This paper discusses the applications of IT in different stages of the 2006 Population By-census (06BC) in four broad areas:

(i) supporting field operation with Geographic Information System (GIS) technology;
(ii) allowing sampled households to make appointment for enumeration at preferred time slots through a Internet application “Appointment Request Service”;
(iii) providing electronic questionnaires to respondents for electronic reporting; and (iv) using Intelligent Character Recognition (ICR) and Optical Mark Recognition (OMR) technologies to capture data on completed questionnaires.


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