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ANNUAL CORPORATE GOVERNANCE REPORT FOR PUBLIC COMPANIES AND REGISTERED **ISSUERS** 1. For the fiscal year ended **2021** 2. SEC Registration Number **CS200801099** 3. BIR Tax Identification Number 006-960-000 4. Exact Name of the Issuer as specified in its charter SMC GLOBAL POWER HOLDINGS CORP. 5. Province, Country or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization **Philippines** 6. Address of Principal Office 5th Floor, C5 Office Building Complex, #100 E. Rodriguez Jr. Ave., C5 Road, Bo. Ugong, Pasig City, Metro Manila 7. Postal Code **1604** 8. Issuer's telephone number, including area code (02) 5317-1000 9. Former name, former address, and former fiscal year, if changed since last report N. A. 10. Industry Classification Code (For SEC's use only)

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	RECOMMENDATION	COMPLIANT/ NON- COMPLIANT	ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	EXPLANATION
		7	THE BOARD'S GOVERNANCE RESPONSIBILITIES	
Pı	rinciple 1. ESTABLISHING A COMPETENT I	BOARD		
m			Board to foster the long-term success of the corporation, and to sustain ing-term best interests of its shareholders/members and other stakeholde	
1		COMPLIANT	Principle 1 and Recommendation 1.1 are embodied in the <u>Amended Manual on Corporate Governance</u> of SMC Global Power Holdings Corp. (the "Corporation"), adopted on 19 August 2011, as amended on 11 April 2016, 05 May 2017, and 12 May 2020) (the " <u>Manual</u> "), specifically Section 2.2.1 [<i>Board of Directors</i>] thereof and in the <u>Board Charter</u> of the Corporation adopted on 30 October 2020 (the "Board Charter").	
3	competence and expertise. Directors remain qualified for their positions individually and collectively to enable them to fulfill their roles and responsibilities and respond to the needs of the organization.	COMPLIANT	The qualification standards for directors to facilitate the selection of potential nominees and to serve as benchmark for the evaluation of their performance are specified in Section 2.2.1.e [Qualification and Disqualification of Directors] of the Manual and in Section 3.2 [Qualifications and Disqualifications] of the Board Charter. The qualifications, industry knowledge, professional experience, trainings, and expertise of the directors of the Corporation are set forth in the 2021 Definitive Information Statement of the Corporation filed on 10 May 2021 (the "2021 Definitive Information Statement"), specifically Pages 16-18 thereof, and the Annual Report (SEC Form 17-A) for the fiscal year 31 December 2021 ("SEC Form 17-A") filed on 8 March 2022, specifically Part III [Control and Compensation Information], Pages 59-60.	
R	ecommendation 1.2			
1	The Board is headed by a competent and qualified Chairperson.	COMPLIANT	The duties and functions of the Chairman of the Board are set out in Section 2.2.3 [The Chairman of the Board, the Chief Executive Officer and the Lead Independent Director] of the Manual and in Section 2.8 [The Chairman of the Board & Chief Executive Officer, the President &	

Re	commendation 1.3		Chief Operating Officer, and the Lead Independent Director] of the Board Charter. Mr. Ramon S. Ang is the Chairman of the Board as reported in Page 4 of the 2021 Amended General Information Sheet (the "2021 Amended GIS"), Page 15 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement, and Page 58 of SEC Form 17-A. His qualifications and professional experience are set out on Page 16 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement and Page 58 of SEC Form 17-A.	
1	The company provides a policy on	COMPLIANT	Section 6 [Training and Assessment] of the Manual and Section 7 of	
	training of directors.		the <u>Board Charter</u> set out the policy on training of directors.	
2	The company has an orientation program for first-time directors.	COMPLIANT	Section 6.7 of the Manual likewise states that first-time Directors shall attend an orientation program, to ensure that they are appropriately	
3	The company has relevant annual	COMPLIANT	apprised of their duties and responsibilities, before beginning their	
	continuing training for all directors.		directorships. The orientation program covers SEC-mandated topics on corporate governance and an introduction to the Corporation's	
			business, Articles of Incorporation and Code of Conduct and Ethics.	
			The requirement for the first-time Directors to attend an orientation	
			program, as well as the holding of annual continuing trainings of the Board and key officers are provided in Section 7 of the Board Charter.	
			For 2021, the directors of the Corporation attended Corporate	
			Governance seminars, as set out in Pages 59-60 of <u>SEC Form 17-A</u> . The	
			details of the various Corporate Governance ("CG") Seminars attended are summarized as follows:	
			 September 23, 2021 CG Seminar by SGV & Co. on Third Party Risk Management and CREATE Act and its Implementing Rules for three (3) hours August 17, 2021 CG Seminar by Center for Global Best Practices on How to Build an Effective Working Board and Overview of 	
			Philippine Law on Public Integrity, for four (4) hours October 29, 2021 CG Seminar by Center for Global Best Practices on Board Primer on Managing the Sustainability Reporting Process, Overview of Philippine Law on Public	

			Integrity, Orientation on the U.S. Foreign Corrup Practices Act, Designing and Implementing – Foreging Corrupt Practices Act- Oriented Integrity Compliance, for four (4) hours - October 15, 2021 CG Seminar by ROAM, Inc. on Corporate Governance and Regulatory Updates, Corporate Governance in the Pandemic, PH Economic Statistics, Political Risk, the 2022 Elections and Corporate Governance, and Competitive Impact Assessment of Business Practices under the Philippine Competition Act, for four (4) hours Please refer to the Summary of the Corporate Governance Trainings on the details of the trainings attended by the directors and officers of the Corporation in 2021.	
Re	commendation 1.4			
1	The Board has a policy on board diversity.	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.1.e [Qualifications and Disqualifications of Directors] of the Manual and Section 3.2 [Qualifications and Disqualifications] of the Board Charter state that the Board of Directors shall be composed of members from diverse backgrounds to ensure that optimal decision-making is achieved. The Board is gender-diversified with four (4) male members, and three (3) female members. The gender composition of the Board is set out on Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS. The age and competence of each member of the Board are set out in Pages 57, 59-60 of SEC Form 17-A.	
Re	commendation 1.5			
1	The Board is assisted by a Corporate Secretary.	COMPLIANT	Atty. Virgilio S. Jacinto is the incumbent Corporate Secretary of the Corporation, as reported in Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS, Page 15	
2	The Corporate Secretary is a separate individual from the Compliance Officer.	NON- COMPLIANT	of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement, and Page 58 of SEC Form 17-A. The qualifications, duties and functions of the Corporate Secretary are set out in Article IV, Section 5 of the By-laws of the Corporation ("By-laws") and Section 2.2.5 of the Manual. Atty. Virgilio S. Jacinto is the Corporate Secretary and Compliance Officer. He is also the General Counsel of the San Miguel Corporation,	The Board appointed the Corporate Secretary and Compliance Officer in the person of the General Counsel of San Miguel Corporation, which wholly-owns the Corporation. The Board deemed it fit that these be held by him as a person having adequate stature, authority, legal

