

August 4, 2009

The Philippine Stock Exchange  
4<sup>th</sup> Floor PSE Centre  
Exchange Road, Ortigas Center  
Pasig City

Attention: Ms. Janet A. Encarnacion  
Head - Disclosure Department

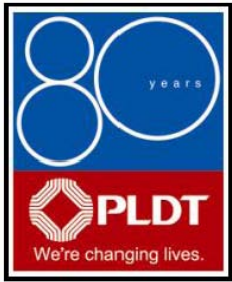
Gentlemen:

In compliance with Section 17.1 (b) and Section 17.3 of the Securities Regulation Code, we submit herewith a copy of SEC Form 17-C with respect to certain discloseable events/information.

This shall also serve as our disclosure letter for the purpose of complying with the PSE Revised Disclosure Rules.

Respectfully yours,

  
**FLORENTINO D. MABASA, JR.**  
Assistant Corporate Secretary



August 4, 2009

SECURITIES & EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Corporation Finance Department  
SEC Building, EDSA  
Mandaluyong City

Attention: Director Justina F. Callangan  
Corporation Finance Department

Gentlemen:

In accordance with Section 17.1 (b) of the Securities Regulation Code, we submit herewith three (3) copies of SEC Form 17-C with respect to certain discloseable events/information.

Respectfully yours,

  
**FLORENTINO D. MABASA, JR.**  
Assistant Corporate Secretary

COVER SHEET

P	W	-	5	5
SEC Registration No.				

P	H	I	L	I	P	P	I	N	E	L	O	N	G	D	I	S	T	A	N	C	E
---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

			T	E	L	E	P	H	O	N	E	C	O	M	P	A	N	Y				
--	--	--	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	--	--	--	--

(Company's Full Name)

R	A	M	O	N	C	O	J	U	A	N	G	C	O	B	U	I	L	D	I	N	G
---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

M	A	K	A	T	I	A	V	E	M	A	K	A	T	I	C	I	T	Y		
---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	--	--

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

ATTY. MA. LOURDES C. RAUSA-CHAN
---------------------------------

Contact person

816-8553
----------

Contact Telephone No.

1	2
---	---

Month

3	1
---	---

Day

Fiscal Year

SEC FORM 17-C
---------------

FORM TYPE

0	6	Every 2 <sup>nd</sup>		
		Tuesday		

Month Day

Annual Meeting

C	F	D
---	---	---

Dept. Requiring this Doc.

N/A
-----

Amended Articles  
Number/Section

2,183,226
As of June 30, 2009

Total No. of Stockholders

Total Amount of Borrowings

NA
----

Domestic

NA
----

Foreign

-----  
To be accomplished by SEC Personnel concerned

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

File Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
LCU

--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--

Document I.D.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Cashier

STAMPS
--------

Remarks: Please use black ink for scanning purposes

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

CURRENT REPORT UNDER SECTION 17  
OF THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE  
AND SRC RULE 17.1

1. 4 August 2009  
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
2. SEC Identification Number PW-55
3. BIR Tax Identification No. 000-488-793
4. PHILIPPINE LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE COMPANY  
Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
5. PHILIPPINES  
Province, country or other jurisdiction of Incorporation
6. \_\_\_\_\_ (SEC Use Only)  
Industry Classification Code
7. Ramon Cojuangco Building, Makati Avenue, Makati City  
Address of principal office
- 1200  
Postal Code
8. (632) 816-8553  
Issuer's telephone number, including area code
9. Not Applicable  
Former name or former address, if changed since last report
10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the Securities Regulation Code and Sections 4 and 8 of the Revised Securities Act

Title of Each Class	Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

11. Item 9 (Other Events)

We disclose that at the meeting of the Board of Directors of Philippine Long Distance Telephone Company (respectively, the "Board" and the "Company") held on August 4, 2009:

1. The Board approved the following:

- (a) The issuance of a notice to the holders of all outstanding shares of the Company's Series VI Convertible Preferred Stock originally issued on November 8, 2002, (the "November 8, 2002 CPS"), that all November 8, 2002 CPS outstanding as of the record date fixed by the Board shall be mandatorily converted into shares of the Company's Common Stock effective on November 9, 2009.
- (b) The record date for the determination of holders of outstanding November 8, 2002 CPS subject to mandatory conversion is November 8, 2009.

Enclosed is a copy of the aforementioned notice.

2. The Board declared the following cash dividends out of the audited unrestricted retained earnings of the Company as at December 31, 2008, which are sufficient to cover the total amount of dividends declared:

1. Regular dividend of P77.00 per outstanding share of the Company's Common Stock, payable on September 22, 2009 to the holders of record on August 20, 2009
2. A total of P12,420,000.00 on all of the outstanding shares of the Company's Series IV Cumulative Non-Convertible Redeemable Preferred Stock, for the quarter ending September 15, 2009, payable on September 15, 2009 to the holder of record on August 19, 2009.
3. P0.051944 per day per outstanding share of the Company's Series V Convertible Preferred Stock which were originally issued on August 22, 2002 and scheduled for mandatory conversion into Common Stock of the Company on August 23, 2009 (the "Converted CPS V"), for the period July 16, 2009 to August 22, 2009, payable on September 10, 2009 to the holder of record of said Converted CPS V at the close of business on August 22, 2009.
4. P1.00 per outstanding share of the Company's Series B 10% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock, for the annual period ending August 31, 2009, payable on September 30, 2009 to the holders of record on September 1, 2009.
5. P1.00 per outstanding share of the Company's Series F 10% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock, for the annual period ending August 31, 2009, payable on September 30, 2009 to the holders of record on September 1, 2009.

6. P1.00 per outstanding share of the Company's Series Q 10% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock, for the annual period ending August 31, 2009, payable on September 30, 2009 to the holders of record on September 1, 2009.
7. P1.00 per outstanding share of the Company's Series V 10% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock, for the annual period ending August 31, 2009, payable on September 30, 2009 to the holders of record on September 1, 2009.
8. P1.00 per outstanding share of the Company's Series Z 10% Cumulative Convertible Preferred Stock, for the annual period ending August 31, 2009, payable on September 30, 2009 to the holders of record on September 1, 2009.

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

**PHILIPPINE LONG DISTANCE  
TELEPHONE COMPANY**

By: 

**FLORENTINO D. MABASA, JR.**  
Assistant Corporate Secretary

August 4, 2009