

July 26, 2021

via electronic mail

#### **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, 28<sup>th</sup> Street, cor. 5<sup>th</sup> 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 29<sup>th</sup> 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:

SAMMY DAVE A. SANTOS
Assistant Comporate Secretary

## **COVER SHEET**

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| MANUEL ALBERTO R. COLAYCO                     |   |       |     |        |       |    |          |      |      |         |                                 | (02) 8886-2338 |       |      |       |       |      |       |       |      |           |                |       |              |      |      |      |      |
| Contact Person Company Telephone Number       |   |       |     |        |       |    |          |      |      |         |                                 |                |       |      |       |       |      |       |       |      |           |                |       |              |      |      |      |      |
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| N/A Secondary License Type, if Applicable     |   |       |     |        |       |    |          |      |      |         |                                 |                |       |      |       |       |      |       |       |      |           |                |       |              |      |      |      |      |
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| Total No. of Stockholders Domestic            |   |       |     |        |       |    |          |      |      | Foreign |                                 |                |       |      |       |       |      |       |       |      |           |                |       |              |      |      |      |      |
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| To be accomplished by SEC Personnel concerned |   |       |     |        |       |    |          |      |      |         |                                 |                |       |      |       |       |      |       |       |      |           |                |       |              |      |      |      |      |
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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.  | July 26, 2021   |   |               |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|     | Date of Report (Date of earliest event re   | ported)   |               |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 2.  | SEC Identification Number CEO2536   |   | 3.            | BIR TIN <b>003-828-2</b> | 69-V      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 4.  | ABOITIZ EQUITY VENTURES INC.  |   |               |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | Exact name of registrant as specified in i  | ts charter                                      |               |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 5.  | Philippines   |   | 6.            |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation                                    |   |               | Industry Classification  | Code      |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 7.  | 32 <sup>nd</sup> Street, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City, Metro Manila, Philippines 1634 |   |               |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | Address of principal office   |   |               | Pos                      | tal Code  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 8.  | (02) 8886-2800  |   |               |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | 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 Section   | ns 4 and 8 of tl                                | he F          | RSA                      |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | Title of Each Class   | of Shares of Common S<br>and Amount of Debt Out |               |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | Common Stock P1 Par Value   | 5,63  | 5,630,225,457 |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|     | Amount of Debt Outstanding (March 31  | l, 2021)  |               | <del>P</del> 337,150,1   | 00,000.00 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 11. | Indicate the item numbers reported here   | ein: 9  |               |                          |           |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

### **Item 9: Other Matters**

Aboitiz Equity Ventures Inc. (AEV or the "Company") has received the Certificate of Permit to Offer Securities for Sale dated July 26, 2021 (the "Permit") from the Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC"). The Permit allows AEV to offer and issue the third tranche of retail bonds from its SEC-registered P30 billion (bn) peso-denominated fixed-rate retail bonds shelf registration program.

The third tranche bonds, with a principal amount of P5 bn and an oversubscription option of up to P5 bn (the "Bonds"), will be issued on August 9, 2021. The offer period will commence on July 26, 2021 and will end on July 30, 2021. The Company has appointed BDO Capital & Investment Corporation, BPI Capital Corporation, China Bank Capital Corporation, SB Capital Investment Corporation, and First Metro Investment Corporation as Joint Issue Managers, Joint Bookrunners, and Joint Lead Underwriters; BDO Unibank, Inc. - Trust and Investments Group as the Trustee; and Philippine Depository & Trust Corp. as the Registrar and Paying Agent.

AEV intends to list the Bonds with the Philippine Dealing & Exchange Corporation.

The Bonds earlier received the highest possible rating of "PRS Aaa" from the Philippine Rating Services Corporation.

### 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:

Sammy Dave A Santos Assistant Corporate Secretary

Date: July 26, 2021