			the parent company of the Corporation. His academic qualifications and professional experience are set out on Page 18 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement and Page 60 of SEC Form 17-A.	knowledge and experience, considering the nature of these functions. He heads a department with resources and legal staff who assist him in performing the separate functions of Corporate Secretary and Compliance Officer of the Corporation.
				The Board deems the foregoing arrangement as effective and efficient under the present circumstances. The functions of the Corporate Secretary do not impair or impede the performance of his responsibilities as a director. His independence remains despite holding such concurrent position.
3	The Corporate Secretary is not a member of the Board of Directors.	NON- COMPLIANT		The functions of the Corporate Secretary do not impair or impede the performance of the responsibilities of Atty. Jacinto as a director. His independence remains despite holding such concurrent position
4	The Corporate Secretary attends annual training/s on corporate governance.	COMPLIANT	Atty. Jacinto, the Corporation's Corporate Secretary, has attended a corporate governance seminar conducted by ROAM, Inc. on October 15, 2021, and (ii) a corporate governance training seminar conducted by Center for Global Best Practices on October 29, 2021 for the required number of training hours, as disclosed in Page 60 of SEC Form 17-A. The details of the corporate governance seminar attended by Atty. Jacinto are set out in the Summary of the Corporate Governance Trainings.	·

R	ecommendation 1.6			
1	The Board is assisted by a Compliance Officer.	COMPLIANT	Atty. Virgilio S. Jacinto is the incumbent Compliance Officer of the	
2	The Compliance Officer has a rank of Senior Vice-President or an equivalent position with adequate stature and authority in the corporation.	COMPLIANT	Corporation, as reported in Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS, Page 15 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement, and Page 58 of SEC Form 17-A. He is also the Corporate Secretary of the Corporation and is one of the top-ranking officers of the Corporation. The qualifications, duties and functions of the Compliance Officer are	The Board customarily appoints an officer with adequate stature and authority in the Corporation to the position of Compliance Officer.
3	The Compliance Officer is not a member of the board.	NON- COMPLIANT	set out in Section 2.1 <i>Compliance Officer</i> of the Manual.	The functions of the Compliance Officer do not impair or impede
			Atty. Jacinto's qualifications and professional experience are set out on Page 18 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement and Page 58 of SEC Form 17-A.	the performance of the responsibilities of Atty. Jacinto as a director. His independence remains despite holding such concurrent positions.
4	The Compliance Officer attends annual training/s on corporate governance.	COMPLIANT	Atty. Jacinto, the Corporation's Compliance Officer, has attended a corporate governance training seminar conducted by ROAM, Inc. on October 15, 2021, and (ii) a corporate governance training seminar conducted by Center for Global Best Practices on October 29, 2021 for the required number of training hours, as disclosed in Page 60 of SEC Form 17-A. The details of the corporate governance seminar attended by Atty. Jacinto are set out in the Summary of the Corporate Governance Trainings.	concurrent positions.

Principle 2. ESTABLISHING CLEAR ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE BOARD

The fiduciary roles, responsibilities, and accountabilities of the Board, as provided under the law, the company's articles of incorporation and bylaws, and other legal pronouncements and guidelines should be clearly made known to all directors as well as to shareholders/members and other stakeholders.

Recommendation 2.1	

1	The Directors act on a fully informed	COMPLIANT	In compliance with Section 2.2.1.a [General Responsibility] of the	
	basis, in good faith, with due diligence		Manual and Section 2.2 [General Responsibilities of the Board] of the	
	and care, and in the best interest of		Board Charter, the undersigned Directors, together with the Corporate	
	the company, shareholders and		Secretary and Compliance Officer, hereby certify that the Board acts on	
	stakeholders.		a fully informed basis, in good faith, with due diligence and care, and in	
			the best interest of the Corporation.	

Re	commendation 2.2			
1	The Board oversees the development	COMPLIANT	In compliance with Section 2.2.1.a [General Responsibility] of the	
	and approval of the company's		Manual and Section 2.2 [General Responsibilities of the Board] of the	
	business objectives and strategy.		Board Charter, the report on the performance of the Corporation is	
2	The Board oversees and monitors the	COMPLIANT	presented for the review and approval by the Board.	
	implementation of the company's			
	business objectives and strategy.		The Corporate Secretary attests that:	
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			(a) The Board of Directors approves the year-end significant	
			transactions, financial position and financial condition in a	
			comparative year-to-date basis;	
			(b) During the Board of Directors' approval of the Corporation's	
			SEC Form 17-Q, the Chief Finance Officer, upon the direction of	
			the Chairman reports to the Board of Directors on a quarterly	
			basis the implementation of the Corporation's business	
			objectives and strategies; and	
			(c) The Board of Directors approves the significant transactions, as	
			disclosed through the Corporation's <u>SEC Form 17-C</u> filings,	
			and financial reports, as follows:	
			i) <u>SEC Form 17-Q (Q1 2021)</u> ;	
			ii) <u>SEC Form 17-Q (Q2 2021);</u>	
			iii) <u>SEC Form 17-Q (Q3 2021)</u> ;	
			iv) <u>SEC Form 17-A</u> .	
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1	The Board ensures and adopts an	COMPLIANT	Under Section 2.2.1.b [Specific Duties and Functions] of the Manual and	Directors are elected by the
	effective succession planning program		Section 2.3 (c) of the <u>Board Charter</u> , the Board shall "appoint competent, professional, honest and highly-motivated Management	stockholders and have a definite term. The Corporation does not
	for directors, key officers and		officers and adopt an effective succession planning program for	have a succession planning
	management.		directors, Management and key officers to ensure the continuous and	program for prospective directors
			consistent growth of the Corporation, and a continued increase in the	who may replace current
			shareholders' value, including a retirement policy for directors and key	directors. The objective of
			officers, and to promote dynamism in the Corporation."	ensuring the availability of
			, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	suitable nominees for directors is
				performed by the Corporate
				Governance Committee who

