

August 6, 2015

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION**

SEC Building, EDSA Greenhills,  
Mandaluyong City, Metro Manila

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

**PHILIPPINE STOCK EXCHANGE, INC.**

3rd Floor, Philippine Stock Exchange Plaza  
Ayala Triangle, Ayala Avenue, Makati City

ATTENTION : **MS. JANET ENCARNACION**  
Head, Disclosure Department

**PHILIPPINE DEALING & EXCHANGE CORP.**

Market Regulatory Services Group  
37/F, Tower 1, The Enterprise Center  
6766 Ayala Avenue corner Paseo de Roxas, Makati City

ATTENTION : **MS. VINA VANESSA S. SALONGA**  
Head - Issuer Compliance and Disclosures  
Department

Gentlemen:

We submit for your files the SEC Form 17-C (Current Report) of Aboitiz Equity Ventures, Inc.

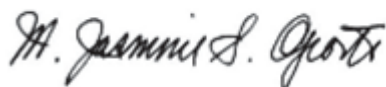
Kindly acknowledge receipt hereof.

Thank you.

Very truly yours,

**ABOITIZ EQUITY VENTURES, INC.**

By:



**M. JASMINE S. OPORTO**

Corporate Secretary

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 )

3 2 N D S T R E E T , B O N I F A C I O G L O B A L

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 )

CATHERINE R. ATAY

Contact Person

(02) 886-2451

Company Telephone Number

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Month Day

Fiscal Year

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FORM TYPE

3rd Monday of

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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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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. August 6, 2015  
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. 32<sup>nd</sup> Street, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City, Metro Manila, Philippines 1634  
Address of principal office Postal Code
8. (02) 793-2800  
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<br>Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding |
|---|--|
| <u>Common Stock ₱1 Par Value</u>                        | <u>5,554,266,807</u>   |
| <u>Amount of Debt Outstanding (As of June 30, 2015)</u> | <u>₱125,553,174,000.00</u>   |
11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein: 9

**Item 9 : Other Events**

Aboitiz Equity Ventures, Inc. (AEV) was informed by AEV CRH Holdings, Inc. (AEV CRH) that AEV CRH has submitted the initial tender offer documents with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) for the acquisition of the common shares held by the minority shareholders of Lafarge Republic, Inc. (LRI) (formerly Republic Cement Corporation), representing approximately 11.15% of the total issued and outstanding capital stock of LRI. AEV CRH may file for the delisting of LRI depending on the results of the tender offer.

AEV CRH was initially granted the option to acquire 5,174,720,568 LRI common shares representing 88.85% of LRI's outstanding capital stock in a private sale from the major shareholders of LRI.

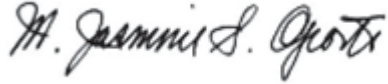
AEV CRH is a joint venture company between AEV and Cement Roadstone Holdings, Inc., a domestic corporation and wholly-owned subsidiary of CRH Philippines Holdings BV, a Dutch company and an affiliate of CRH International.

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:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "M. Jasmine S. Oporto". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "M" and a long, sweeping underline.

**M. JASMINE S. OPORTO**

Corporate Secretary

Date: August 6, 2015