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SEC FORM 17-C

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

1. February 15, 2013  
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
2. SEC Identification Number 11341 3. BIR Tax Identification No. 000-051-037
4. BENGUET CORPORATION  
Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
5. Metro Manila, Philippines 6.  (SEC Use Only)  
Province, country or other jurisdiction of Industry Classification Code:  
incorporation
7. 7th Universal Re-Building, 106 Paseo de Roxas, Makati City 1226  
Address of principal office Postal Code
8. 812-1380 / 751-9137  
Issuer's telephone number, including area code
9. \_\_\_\_\_  
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 and Amount of Debt Outstanding (as of December 31, 2012)
Convertible Preferred Class A	217,061
Common Class A	102,401,265
Common Class B	61,501,752
<b>Total consolidated outstanding principal debt as September 30, 2012 – Php2.4 Billion</b>	

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein: .....**Item 9**.....

In compliance with the reportorial requirement of the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) and Philippine Stock Exchange (PSE), management disclose the hiring of a new officer of Benguet Corporation (the "Company"), Ms. Ma. Anna G. Vicedo-Montes. She is Assistant Vice President (Deputy Head- Business Development) effective February 18, 2013.

Ms. Montes graduated with a degree in BS Business Economics from the University of the Philippines (Batch 1999). Her previous work experiences include: Corporate Planning Manager, (ABS-CBN Corporation, 2007-2013); Strategic Planner, Manager-Sales and Product Application, Trade Promotions and Relations Manager-Food Service Marketing, (San Miguel Pure Foods Company, Inc., 2003-2007); Account Manager, (Central, Hongkong); Senior Team Leader, (The Thomson [Philippines] Corporation – Banking and Brokerage, 1999-2003).

We would also like to inform the SEC and PSE that Ms. Montes has no beneficial ownership of any class of stock of the Company. Hence, the reportorial requirement of SEC and PSE on Initial Statement of Beneficial Ownership of Securities of new officer under SEC Form 23-A is not necessary.

### SIGNATURE

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.

**BENGUET CORPORATION**

Issuer

Date: **February 15, 2013**

**REYNALDO P. MENDOZA**

Assistant Corporate Secretary  
Signature and Title\*

\* Print name and title of the signing officer under the signature.