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March 19, 2020

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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

ATTENTION : DIR. VICENTE GRACIANO P. FELIZMENIO, JR.
Director - Markets and Securities Regulation Department

: RACHEL ESTHER J. GUMTANG-REMALANTE
Director - Corporate Governance and Finance Department

RE : *Aboitiz Equity Ventures Inc.'s SEC Form 17-C (Current Report)*

Gentlemen:

Attached is the SEC Form 17-C (Current Report) of Aboitiz Equity Ventures Inc. dated March 19, 2020.

Undersigned certifies that she has prepared and/or supervised the preparation of the Current Report on behalf of the Company, and that all information contained therein are true and correct to the best of her knowledge and belief.

Undersigned further undertakes to submit hard copies of the Report to the Honorable Commission within 10 calendar days from the lifting or suspension of the Enhanced Community Quarantine and Stringent Distancing Measures currently in effect.

The Report is coursed through SEC's cgfd@sec.gov.ph email in compliance with the SEC Advisory dated March 18, 2020 on the *Alternative Means of Filing Current Reports, Beneficial Ownership Reports, Information Statements, Monthly Reports, and Other Documents with the SEC through Electronic Mail*.

Kindly acknowledge receipt hereof.

Very truly yours,

ABOITIZ EQUITY VENTURES INC.

By:

MAILENE M. DE LA TORRE
Assistant Corporate Secretary

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ATTY. MARIE ROSE M. MAGALLEN-LIRIO, Head – Issuer Compliance and Disclosures Department
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COVER SHEET

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S.E.C. Registration Number

A B O I T I Z E Q U I T Y V E N T U R E S I N C .

(Company's Full Name)

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C I T Y , T A G U I G C I T Y , M E T R O M A N I L A

P H I L I P P I N E S

(Business Address: No. Street City / Town / Province)

MANUEL ALBERTO R. COLAYCO

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Company Telephone Number

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Month Day

Fiscal Year

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FORM TYPE

4th Monday of April

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Month Day

Annual Meeting

N/A

Secondary License Type, if Applicable

SEC

Dept. Requiring this Doc

N/A

Amended Articles Number/Section

Total No. of Stockholders

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Domestic

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SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SEC FORM 17-C

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

1. **March 19, 2020**
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
2. SEC Identification Number **CEO2536** 3. BIR TIN **003-828-269-V**
4. **ABOITIZ EQUITY VENTURES INC.**
Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter
5. **Philippines** 6. 
Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation Industry Classification Code
7. **32nd Street, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City, Metro Manila, Philippines** **1634**
Address of principal office Postal Code
8. **(02) 8 886-2800**
Registrant'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 4 and 8 of the RSA
- | Title of Each Class | Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding |
|---|---|
| Common Stock ₱1 Par Value | 5,631,745,357 |
| Amount of Debt Outstanding (December 31, 2019) | ₱310,590,437,000.00 |

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein: 9

Item 9: Other Matters

Aboitiz Equity Ventures Inc. (AEV) purchased on March 19, 2020 a total of 1,519,900 of its own common shares. See attached for the breakdown of the number of shares and price per share.

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.

By:



Mailene M. de la Torre
Assistant Corporate Secretary

Date: March 19, 2020

PSE Disclosure Form 9-1 – Share Buy-Back Transactions

References: SRC Rule 17 (SEC Form 17-C) and Section 4.4 of the Revised Disclosure Rules

ABOITIZ EQUITY VENTURES, INC. DISCLOSURE
Share Buy-Back Transactions

Subject of the Disclosure	:	Aboitiz Equity Venture Inc.'s (AEV) Share Buy-Back Transaction
Background/Description of the Disclosure	:	AEV has purchased today 1,519,900 of its own shares.
Type of Securities		
Common	:	1,519,900
Preferred	:	-
Others	:	-
Details of Share Buy-Back Transaction(s)		
Date of Transaction	Number of Shares Purchased (Common Shares)	Price per Share
March 19, 2020	200	₱26.70
March 19, 2020	103,200	₱27.00
March 19, 2020	48,700	₱27.05
March 19, 2020	11,700	₱27.10
March 19, 2020	1,900	₱27.15
March 19, 2020	1,600	₱27.40
March 19, 2020	20,000	₱27.50
March 19, 2020	13,400	₱27.55
March 19, 2020	20,000	₱27.65
March 19, 2020	10,000	₱27.75
March 19, 2020	4,200	₱27.80
March 19, 2020	4,100	₱27.85
March 19, 2020	26,800	₱27.90
March 19, 2020	13,600	₱27.95
March 19, 2020	155,000	₱28.00
March 19, 2020	46,000	₱28.10
March 19, 2020	10,000	₱28.15
March 19, 2020	8,300	₱28.20
March 19, 2020	3,300	₱28.25
March 19, 2020	20,000	₱28.50
March 19, 2020	3,100	₱28.65
March 19, 2020	600	₱28.70
March 19, 2020	200	₱28.80
March 19, 2020	20,000	₱29.00
March 19, 2020	5,100	₱29.15
March 19, 2020	15,800	₱29.20
March 19, 2020	114,800	₱30.00
March 19, 2020	200	₱30.20
March 19, 2020	17,500	₱30.55
March 19, 2020	400	₱30.60
March 19, 2020	6,700	₱30.75
March 19, 2020	2,000	₱30.80

March 19, 2020	100	₱30.85
March 19, 2020	100	₱30.90
March 19, 2020	110,100	₱31.00
March 19, 2020	50,000	₱31.05
March 19, 2020	9,500	₱31.10
March 19, 2020	6,000	₱31.15
March 19, 2020	121,600	₱31.20
March 19, 2020	3,300	₱31.30
March 19, 2020	7,000	₱31.40
March 19, 2020	503,800	₱31.50

Effects on Number of Shares

		Before	After
Outstanding Shares	:	5,631,745,357	5,630,225,457
Treasury Shares	:	62,854,264	64,374,164

Cumulative Number of Shares Purchased to Date <i>From the date when the share buy-back program commenced.</i>	:	176,294,900
Total Amount Appropriated for the Buy-Back Program	:	-
Total Amount of Shares Repurchased	:	₱1,418,236,005
Other Relevant information	:	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.