2	The Board adopts a policy for the retirement of directors and key officers.	COMPLIANT	Also under Section 4 (d) of the Corporate Governance Committee Charter, the Corporate Governance Committee shall recommend a succession plan for the Board members and senior officers. The Corporation has a Management and Development Program (MDP) aimed at ensuring timely availability of the required number of employees at middle manager level and up, to fulfill the short and long term needs of the Corporation. The 2022 Multi-Employer Retirement Plan Rules and Regulations of the Corporation was approved by the Board on 2 May 2022, as disclosed through SEC Form 17-C.	ensures a mix of competent directors who can add value and contribute independent judgment to the formulation of sound corporate strategies and policies.
Re	ecommendation 2.4			
1	The Board aligns the remuneration of key officers and board members with the long-term interests of the company.	COMPLIANT	Under Section 2.2.1.b [Specific Duties and Functions] of the Manual and Section 2.3 [Specific Duties and Functions of the Board] of the Board Charter, the Board shall align the remuneration of key officers and Board members with the long-term interests of the Corporation and, in	
2	The Board adopts a policy specifying the relationship between remuneration and performance.	COMPLIANT	doing so, formulate and adopt a policy specifying the relationship between remuneration and performance."	
3	The Directors do not participate in discussions or deliberations involving his/her own remuneration.	COMPLIANT	 Under Section 2.2.2.a (ii) (10), (11) and (12) the Manual, the Corporate Governance Committee shall: Designate amount of remuneration, which shall be in a sufficient level to attract and retain directors and officers who are needed to run the Corporation successfully; Develop a form on Full Business Disclosure as part of the preemployment requirements for all incoming officers, which among others, compel all officers to declare under the penalty of perjury all their existing business interests or shareholdings that may directly or indirectly conflict in their performance of duties once hired; and Disallow any director to decide his or her own remuneration. 	
	commendation 2.5	COMPLIANT		
1	transparent board nomination and election policy.	COMPLIANT	The qualifications and composition of the Board, as well as their nomination and election process are set out in Article III, Section 2 of the By-laws , Section 3.4 [Nominations for Election of Directors] of the	
2	The Board nomination and election policy is disclosed in the company's Manual on Corporate Governance.	COMPLIANT	Board Charter and Section 9 [Nomination and Election Policy] of the Manual.	

3	The Board nomination and election policy includes how the company accepted nominations from shareholders/members.	COMPLIANT	Under Section 2.2.2.a (ii) (7) and (8) of the Manual and Section 4 (g) and (h) of the Corporate Governance Committee Charter, the Corporate Governance Committee shall:	
4	The Board nomination and election policy includes how the board reviews the qualifications of nominated candidates.	COMPLIANT	 determine the standards and criteria for nomination and election of, and the nomination and election process for, the Corporation's directors and define the general profile of Board members that the Corporation may need and ensure appropriate knowledge, 	
5	The Board nomination and election policy includes an assessment of the effectiveness of the Board's processes in the nomination, election or	COMPLIANT	competencies and expertise that complement the existing skills of the Board; and o pre-screen and shortlist all candidates nominated to become a member of the Board of Directors in accordance with the qualifications and disqualifications as provided in the Manual. Section 5.1.2 [Voting Right] of the Manual sets out the right of all shareholders to nominate, elect, remove and replace directors in accordance with the Revised Corporation Code, and states that a director shall not be removed without cause if it will deny minority shareholders representation in the Board. Section 6.1 [Periodic Assessment] of the Corporate Governance	
6	replacement/removal of a director. The Board has a process for identifying the quality of directors/trustees that is aligned with the strategic direction of the company.			
			<u>Committee Charter</u> states that the Committee shall assess its effectiveness periodically, with the end in view of ensuring that its performance accords with best practice. Such assessment must compare its performance with the requirements of this Charter and the Manual.	
			In compliance, thereto, the performance of the Board Committees and the Board of Directors for 2021 have been assessed through Self-Rating Forms as approved by the Board Committees and the Board of Directors on 1 March 2022. The results of the performance assessments were validated by Compliance Officer and Corporate Governance Committee Members, and reported to the Board of Directors on 02 May 2022. Said validated results are shown in the 2021 Performance Assessments Results, and disclosed in the 2022 Definitive Information Statement of the Corporation filed on 17 May 2022 (the "2022 Definitive Information Statement").	

R	Recommendation 2.6								
2	The Board has overall responsibility in ensuring that there is a policy and system governing related party transactions (RPTs) and other unusual or infrequently occurring transactions. The RPT policy includes appropriate review and approval of material RPTs, which guarantee fairness and transparency of the transactions.	COMPLIANT	Under Section 2.2.1.b (xv) [Specific Duties and Functions] of the Manual and Section 2.3 (o) [Specific Duties and Functions of the Board] of the Board Charter, the Board shall formulate and implement policies and procedures that would ensure the integrity, fairness and transparency of related party transactions ("RPTs") and other unusual or infrequently occurring transactions, particularly those which pass certain thresholds of materiality. Such policies shall include the appropriate review and approval of material or significant RPTs, which guarantee fairness and transparency of the transactions, and encompass all entities within the group, taking into account their size, structure, risk profile and complexity of operations. Pursuant thereto, the Corporation adopted the Policy on Material Related Party Transactions which was unanimously approved by the Board of Directors on 30 October 2020 (the "Material RPT Policy"). Under the Material RPT Policy, all RPTs shall be entered into on an arms-length basis and thus, accounted for at market prices normally charge to unaffiliated customers or parties for equivalent or similar goods or services. The Material RPT Policy provides for the coverage ad materiality threshold of Material RPTS, review process of Material RPTs, and the approval process, among others The duties and responsibilities of the Related Party Transaction Committee (the "RPT Committee") are set forth in Section 2.2.2.c (ii) of						
			The duties and responsibilities of the Related Party Transaction						
			Note 20 [Related Party Disclosures] of the Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Corporation as of the year 31 December 2021 which forms part of SEC Form 17-A sets out the related party transactions of the Corporation and outstanding balances as of the said date. The Corporate Secretary hereby attests that said related party transactions were reported to and approved by the RPT Committee during its meeting held on 1 March 2022.						

