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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. 12 February 2025
  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)
   7. 22/F-28/F AYALA TRIANGLE GARDENS TOWER 2, PASEO DE ROXAS COR.
  MAKATI AVE., BEL-AIR, MAKATI CITY (current business address)
  Address of principal office
- 8. (632) 8663-6525 (CORPSEC OFFICE) / (632) 8663-6733 (IR) Issuer's telephone number, including area code

1226

Postal Code

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 Class

Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding & Amount of Debt Outstanding

Common

5,272,095,143 shares

11. Indicate the item numbers reported therein:

Item 9

Item 9 - Other Events

Re: BPI Appoints Luis Geminiano E. Cruz as Head of Institutional Banking

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

12 February 2025 Date SHIENA ANGELA D. AQUINO Assistant Corporate Secretary



12 February 2025

Securities and Exchange Commission 7907 Makati Avenue, Salcedo Village Barangay Bel-Air, Makati City 1209

Attention:

Director Oliver O. Leonardo

Director, Markets & Securities Regulation Department

Director Rachel Esther J. Gumtang-Remalante

Director, Corporate Governance & Finance Department

Philippine Stock Exchange 6/F PSE Tower 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue corner 28<sup>th</sup> Street Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City

Attention:

Mr. Norberto Moreno, Ir.

Officer-in-Charge, Disclosure Department

Philippine Dealing and Exchange Corporation 29/F BDO Equitable Tower 8751 Paseo de Roxas, Makati City

Attention:

Atty. Suzy Claire R. Selleza

Head, Issuer Compliance and Disclosure Department

#### Gentlemen:

The Bank of the Philippine Islands (BPI) has approved the appointment of Senior Vice President (SVP) Luis Geminiano E. Cruz as Head of Institutional Banking, effective May 1, 2025, subject to regulatory approval. His appointment follows the secondment of Juan Carlos L. Syquia to Ayala Corporation (AC).

With a distinguished career spanning over three decades, Mr. Cruz brings a wealth of experience across multiple banking disciplines. Since joining BPI in September 2010, he has taken on key leadership roles in Corporate Banking and Private Banking. He currently leads BPI's Commercial Banking Group, a position he has held since 2018. In 2024, he was appointed as a Director, representing BPI for Unicon Insurance Brokers Corp., further expanding his leadership responsibilities.

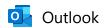
Before his tenure at BPI, Mr. Cruz built extensive expertise in Corporate Banking, Business Banking, Fixed Income Sales and Distribution, Equities, Treasury, and Investment Banking.

Mr. Cruz holds a Bachelor of Science in Applied Economics from De La Salle University - Manila, where he graduated in 1991.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

SHIENA ANGELA D. AQUINO Assistant Corporate Secretary



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From Lean P. Batalla < lpbatalla@bpi.com.ph>

on behalf of

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

Date Wed 2/12/2025 5:36 PM

To ICTD Submission <ictdsubmission@sec.gov.ph>

Cc Shiena Angela D. Aquino <sadaquino@bpi.com.ph>; Lean P. Batalla <lpbatalla@bpi.com.ph>; Virgilda Marie S. Aquino <vmsaquino@bpi.com.ph>

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BANK OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS\_SEC FORM 17-C\_12FEB2025.pdf;

### Good day,

Please see attached SEC Form 17-C re: BPI Appoints Luis Geminiano E. Cruz as Head of Institutional Banking. Kindly acknowledge receipt of this email once received. Thank you.

## **BPI Office of the Corporate Secretary**

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### Re: BANK OF THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS SEC FORM 17-C 12FEB2025

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- 3. 17-L 8. 23-B 13. NPM 18. PNFS 23. Letters
- 4. 17-Q 9. GIS-G 14. NPAM 19. MCG 24. OPC (Alternate Nominee)
- 5. ICASR 10. 52-AR 15. BP-FCLC 20. S10/SEC-NTCE-EXEMPT

Further, notice is hereby given that effective 1 January 2025, the **Manual on Corporate Governance (MCG)** and **Mutual Fund Sales Report (ICASR)** must be submitted through <u>eFAST</u>. The submission of MCG and ICASR through the <u>ictdsubmission@sec.gov.ph</u> shall no longer be accepted. For guidance on the filing of reports, please access the "<u>Notice</u>" as published in the <u>SEC website</u> dated 6 November 2024 – *Submission of Manual on Corporate Governance (MCG) and Mutual Fund Sales Report (ICASR)*.

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- 2. GIS 13. LCFS 25. AFS with Affidavit of No Operation
- 3. BDFS 14. LCIF 26. AFS with NSPO Form 1,2, and 3
- 4. FCFS 15. OPC AO 27. AFS with NSPO Form 1,2,3 and 4,5,6
- 5. FCIF 16. PHFS 28. FS Parent
- 6. GFFS 17. SFFS 29. FS Consolidated
- 7. FORM 1 MC 19 18. Certificate-SEC Form MCG- 2009
- 8. FORM 2- MC 19 19. Certificate-SEC Form MCG- 2002, 2020 ETC.
- 9. ACGR 20. Certification of Attendance in Corporate Governance
- 10. I-ACGR 21. Secretary's Certificate Meeting of Board Directors

(Appointment) 22. Completion Report

11. MRPT 23. FORM MC 18

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Thank you.