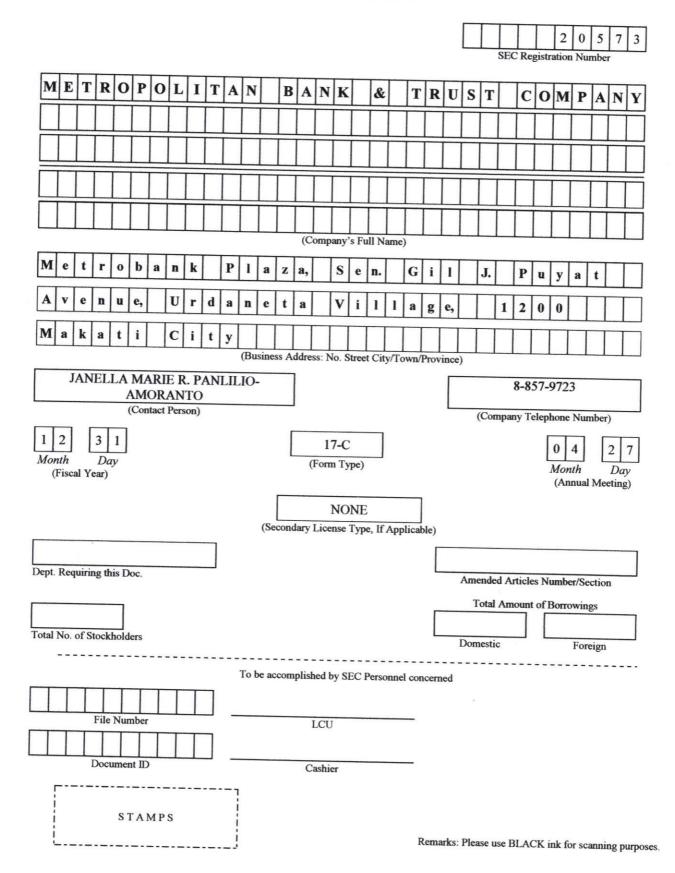
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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION SEC FORM 17-C

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

- 1. August 24, 2022 Date of Report
- 2. SEC Identification Number 20573
- 3. BIR Tax Identification No. 000-477-863-000
- METROPOLITAN BANK & TRUST COMPANY Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
- 5. Manila 6. (SEC Use Only) Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation
- 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, in its regular meeting held today 24 August 2022, passed a resolution for the fixing of 09 September 2022 as the Record Date and 23 September 2022 as Payment Date for the second payout of cash dividend of Phpo.80, representing second half of the previously approved Php1.60 regular dividend last 23 February 2022. 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:

