



**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. May 24, 2017 .....  
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 incorporation      Industry Classification Code:
7. 7th Floor, 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. 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 and Amount of Debt Outstanding
Convertible Preferred Class A	217,061
Common Class A	370,246,461*
Common Class B	244,816,422*

(\*) – Net of Treasury Shares

Total consolidated outstanding principal debt as of March 31, 2017 – P455 Million

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

The Company's subsidiary, BenguetCorp Nickel Mines, Inc. (BNMI) received Court of Appeals Resolution dated 22 May 2017 which deny the petition for Writ of Kalikasan and application for Temporary Environmental Protection Order (TEPO). Thus, the prohibitory injunctive provisional Writ of Kalikasan issued by the Supreme Court is lifted. The petition was filed by anti-mining groups against BNMI and other mining companies operating in Zambales last May 2016.

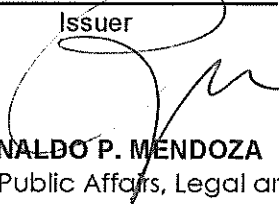
### SIGNATURES

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.

Date: May 24, 2017

**BENGUET CORPORATION**

Issuer



**REYNALDO P. MENDOZA**  
SVP-Public Affairs, Legal and  
Asst. Corporate Secretary  
Signature and Title\*

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