Recommendation 2.7		
The Board is primarily responsible for approving the selection of Management, led by the Chief Executive Officer (CEO) or his/her equivalent, and the heads of the other control functions (Chief Risk Officer, Chief Compliance Officer and Chief Audit Executive, as may be applicable).	COMPLIANT	The Board appointed all the officers of the Corporation for 2021 including the President (who shall be the Chief Executive Officer as stated in Section 2, Article IV of the By-laws), the Chief Finance Officer, Corporate Secretary and Compliance Officer, Assistant Corporate Secretary, among others, at its Organizational Board Meeting held on 1 June 2021, as reflected in Item b.iii. of the 1 June 2021 SEC Form 17-C and Pages 4-5 of the 2021 Amended GIS. Under Section 2.2.1.b (iii) of the Manual and Section 2.3 (c) of the Board Charter, the Board shall appoint competent, professional, honest and highly-motivated Management officers. As disclosed in Pages 4-5 of the 2021 Amended GIS, Pages 15-16 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement, and Page 58 of SEC Form 17-A, the following are the incumbent officers of the Corporation: 1. Ramon S. Ang - Chairman & Chief Executive Officer and President & Chief Operating Officer 2. John Paul L. Ang - Chairman & Chief Executive Officer and President & Chief Operating Officer 3. Elenita D. Go - General Manager - Vice Chairman - General Manager - Vice President and Chief Finance Officer - Vice President and Chief Finance Officer - Assistant Vice President and Comptroller - Assistant Vice President, Sales and Marketing Manager - Assistant Vice President, Sales and Marketing Manager - RES, and Head of the Battery Business 9. Julie Ann B. Domino-Pablo - Assistant Vice President and General Counsel

2	The Board is primarily responsible for assessing the performance of Management, led by the CEO or his/her equivalent and the heads of the other control functions (Chief Risk Officer, Chief Compliance Officer and Chief Audit Executive, as may be applicable).	COMPLIANT	10. Jose Ferlino P. Raymundo - Assistant Vice President and Energy Sourcing & Trading Manager 11. Danilo T. Tolarba - Assistant Vice President and Human Resources Group Manager 12. Irene M. Cipriano - Assistant Corporate Secretary 13. Reynaldo S. Matillano - Internal Audit Manager 14. Maria Floreselda S. - Data Protection Officer Abalos-Sampaga Under Section 2.2.1.a of the Manual and Section 2.2 (b) of the Board Charter, the Board is responsible for formulating means to effectively monitor Management's performance. Consistent with the annual review and assessment by the Board and the Board Committees, the Board's assessment of Management's performance are done on an annual basis. The performance of the Management for 2021 was assessed through Self-Rating Forms approved by the Board on 1 March 2022. The results were validated by Compliance Officer and Corporate Governance Committee Members and reported to the Board of Directors on 02 May 2022. Said validated results are shown in the 2021 Performance Assessments Results, and disclosed in the 2022 Definitive Information Statement of the Corporation.
Re	commendation 2.8		
1	The Board establishes an effective performance evaluation framework that includes a standard or criteria for assessment and ensures that Management's performance is on par with the standards set by the Board and Senior Management.	COMPLIANT	Under Section 2.2.1.c (i) (9) [Internal Control System] of the Manual and Section 2.7(a)(ix) [Internal Controls System] of the Board Charter, the Board shall have oversight responsibilities for ensuring the establishment of an effective performance management framework that will ensure that the Management, including the Chief Executive Officer, and personnel's performance is at par with the standards set by the Board and Senior Management.
2	The Board establishes an effective performance evaluation framework that includes a standard or criteria for assessment and ensures that personnel's performance is on par	COMPLIANT	As mentioned above, the Board approved on 1 March 2022 the Self-rating Forms to measure the performance of Management for 2021.

	with the standards set by the Board and Senior Management.			
Re	commendation 2.9			
1	The Board ensures that an appropriate internal control system is in place.	COMPLIANT	The oversight responsibilities of the Board for ensuring the presence of appropriate, adequate, strong and effective internal control mechanisms are set out in Section 2.2.1.c (i) of the Manual and Section	
2	The internal control system includes a mechanism for monitoring and managing potential/actual conflicts of interest of the board members/trustees, management and shareholders/members.	COMPLIANT	2.7 (a) of the Board Charter. On 1 March 2022, the Board confirmed and certified that a sound internal control and compliance system is in place and working effectively, as reported in the 2022 Definitive Information Statement.	
3	The Board adopts an Internal Audit Charter.	COMPLIANT	The <u>Internal Audit Charter</u> of the Corporation was adopted by the Board on 8 August 2017.	
Re	commendation 2.10			
2	The Board ensures that the company has in place a sound enterprise risk management (ERM) framework to effectively identify, monitor, assess and manage key business risks. The risk management framework guides the Board in identifying units/business lines and enterprise-level risk exposures, as well as the effectiveness of risk management strategies.	NON- COMPLIANT NON- COMPLIANT	Pursuant to Section 2.2.1.c (ii) [Enterprise Risk Management] of the Manual and Section 2.7 (b) [Enterprise Risk Management] of the Board Charter, the Board shall oversee that a sound enterprise risk management ("ERM") framework is in place to effectively identify, monitor, assess and manage key business risks, which will guide the Board in identifying units/business lines and enterprise-level risk exposures, as well as the effectiveness of risk management strategies. The Major Business Risks for the Corporation have been identified in its SEC Form 17-A, specifically Pages 28-46 thereof, together with the risk management strategies adopted by the Management to address the same.	The Board shall adopt an ERM framework to achieve the purpose for which it is intended.
Re	commendation 2.11			
1	The Board has a Board Charter that formalizes and clearly states its roles, responsibilities and accountabilities in carrying out its fiduciary duties.	COMPLIANT	The <u>Board Charter</u> was adopted by the Board of Directors on 30 October 2020, and may be accessed by the public from the <u>website</u> of the Corporation.	
2	The Board Charter serves as a guide to the directors/trustees in the performance of their functions.	COMPLIANT		
3	The Board Charter is publicly available.	COMPLIANT		

Principle 3. ESTABLISHING BOARD COMMITTEES

The board committees should be set up to the extent possible to support the effective performance of the Board's functions, particularly with respect to audit, risk management, compliance and other key corporate governance concerns, such as nomination and remuneration. The composition, functions and responsibilities of all the board committees should be contained in their respective board committee charters.

