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## 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

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Apr 24, 2019	
2. SEC Identification N	lumber
20573	
3. BIR Tax Identificatio	in No.
000-477-863-000	
	er as specified in its charter
	BANK & TRUST COMPANY
•	r other jurisdiction of incorporation
Manila	
<ol> <li>Industry Classificati</li> </ol>	on Code(SEC Use Only)
1200 3. Issuer's telephone r (02) 898-8000	number, including area code
<ol> <li>Former name or for</li> </ol>	mer address, if changed since last report
N/A	
<ol> <li>Securities register</li> </ol>	ed 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 and Amount of Debt Outstanding
Common Shares	3,980,015,036
1. Indicate the item n	umbers reported herein

and are disseminated solely for purposes of information. Any questions on the data contained herein should be addressed directly to

the Corporate Information Officer of the disclosing party.



# Metropolitan Bank & Trust Company MBT

## PSE Disclosure Form 4-23 - Mergers and Consolidations References: SRC Rule 17 (SEC Form 17-C) and Section 4.4 and/or Section 5 of the Revised Disclosure Rules

#### Subject of the Disclosure

Approval of the Board of Directors to merge Metrobank Card Corporation (MCC, a wholly owned subsidiary) into Metropolitan Bank & Trust Company (Metrobank), subject to shareholder and regulatory approvals.

#### Background/Description of the Disclosure

Metrobank Card Corporation, a finance company and general insurance agency, is 100% owned by Metrobank. The Board, on March 13, 2019, approved the proposal to merge the subsidiary into the Parent Bank subject to shareholder and regulatory approvals.

During the reqular stockholders' meeting held in the afternoon of April 24, 2019, stockholders representing at least twothirds (2/3) of the outstanding capital stock ratified the Merger of Metrobank Card Corporation (MCC, a wholly owned subsidiary) into Metropolitan Bank & Trust Company (Metrobank).

Date of Approval by Board of Directors	Mar 13, 2019
Date of Approval by Stockholders	Apr 24, 2019
Other Relevant Regulatory Agency, if applicable	BSP, SEC
Date of Approval by Relevant Regulatory Agency	ТВА
Date of Approval by Securities and Exchange Commission	ТВА

Rationale for the transaction including the benefits which are expected to be accrued to the Issuer as a result of the transaction

The proposed transaction will unlock the value of MCC, being a wholly owned subsidiary of Metrobank, and help realize the following objectives: (1) improve synergy and cross-sell, (2) increase profitability and improve capital efficiency, and (3) enable Metrobank to be more competitive in the credit card business.

Description of the transaction including the timetable for implementation and related regulatory requirements, if any

TBA

Name	Nature of Business	Nature of any material relationship with the Issuer, their directors/officers or any of their affiliates				
Metrobank Card Corporation	A Finance Company and General Insurance Agency	100% owned subsidiary of Metrobank				
erms and conditions	s of the transaction					
Plan of merger						
To be announced. T	he implementation of the transaction i	s subject to regulatory approvals.				
Ratio of exchange of shares						
N/A						
Basis upon which th	e exchange ratio was determined					
N/A						
Number of shares su	ıbject of the merger					
N/A						
Timetable						
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#### Authorized capital stock

Type of Security /Stock Symbol	Amount	Number of Shares
Common	Php 2,000,000,000	2,000,000,000

#### **Subscribed Shares**

Type of Security /Stock Symbol	Amount	Number of Shares	
Common	Php 1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000	

## Paid-Up Capital

Amount	1,076,071,752
Number of Shares	1,000,000,000

#### **Issued Shares**

Type of Security /Stock Symbol	Amount	Number of Shares
Common	Php 1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000

#### **Outstanding Shares**

Type of Security /Stock Symbol	Amount	Number of Shares
Common	Php 1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000

#### Par Value

Type of Security /Stock Symbol	Amount	
Common	Php 1.00	

### Ownership Structure (including percentage holdings)

Name	Number of Shares	% Ownership
Metrobank	1,000,000,000	100

## **Board of Directors**

Name	(Regular or Independent)
Fabian S. Dee	Regular
Anjanette T. Dy Buncio	Regular
Pradeep Pant	Regular
Richard S. So	Regular
Angelica H. Lavares	Independent
Francisco S. Magsajo, Jr.	Independent
Benedicto Jose R. Arcinas	Independent

#### **Principal Officers**

Name	Position/Designation	
Pradeep Pant	President	
Aloysius C. Alday, Jr.	Head of Prepaid and Insurance Business	
Jocelyn L. Bata	Head of Credit Card Sales, Alliances and Other Channels	
Harrison C. Gue	Head of Operations	
Cesar P. Nicolasora, Jr.	Chief Finance Officer	

Effect(s)/impact on the business, financial condition and operations of the Issuer

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#### **Other Relevant Information**

N/A

#### Filed on behalf by:

Name	Laarni Bernabe
Designation	Assistant Corporate Secretary