

March 13, 2020

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Secretariat Building, PICC Complex Roxas Boulevard, Pasay City, 1307

ATTENTION : DIR. VICENTE GRACIANO P. FELIZMENIO, JR.

Markets and Securities Regulation Department

via PSE EDGE

PHILIPPINE STOCK EXCHANGE, INC.
PSE Tower, 28th Street, cor. 5th Avenue,
Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City

ATTENTION : MS. JANET A. ENCARNACION

Head, Disclosure Department

via electronic mail

PHILIPPINE DEALING & EXCHANGE CORP.

Market Regulatory Services Group 29th Floor BDO Equitable Tower 8751 Paseo de Roxas, Makati City

ATTENTION : ATTY. MARIE ROSE M. MAGALLEN-LIRIO

Head - Issuer Compliance and Disclosures Department

Gentlemen:

Please see attached the SEC Form 17-C (Current Report) of Aboitiz Equity Ventures Inc. filed in compliance with the Securities Regulation Code, its 2015 Implementing Rules and Regulations, the Revised Disclosure Rules of the Philippine Stock Exchange (PSE), and the Issuer Disclosure Operating Guidelines of the Philippine Dealing Exchange Corp. (PDEx).

Kindly acknowledge receipt hereof.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

ABOITIZ EQUITY VENTURES INC.

By:

MALENE M. DE LA TORRE Assistant Corporate Secretary

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SEC FORM 17-C

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

1.	March 13, 2020												
	Date of Report (Date of earliest event	reported)											
2.	SEC Identification Number CEO2536	3.	•	BIR TIN 003-8 2	28-269-V								
4.	ABOITIZ EQUITY VENTURES INC.												
	Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter												
5.	Philippines	6.											
J.	Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation			stry Classificat	tion Code								
7.	32 nd Street, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City, Metro Manila, Philippines 1634												
	Address of principal office				Postal Cod	e							
8.	(02) 8 886-2800												
	Registrant's telephone number, includ	ling area code											
9.	N.A.												
	Former name or former address, if changed since last report												
10.	Securities registered pursuant to Secti	ons 4 and 8 of	the RS	A									
	Title of Each Class	ares of Comm	on Stock										
		Outstanding	and Ar	mount of Debt	Outstandir	ng							
	Common Stock P1 Par Value				5,632,792,	.557							
	Amount of Debt Outstanding (Septem	nber 30, 2019)		P 308,	529,580,60	8.00							
11.	Indicate the item numbers reported he	erein: <u>9</u>											

Item 9: Other Matters

Aboitiz Equity Ventures Inc. (AEV) bought on March 13, 2020 the following shares:

Name of Issuer	Number of Shares	Price Per Share
	10,000	₱ 33.40
	3,500	₱ 33.50
	2,900	₱ 33.55
	1,500	₱33.80
Aboitiz Equity Ventures Inc.	39,000	₱ 33.85
	5,400	₱ 33.95
	100,000	₱ 34.00
	10,300	₱ 35.10
	40,000	₱35.40

	40,000	₱35.45
	30,700	₽ 22.65
	200	₽ 22.80
Aboitiz Dower Corporation	200,000	₽ 23.50
Aboitiz Power Corporation	11,600	₱ 23.35
	15,000	₽ 23.40
	231,600	₽ 23.50
Union Bank of the Philippines	20,000	₱52.00

The acquisition of these shares is pursuant to the authority granted by AEV's Board of Directors last November 23, 2018, to opportunistically acquire the company's shares, as well as shares of Aboitiz Power Corporation and Union Bank of the Philippines when market prices dictate and using the Company's excess cash.

SIGNATURE (S)

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

ABOITIZ EQUITY VENTURES INC.

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Mailene M. de la Torre

Assistant Corporate Secretary

Date: March 13, 2020