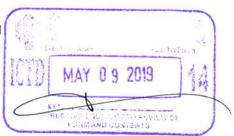
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## SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION SEC FORM 17-C

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



1.	May	/ 8.	20	19

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

- 2. SEC Identification Number ASO96-005555 3. BIR Tax Identification No. 000-188-209-000
- 4. PHILIPPINE NATIONAL BANK

Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter

5. PHILIPPINES

6.

Use Only)

Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation

Industry Classification Code:

 PNB Financial Center, Pres. Diosdado Macapagal Blvd., Pasay City, Metro Manila 1300

Address of principal office

Postal Code

8. (632)/ 526-3131 to 70/ (632) 891-6040 to 70

Issuer's telephone number, including area code

9. Not Applicable

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

Common Shares

1,249,139,6781

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein: Item 9

We are pleased to furnish the Commission a copy of the press release of the Bank entitled "PNB Inks First Syndicated Loan for Tokyo Branch".

We trust you will take note accordingly.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This number includes the 423,962,500 common shares deemed issued to the stockholders of Allied Banking Corporation (ABC) relative to the merger of PNB and ABC as approved by the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on January 17, 2013. The shares are the subject of the Registration Statement approved by the SEC and for listing with the Philippine Stock Exchange.

#### **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.

PHILIPPINE NATIONAL BANK

May 8, 2019

Date

RUTH PAMELA E. TANGHAL
Assistant Corporate Secretary
Signature and Title\*

\* Print name and title of the signing officer under the signature. SEC Form 17-C December 2003



#### **NEWS RELEASE**

#### PNB Inks First Syndicated Loan for Tokyo Branch

On 24 April 2019, Philippine National Bank (PSE: PNB), acting through its Tokyo Branch, successfully closed and signed a USD250 million three-year syndicated term loan facility (Facility) with a group of international and regional Japanese banks.

Australia and New Zealand Banking Group Limited (ANZ) and MUFG Bank, Ltd. (MUFG) were the original mandated lead arrangers and bookrunners of the transaction. CTBC Bank Co., Ltd. (CTBC) and Mega International Commercial Bank Co., Ltd. (Mega) came in with the same role as part of the expanded arranger and underwriter group.

The Facility was launched originally at USD200 million and attracted total commitments of USD370 million at close of syndication, representing an oversubscription of ~2.7 times with lending commitments received from 14 Japanese and international banks with operations in Japan.

The last syndicated loan availed by PNB was in 2015. The diversity of the syndicate of lenders is an affirmation of the growing international market's appetite for assets from the Philippines. The success of the transaction is a strong acknowledgment of the capital market's confidence in the credit strength of the bank.

#### **About PNB**

Philippine National Bank is one of the country's largest private universal banks in terms of assets and deposits. It provides a full range of banking and other financial services to its highly diverse clientele comprised of individual depositors, small and medium enterprises, domestic and international corporations, government institutions, and overseas Filipinos. Backed by over a century of stability and excellence, PNB looks forward to more years of serving its customers first.

To know more about PNB, visit its official website: www.pnb.com.ph.