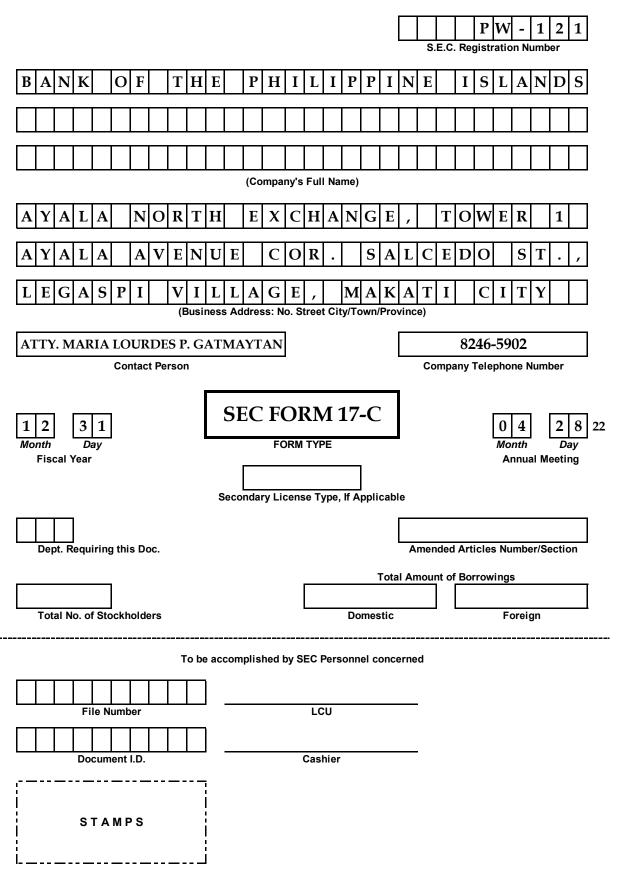
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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SEC FORM 17-C

CURRENT REPORT UNDER SECTION 17 OF THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE AND SRC RULE 17.2(c) THEREUNDER

- 1. 03 February 2023 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
- 2. PW-121 SEC Identification Number
- 3. 000-438-366-000 BIR Tax Identification No.
- 4. BANK OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter
- 5. MANILA, PHILIPPINES Province, country or other jurisdiction of Incorporation
- 6. Industry Classification Code (SEC Use Only)
- AYALA NORTH EXCHANGE TOWER 1, AYALA AVENUE COR. SALCEDO ST., LEGASPI VILLAGE, MAKATI CITY METRO MANILA (current business address) Address of principal office

1229 Postal Code

- 8. 8246-5902 (CORPSEC OFFICE)/8246-5860 (IR) Issuer's telephone number, including area code
- 9. N/A Former name or former address, if changed since last report

10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the SRC or Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA

Title of Each ClassNumber of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding
& Amount of Debt Outstanding

<u>Common</u>

4,513,128,255

11. Indicate the item numbers reported therein : Item 9

Item 9 - Other Events

Re: Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) Assessment Letter

In its letter dated 03 February 2023, the Securities and Exchange Commission assessed penalties against the Company for violation of Section 8.1 of the SRC in the amount of One Hundred Thirty-Four Million Six Hundred Twenty-Two Thousand Seventeen Pesos and Fifty-Nine Centavos (Php134,622,017.59), for omitting to secure SEC's confirmation of exemption from registration for its 7-year Executive Stock Purchase Plan and Executive Stock Option Plan launched in 2013.

Pursuant to the requirement of the Securities Regulation Code, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

BANK OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS Registrant

MARIA LOURDES P. GATMAYTAN Corporate Secretary

03 February 2023 Date

BANK OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS_SEC FORM 17-C_03FEB2023

BPI Corporate Secretary <corporate.secretary@bpi.com.ph>

Mon 2/6/2023 11:04 AM To: ICTD Submission <ictdsubmission@sec.gov.ph> Cc: Emeliana Elisa F. Navarro <efnavarro@bpi.com.ph>;Lean P. Batalla <lpbatalla@bpi.com.ph> Bcc: Shiena Angela D. Aquino <sadaquino@bpi.com.ph>

● 1 attachments (663 KB) BANK OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS_SEC FORM 17-C_03FEB2023.pdf;

Good day!

Please see attached SEC Form 17-C re: Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) Assessment Letter. Kindly acknowledge receipt of this email once received. Thank you.

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Re: BANK OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS_SEC FORM 17-C_03FEB2023

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Mon 2/6/2023 11:04 AM

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