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Re	Recommendation 3.1					
1	The Board establishes board committees that focus on specific board functions to aid in the optimal performance of its roles and responsibilities.	COMPLIANT	Under Section 1 (o), Article III of the <u>By-laws</u> , the Board is granted the power to create special committees of directors, including, but not limited to, the Corporate Governance Committee, Audit and Risk Oversight Committee and the Related Party Transaction (RPT) Committee. Section 2.2.2 of the <u>Manual</u> and Section 2.6 of the <u>Board Charter</u> , specify the Committees established by the Board and the composition, duties and responsibilities of each of the Board Committees. The Board Committees and their respective members are published on the <u>website</u> of the Corporation. The respective membership of the directors in the Board Committees is likewise shown in Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS.			
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1		COMPLIANT	Costion 2.2.2 h /i) of the Manual Costion 2.6(a) of the Decard Charter			
1	The Board establishes an Audit Committee to enhance its oversight capability over the company's financial reporting, internal control system, internal and external audit processes, and compliance with applicable laws and regulations.	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.2.b. (i) of the Manual, Section 2.6(a) of the Board Charter, and Section 4 of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter set out the composition, duties and responsibilities of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee. Said duties and responsibilities are likewise reflected in Page 96, Note 30 of the Notes [Related Party Disclosures] to the Consolidated Financial Statements of the Corporation as of the year 31 December 2021 which forms part of SEC Form 17-A. Pursuant to Section 2.2.2.b. (iii) (4) of the Manual and Section 4.d. of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter, the appointment, reappointment, and removal of the external auditor shall be recommended by the Committee and approved by the Board and ratified by the shareholders.			
2	The Audit Committee is composed of at least three (3) qualified non-executive directors, the majority of whom, including the Chairperson, are independent directors.	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.2.b (v) of the Manual, Section 2.6 (a) of the Board Charter, and Section 2.1 of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter provide that the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee may be composed of at least three (3) appropriately qualified non-executive directors, the majority of whom should be Independent Directors. The Chairperson			

	All the members of the committee have relevant background, knowledge, skills, and/or experience in the areas of accounting, auditing and finance.	COMPLIANT	shall be an independent Director and should not be the Chairman of the Board or of any other Committee. The respective qualifications of the members of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee are set out in Section 2.1 and 2.2 of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter. The composition of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee is published on the website of the Corporation, and is likewise reflected in Item b.iv. of the 1 June 2021 SEC Form 17-C, and Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS. Section 2.2.2.b (v) of the Manual, Section 2.6 (a) of the Board Charter, and Section 2.2 of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter require "the members of the Committee shall have relevant background, knowledge, skills, and/or experience in the areas of accounting, auditing and finance and at least one member of the Committee must have relevant thorough knowledge and experience on risk and risk management." The members of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee, including their position and type of directorship are published on the website of the Corporation, and is likewise reflected in Item b (iv) of the 1 June	
			2021 SEC Form 17-C and Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS. The respective qualifications of the members of the Audit and Risk	
	The Chairman of the A. I'll	CONADLIANT	Oversight Committee are shown in Pages 59-60 of SEC Form 17-A.	
	The Chairperson of the Audit	COMPLIANT	The Chairperson of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee is Mr. Jack	
	Committee is not the Chairperson of the Board or of any other committee.		G. Arroyo, Jr., and does not sit as Chairperson of the Board or of any other Committee as set reflected in Item b (iv) of the 1 June 2021 SEC	
	the board of of any other confinitee.		Form 17-C, Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS, and Page 18 of the 2021	
			Definitive Information Statement and Page 60 of SEC Form 17-A.	
Rec	ommendation 3.3			
	The Board establishes a Corporate	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.2.a. of the Manual, Section 2.6 (c) of the Board Charter, and	
	Governance Committee tasked to	•	Section 4 of the Corporate Governance Committee Charter set out the	
	assist the Board in the performance of		composition, duties and responsibilities of the Corporate Governance	
	its corporate governance		Committee.	
	responsibilities, including the			
	functions that were formerly assigned		Pursuant to Section 2.2.2.a. (ii) (7) of the Manual and Section 4(g) of	
			the <u>Corporate Governance Committee Charter</u> , the Committee shall	

	to a Nomination and Remuneration Committee.		determine the nomination and election process for the Corporation's Directors and define the general profile of Board members that the Corporation may need and ensure appropriate knowledge, competencies and expertise that complement the existing skills of the Board.	
2	The Corporate Governance Committee is composed of at least three (3) members, majority of whom, including the Chairperson, should be independent directors.	COMPLIANT	The members of the Corporate Governance Committee, including their position and type of directorship, are published on the <u>website</u> of the Corporation, and is likewise reflected in Item b(iv) of the <u>1 June 2021 SEC Form 17-C</u> and Page 4 of the <u>2021 Amended GIS</u> . The respective qualifications of the members of the Corporate Governance Committee are shown in Pages 59-60 of <u>SEC Form 17-A</u> .	
Re	ecommendation 3.4			
1	The Board establishes a separate Board Risk Oversight Committee (BROC) that should be responsible for the oversight of a company's Enterprise Risk Management system to ensure its functionality and effectiveness.	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.2.b. (i) of the <u>Manual</u> , Section 2.6(a) of the <u>Board Charter</u> , and Section 4 of the <u>Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter</u> set out the composition, and the duties and responsibilities of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee.	
2	The BROC is composed of at least three (3) members, the majority of whom should be independent directors, including the Chairperson.	COMPLIANT	The members of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee, including their position and type of directorship, are published on the website of the Corporation, and is likewise reflected in Item b(iv) of the 1 June 2021 SEC Form 17-C and Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS. The respective qualifications of the members of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee are shown in Pages 59-60 of SEC Form 17-A	
3	At least one member of the BROC has relevant thorough knowledge and experience on risk and risk management.	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.2.b (v) of the Manual, Section 2.6 (a) of the Board Charter, and Section 2.2 of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter require "[t]he members of the Committee shall have relevant background, knowledge, skills, and/or experience in the areas of accounting, auditing and finance and at least one member of the Committee must have relevant thorough knowledge and experience on risk and risk management." The respective qualifications of the members of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee are shown in Pages 59-60 of SEC Form 17-A.	

