

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
SEC FORM 17-C

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

1. February 17, 2021
Date of Report
2. SEC Identification Number 20573
3. BIR Tax Identification No. 000-477-863-000
4. METROPOLITAN BANK & TRUST COMPANY
Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
5. Manila
Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation
6. (SEC Use Only)
Industry Classification Code:
7. Metrobank Plaza, Sen. Gil Puyat Ave., Urdaneta Village Makati City
Address of principal office 1200
Postal Code
8. (02) 8-898-8000
Issuer'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 8 and 12 of the SRC or Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA

Title of Each Class	Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding
Common Shares	4,497,415,555

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein:

Item no. 9 – Other Events

Please be advised that the Board of Directors of Metropolitan Bank & Trust Company, at its regular meeting held on February 17, 2021, approved the Declaration of a) PhP 1.00/share regular and b) PhP 3.00/share special cash dividend, to be taken from the Bank's Unrestricted Retained Earnings as of December 31, 2020. Record Date shall be on March 5, 2021 and Payment Date shall be on March 18, 2021.

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

METROPOLITAN BANK & TRUST COMPANY

Issuer

By:


LAARNI D. BERNABE
Assistant Corporate Secretary 