

March 3, 2023

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. ALEXANDRA D. TOM WONG

Officer-in-Charge, Disclosure Department

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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) on the cash dividends declaration 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:

SAMINIY WAVE A. SANTOS
Assistant Corporate Secretary

### **COVER SHEET**

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| (Business Address: No. Street City / Town / Province ) |              |            |         |          |                              |     |      |       |     |      |      |      |      |    |
| MANUEL ALBERTO R. COLAYCO (02) 8886-2338               |              |            |         |          |                              |     |      |       |     |      |      |      |      |    |
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| Total No. of Stockholders                              |              |            | Do      | mestic   |                              |     |      |       |     | Foi  | reig | gn   |      |    |
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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 3, 2023  |  |                      |                   |  |  |  |  |
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|     | Date of Report (Date of earliest event report  | ted)   |                      |                   |  |  |  |  |
| 2.  | SEC Identification Number CEO2536  | 3.   | BIR TIN <u>003-8</u> | 328-269-V         |  |  |  |  |
| 4.  | ABOITIZ EQUITY VENTURES INC.   |  |                      |                   |  |  |  |  |
|     | Exact name of registrant as specified in its cl  | harter   |                      | _                 |  |  |  |  |
| 5.  | Philippines  | 6.   |                      |                   |  |  |  |  |
|     | Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation   |  | Industry Classifica  | ation Code        |  |  |  |  |
| 7.  | 32 <sup>nd</sup> Street, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City, Metro Manila, Philippines 1634  |  |                      |                   |  |  |  |  |
|     | Address of principal office  |  |                      | Postal 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 Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA  |  |                      |                   |  |  |  |  |
|     | Title of Each Class  | Number of Shares of Common Stock<br>Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding |                      |                   |  |  |  |  |
|     | Common Stock P1 Par Value  |  |                      | 5,630,225,457     |  |  |  |  |
|     | Amount of Debt Outstanding (September 3  | 30, 2022)  | <b>₽</b> 339,        | ,398,149,000.00   |  |  |  |  |
| 11. | Indicate the item numbers reported herein: 9   |  |                      |                   |  |  |  |  |
|     | Item 9: Other Events   |  |                      |                   |  |  |  |  |
|     | During its special meeting held on March 3 Ventures Inc. (AEV or the "Company") approache amount of <b>ONE PESO AND FORTY SEVE</b> | oved the decla   | ration of regular    | cash dividends in |  |  |  |  |

All stockholders of record as of the close of business hours on March 17, 2023 shall be entitled to receive the foregoing cash dividend, which will payable on March 30, 2023.

the Company's unrestricted retained earnings as of December 31, 2022.

# 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: March 3, 2023