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All established committees have a Committee Charter stating in plain terms their respective purposes, memberships, structures, operations, reporting process, resources and other relevant information. The Committee Charters provide standards for evaluating the performance of a committee and its members.		Each of the Board Committees have their respective Charters, namely: <u>Corporate Governance Committee Charter</u> , <u>Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter</u> , and the <u>RPT Committee Charter</u> (collectively, the "Committee Charters"). Each of the Committee Charters set forth in Section 6 [<i>Performance Evaluation</i>] thereof the standards for the performance evaluation of the Committees and their respective members.			

Principle 4. FOSTERING COMMITMENT

To show full commitment to the company, the directors should devote the time and attention necessary to properly and effectively perform their duties and responsibilities, including sufficient time to be familiar with the corporation's business.

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Recommendation 4.1					
The Directors attend and actively participate in all meetings of the Board, Committees and shareholders/members in person or through tele-/videoconferencing conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Commission.		Section 2.2.1 (g) [Board Meetings and Quorum Requirements] of the Manual and Section 4.2 (a) [Attendance and Participation in Meetings] of the Board Charter provide that "Directors should attend and actively participate in all meetings of the Board, Committees, and shareholders in person or through tele-/video-conferencing conducted in accordance with the rules and regulations of the SEC, except when justifiable causes, such as illness, death in the immediate family and serious accidents, prevent them from doing so." The manner of conduct of the Board meetings and stockholders' meetings are set out in Section 7, Article III and Section 6, Article II of the By-laws, respectively. The conduct of the meetings of the Board Committees are set out in Section 3 of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter, Corporate Governance Committee Charter, and the RPT Committee Charter. The Summary of Attendance reports the attendance of the directors to the Board meetings, Committee meetings and Annual Shareholders' meeting held in 2021, as disclosed in Page 24 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement and Page 23 of the 2022 Definitive Information Statement.			

3	The Directors review meeting materials for all Board and Committee meetings. The Directors ask the necessary questions or seek clarifications and explanations during the Board and Committee meetings.	COMPLIANT	The Corporate Secretary certifies that the materials for the Board and Committee meetings are promptly prepared and provided to the directors to give them ample time and opportunity to review the same. Section 2.2.1. (g) [Board Meetings and Quorum Requirements] of the Manual and Section 4.2 (a) [Attendance and Participation in Meetings] of the Board Charter provide that in Board and Committee meetings, the director should review meeting materials and if called for, ask the necessary questions or seek clarifications and explanations. The Corporate Secretary hereby attests that the directors of the	
			Corporation asked questions and sought clarifications and explanations in the course of the discussions during the Board and Committee meetings held in 2021.	
Re	commendation 4.2			
1	Non-executive directors concurrently serve in not more than ten (10) public companies and/or registered issuers. If concurrently sitting in at least three (3) publicly listed companies, the maximum concurrent directorships shall be five (5) public companies and/or registered issuers.	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.1. (i) [Policy on Multiple Board Seats] of the Manual and Section 4.3 of the Board Charter provide that in Board and Committee meetings, provide that the non-executive directors of the Board should not concurrently serve as directors more than ten (10) public companies and/or registered issuers to ensure that they have sufficient time to fully prepare for meetings, challenge Management's proposals/views, and oversee the long-term strategy of the Corporation. However, the maximum concurrent directorships shall be five (5) public companies and/or registered issuers if the director also sits in at least three (3) publicly-listed companies. The respective profile of the directors in Pages 16-18 of the 2022 Definitive Information Statement and Pages 59-60 of SEC Form 17-A provides information on the other directorship currently held by said directors.	
Re	commendation 4.3			
1	The Directors notify the company's board before accepting a directorship in another company.	COMPLIANT	Under Section 2.2.1. (i) [Policy on Multiple Board Seats] of the Manual and Section 4.3 [Policy on Multiple Board Seats] of the Board Charter, a director of the Corporation should notify the Board where he is an incumbent director before accepting a directorship in another company.	

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			The Corporate Secretary hereby attests that the directors have, where	
			applicable, notified the Board before accepting a directorship in other	
			companies.	
Pr	inciple 5. REINFORCING BOARD INDEPEN	IDENCE		
Th	ne Board should endeavor to exercise an o	bjective and in	dependent judgment on all corporate affairs.	
Re	ecommendation 5.1			
1	The Board is composed of a majority of non-executive directors who possess the necessary qualifications.	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.1 [Board of Directors] of the Manual and Section 3.1 [Composition] of the Board Charter provides that the Board shall be composed of a majority of non-executive directors who possess the necessary qualifications to effectively participate and help secure objective, independent judgment on corporate affairs and to substantiate proper checks and balances. Out of the seven (7) directors, only two (2) directors are holding executive position in the Corporation, namely: Mr. Ramon S. Ang (being the Chairman & CEO and President & COO) and Atty. Virgilio S. Jacinto (being the Corporate Secretary and Compliance Officer), as reflected in the 1 June 2021 SEC Form 17-C and Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS. The qualifications of the non-executive directors of the Board are shown in Pages 16-18 of the 2022 Definitive Information Statement and Pages 59-60 of SEC Form 17-A.	
Re	ecommendation 5.2			
1		COMPLIANT	The Sixth Article of the <u>Amended Articles of Incorporation</u> states that the number of directors of the corporation shall be seven (7) while Section 2, Article III of the <u>By-laws</u> further provides that at least three (3) of whom or such number as to constitute at least one-third of the members of the Board of Directors, whichever is higher, shall be independent directors.	
			Three (3) out of the seven (7) directors of the Corporation are independent directors, namely: Jack G. Arroyo, Jr., Consuelo M. Ynares-Santiago and Josefina Guevara-Salonga, as reflected in Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS, Pages 15 and 20 of the 2022 Definitive Information Statement, 1 June 2021 SEC Form 17-C and Page 57 of SEC Form 17-A.	

