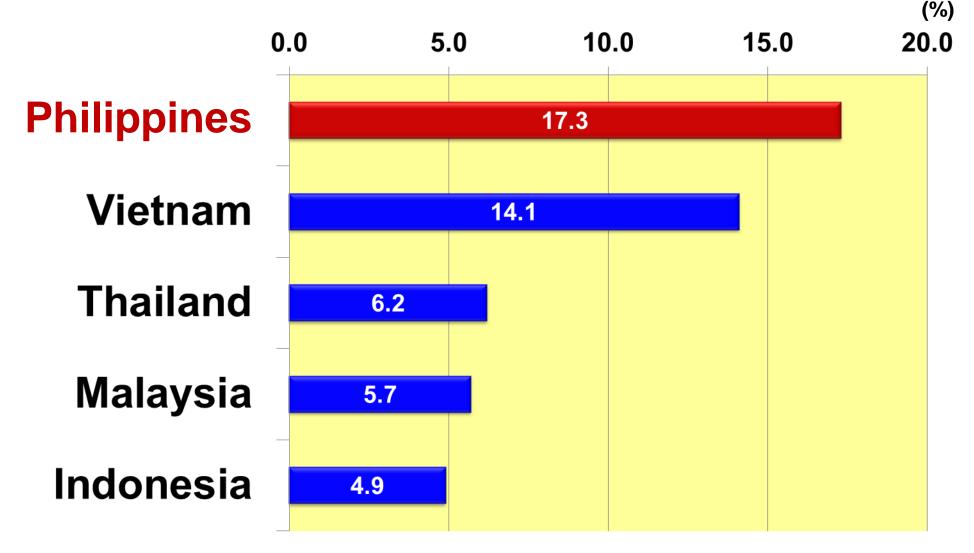
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### Easy To Hire Local Staff (General Worker/Staff/Clerk)



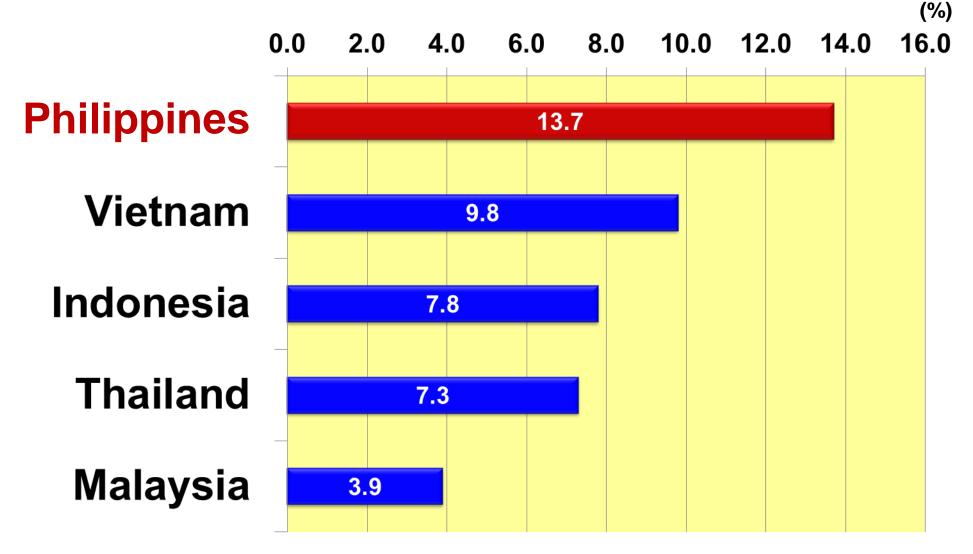
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### High Quality of Employees (General Worker)



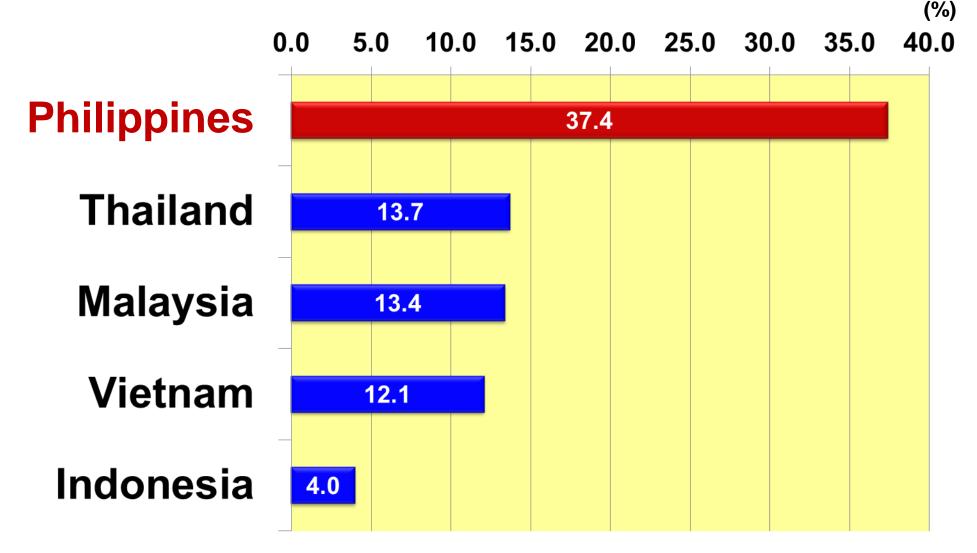
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### **High Employee Retention Rates**



Source:

### Tax Incentives (Corporate Tax Holidays etc.)



Source:

## Number of Strikes/Lockouts

(Unit: Number)

Country	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
China	90	185	382	656	1,379
Indonesia	192	196	51	239	233
Philippines	8	2	2	1	2
Thailand	3	14	12	11	8
Vietnam	423	981	468	327	

#### Sources:

China: China Labour Bulletin Indonesia: Ministry of Manpower and Transmigration Philippines: National Conciliation and Mediation Board Thailand: Department of Labour Protection and Welfare Vietnam: Vietnam General Confederation of Labor

# 5 OF THE WORLD'S TOP 20 SEMICON and ELECTRONICS SALES LEADERS ARE OPERATING IN THE PHILIPPINES



# TOSHIBA

Leading Innovation >>>>







Source: IC Insights 2014 / SEIPI

# **MAJOR SMS and EMS PLAYERS IN THE COUNTRY**



Notes:

SMS – Semiconductor Manufacturing Services

**EMS – Electronics Manufacturing Services** 

Major Players Per Sectors:

- Semiconductor (Components / Devices)
- Computer Related Products / EDPs
- Office Equipment
- Consumer Electronics
- Telecommunications
- Communication/Radar

- Control & Instrumentation
- Medical / Industrial Instrumentation
- Automotive Electronics
- Aerospace
- Solar / PV

#### Source: SEIPI