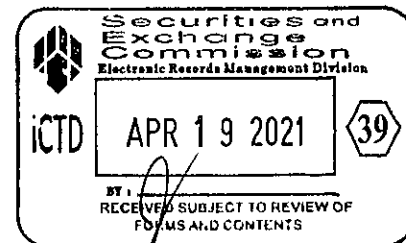


SEC FORM 17-C

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



1. April 16, 2021
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
2. SEC Identification Number11341..... 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 Universal Re-Building, 106 Paseo de Roxas, Makati City..... 1226.....
Address of principal office Postal Code
8. 8812-1380 /7751-9137
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	372,743,208*
Common Class B	246,113,021*
(*) – Net of Treasury Shares	
Total consolidated outstanding principal debt as of December 31, 2020: Php268.93 M.	

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

In compliance with the disclosure rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission due to exercised option of 900,825 Class "A" shares and 339,273 Class "B" shares by qualified participant/s in the March 17, 2017 stock option grant under the current implementation of the Company's amended Stock Option Plan, the following changes in the number of issued and outstanding shares of the Company are as follows:

	ISSUED		TREASURY SHARES	OUTSTANDING	
	Before	After		Before	After
Class A	372,153,177	373,054,002	310,794	371,842,383	372,743,208
Class B	245,811,023	246,150,296	37,275	245,773,748	246,113,021

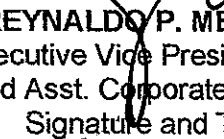
The Philippine Stock Exchange's (PSE) in its notice of approval dated March 4, 2021 has approved in principle the listing of the shares intended for the March 17, 2017 stock option grant of the Company.

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


REYNALDO P. MENDOZA
Executive Vice President-Legal
and Asst. Corporate Secretary
Signature and Title*

Date: April 16, 2021

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