

Boracay holiday island

Six-month closure of the Philippines' popular resort island starts April 26

SIZE

Total land area

10.3 sq km

Length

About 7km

TOURISM

Annual guests

2 million

Revenue (yearly)

\$1 billion

Tourism-related hotels, restaurants and other businesses

500

Total staff

**17,000 +
11,000
construction workers**

Environment Ministry says

more than 195 businesses and 4,000 homes

are not connected to sewer lines

Top visitors in 2017

Mainland Chinese

375,284

South Koreans

356,644

Taiwanese

40,802