Re	Recommendation 5.3				
1	The independent directors possess all	COMPLIANT	The qualifications of an independent director are set out in Section 2,		
	the qualifications and none of the		Article III of the Corporation's By-laws, and Section 2.2.1.f.		
	disqualifications to hold the position.		[Independent Directors] of the Manual and Section 3.3. (c)		
			[Qualifications of Independent Directors] of the Board Charter.		
			The qualifications and professional experience of the independent		
			directors of the Corporation are set forth on, Page 18 of the 2021		
			<u>Definitive Information Statement</u> , Pages 17-18 of the <u>2022 Definitive</u>		
			<u>Information Statement</u> and Page 60 of <u>SEC Form 17-A</u> .		
			The independent directors of the Corporation have certified that they		
			posses all the qualifications and none of the disqualifications provided		
			for in the Securities and Regulation Code. Certifications to the said		
			effect were submitted by the independent directors in accordance with		
			SEC Memorandum Circular No. 5, Series of 2017, are attached as		
			Annexes "A-1", "A-2" and "A-3" to the 2021 Definitive Information		
			<u>Statement</u> and the <u>2022 Definitive Information Statement</u> .		
Re	commendation 5.4				
1	The company perpetually bars an	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.1.f. (ii) of the Manual and Section 3.3 (e) of the Board		
	independent director from serving in		<u>Charter</u> provide that upon reaching this limit, an Independent Director		
	such capacity after the term limit of		should be perpetually barred from re-election as such in the		
	nine (9) years.		Corporation, but may continue to qualify for nomination and election		
			as a non-independent director. In the instance that the Corporation		
			needs to retain an Independent Director who has served for nine (9)		
			years, the Board shall provide meritorious justifications and seek		
		CONTRILIANT	shareholders' approval during the annual shareholders' meeting.		
2	In the instance that the company	COMPLIANT	In Pages 22-23 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement, it was		
	retains an independent director in the same capacity after nine (9) years, the		disclosed that each of Jack G. Arroyo, Jr. and Consuelo M. Ynares-		
			Santiago have been serving the Corporation as an independent director		
	·		for nine (9) years, are both seeking re-election as independent directors of the Corporation in its 2021 Annual Stockholders' Meeting. The		
	justification and seeks shareholders'/members' approval		Corporation's Corporate Governance Committee has evaluated their		
	during the annual regular meeting.		independence and determined that they possess all the qualifications		
	during the almual regular meeting.		and none of the disqualifications to act as independent director of the		
			Corporation, in accordance with the Manual. Upon favorable		
			endorsement by the Corporation's Corporate Governance Committee,		
			the Board, upon finding meritorious reasons for such re-election (as		
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Do	commendation 5.5		enumerated in Pages 22-23 of the <u>2021 Definitive Information Statement</u>), approved and endorsed for the vote of the stockholders of the Corporation the re-election of Jack G. Arroyo, Jr. and Consuelo M. Ynares-Santiago in the 2021 Annual Stockholders' Meeting. The stockholders, as shown in Pages 5-6 of the <u>Minutes of the 2021 Annual Stockholders' Meeting</u> , unanimously re-elected Jack G. Arroyo, Jr. and Consuelo M. Ynares-Santiago as independent directors beyond their cumulative term of nine (9) years, until their successors are elected and qualified, taking into consideration the meritorious justifications presented by the Board for their retention as independent directors of the Corporation.	
1	The positions of Chairperson of the Board and Chief Executive Officer (or its equivalent) are held by separate individuals.	NON- COMPLIANT	As disclosed in Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS, Mr. Ramon S. Ang is the Chairman & Chief Executive Officer and President & Chief Operating Officer of the Corporation.	Sections 2 and 4, Article IV of the Corporation's By-laws provide for the positions of Chairman and the Chief Executive Officer, and President and Chief Operating Officer, respectively. Section 2, Article IV of the Corporation's By-laws provides that the Chairman shall be the Chief Executive Officer. The functions and responsibilities of the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer vis-à-vis the President and Chief Operating Officer are separate and distinct from each other, and clearly defined and set out in the Corporation's By-laws, Section 2.2.3 of the Manual and Section 2.8(a) [The Chairman of the Board &, Chief Executive Officer, the President & Chief Operating Officer, and the Lead Independent Director] of the Board Charter.

2	The Chairperson of the Board and Chief Executive Officer (or its	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.3 (b) of the Manual and Section 2.8 (a) (ii) and (iii) of the Board Charter enumerate the responsibilities of the Chairman, while	While the roles of Chairman of the Board and the Chief Executive Officer are unified in the case of the Corporation, proper checks and balances are laid down to ensure that the Board of Directors obtains the benefit of independent views and perspectives.
	equivalent) have clearly defined responsibilities.		Section 2.2.3(c) of the <u>Manual</u> and Section 2.8 (a)(iv) of the <u>Board</u> <u>Charter</u> provide for the responsibilities of the Chief Executive Officer.	
Re	commendation 5.6			
1	The Board designates a lead director among the independent directors if the Chairperson of the Board is not an independent director.	COMPLIANT	The Board elected Consuelo M. Ynares-Santiago as its lead independent director during its 1 June 2021 Organizational Meeting, as duly disclosed under 1 June 2021 SEC Form 17-C. The Chairman of the Corporation, Mr. Ramon S. Ang, is not an independent director. Section 2.2.3 (e) [The Chairman of the Board, the Chief Executive Officer and the Lead Independent Director] of the Manual and Section 2.8 (c) [The Lead Independent Director] of the Board Charter enumerate the powers and duties of the Lead Independent Director.	
D	ecommendation 5.7		enumerate the powers and duties of the Lead independent Director.	
1	The Directors/Trustees with material interest in a transaction affecting the corporation fully disclose his/her adverse interest, abstain from taking part in the deliberations for the same, and recuse from voting on the approval of transaction.	COMPLIANT	There have been no transactions of the Corporation whereby any of its directors had a material interest therein. Should there be any in the future, the Corporate Secretary shall ensure that directors with a material interest in transactions affecting the Corporation will abstain from taking part in the deliberations for the same during the Board meetings.	
Re	ecommendation 5.8			
1	The non-executive directors (NEDs) have separate periodic meetings with the external auditor and heads of the internal audit, compliance, and risk	NON- COMPLIANT		The Corporate Secretary hereby attests that the non-executive directors, being members of the Audit and Risk Oversight

The meetings are chaired by the lead independent director, if applicable. Of his functions with auditor and head audit, compliance functions, with thowever, of Att Virgilio, an executive latter being the Secretary of the Co is tasked to record the proceedings. The presence of executive director undermine nor independence of executive directors their functions.	nctions, without any executive rectors present.		held meet Chairperson as	_
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Principle 6. ASSESSING BOARD PERFORMANCE

The best measure of the Board's effectiveness is through an assessment process. The Board should regularly carry out evaluations to appraise its performance as a body, and assess whether it possesses the right mix of backgrounds and competencies.

Recommendation 6.1 The Board conducts an annual self-In compliance with the provisions of the Manual, the Corporate COMPLIANT Secretary certifies that each Board Committees, the Board of Directors, assessment of its performance as a whole. Chairman & CEO, and the Management assesses their performance The Chairperson conducts an annual COMPLIANT through self-rating forms done on an annual basis. For 2021, the Selfself-assessment of his performance. Rating Forms were approved by the Board of Directors in its 1 March 2022 meeting. The 2021 Performance Assessments Results, were then The individual members conduct a COMPLIANT validated by the Compliance Officer and Corporate Governance self-assessment of their performance. Committee Members, and reported to the Board of Directors on 02 Each committee conducts a self-COMPLIANT May 2022, as disclosed on Page 23 of the 2022 Definitive Information assessment of its performance. Statement.

Re	commendation 6.2			
2	The Board has in place a system that provides, at the minimum, criteria and process to determine the performance of the Board, individual directors/trustees and committees. The system allows for a feedback mechanism from the shareholders/members.	COMPLIANT	In Page 23 of the <u>2022 Definitive Information Statement</u> , the Board of Directors, approved on 1 March 2022 the 2021 Self-Rating Forms to assess the performance by the Board, the individual directors and committees in accordance with the prevailing Board-approved internal self-rating system. Shareholders may send their feedback to the Corporation via its Investment Relations Contact at rdeguzman@sanmiguel.com.ph or thru the Corporation's Contact_Us page in its website.	
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-	nciple 7. STRENGTHENING BOARD ETHIC		andards, taking into account the interests of all stakeholders.	
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1	The Board adopts a Code of Business Conduct and Ethics, which provide standards for professional and ethical behavior, as well as articulate acceptable and unacceptable conduct and practices in internal and external dealings of board members. The Code is properly disseminated to	COMPLIANT	On 30 October 2020, the Board adopted, among other Corporation policies, the <u>Code of Conduct and Ethics</u> , which covers directors, officers and employees of the Corporation. In compliance with Section 2.2.1.b (x) [Specific Duties and Functions] of	
	the members of Board.		the Manual, copies of the Code of Conduct and Ethics were furnished to the members of the Corporation's Board and its senior management during the 30 October 2020 Board Meeting when the same was approved and adopted by the Board. Any incoming director and officer was likewise furnished a copy of the same. Copies of the Code of Conduct and Ethics were likewise furnished to the Corporation officers and employees.	
3	The Code is disclosed and made available to the public through the company website.	COMPLIANT	The <u>Code of Conduct and Ethics</u> may be viewed and downloaded at the Corporation's <u>website</u> .	

Re	commendation 7.2			
1	The Board ensures the proper and efficient implementation and monitoring of compliance with the Code of Business Conduct and Ethics.	COMPLIANT	Under Section 2.2.1.b (xi) [Specific Duties and Functions] of the Manual, the Board shall ensure the proper and efficient implementation and monitoring of compliance with the Code of Business Conduct and Ethics and internal policies. All of the Corporation's directors, officers and employees are required to comply with the Code of Conduct and Ethics. To date, the directors of the Board, officers and employees of the Corporation remain compliant with the Code of Conduct and Ethics.	
			DISCLOSURE AND TRANSPARENCY	
_	inciple 8. ENHANCING COMPANY DISCLO			
	e Board should establish corporate discl pectations.	osure policies a	and procedures that are practical and in accordance with generally acce	pted best practices and regulatory
Re	commendation 8.1			
1	The Board establishes corporate disclosure policies and procedures to ensure a comprehensive, accurate, reliable and timely report to shareholders/members and other stakeholders that gives a fair and complete picture of a company's financial condition, results and business operations.	COMPLIANT	Section 4 of the Manual provides for the Disclosure and Transparency of Corporation's Corporate Governance Policies. All reports and material information disclosures of the Corporation made to the regulators and the public are available on the PDex website and on the website of the Corporation.	
Re	commendation 8.2			
1	The company has a policy requiring all directors to disclose/report to the company any dealings in the company's shares within five (5) business days.	COMPLIANT	Section 4.4 of the Manual and Section 2.4 (d) of the Board Charter provide that all directors and officers shall disclose to the Corporation any dealings in the Corporation's shares within five (5) business days. The only dealings involving the Corporation's shares are reported in the	
2	The company has a policy requiring all officers to disclose/report to the company any dealings in the company's shares within five (5) business days.	COMPLIANT	SEC Form 23-B of Mr. Ferdinand K. Constantino, SEC Form 23-A of Mr. John Paul L. Ang, and SEC Forms 23-B of San Miguel Corporation, involving the qualifying shares of Ferdinand K. Constantino and John Paul L. Ang as directors of the Corporation, corresponding to 0% out of the outstanding shares of the Corporation.	

Re	ecommendation 8.3			
1	The company's corporate governance policies, programs and procedures are contained in its Manual on Corporate Governance (MCG).		The Manual contains the corporate governance policies, programs and procedures of the Corporation, as filed with the SEC on 30 June 2020, which is likewise posted in the Corporation's website.	
3	The company's MCG is submitted to the SEC. The company's MCG is posted on the			
	company website.	COMPLIANT		
Re	ecommendation 8.4			
1	The company's corporate governance policies and practices and all relevant information are disclosed in its Annual Corporate Governance Report (ACGR).			This is the first time that the Corporation will be filing an ACGR for 2021 with the SEC, in compliance with SEC Memorandum Circular No. 13, series of 2021. The Corporation shall file this 2021 ACGR on or before its 30 June 2022 deadline. The same shall then be posted on the Corporation's website after filing.
2	The company's ACGR is submitted to the SEC.	FOR COMPLIANCE		
3	The company's ACGR is posted on the company website.			

Principle 9. STRENGTHENING EXTERNAL AUDITOR'S INDEPENDENCE AND IMPROVING AUDIT QUALITY

The company should establish standards for the appropriate selection of an external auditor, and exercise effective oversight of the same to strengthen the external auditor's independence and enhance audit quality.

	Recommendation	9.1
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1	The Audit Committee has a robust	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.2 (b) (iii) (4) of the Manual and Section 4 (d) of the Audit	
	process for approving and		and Risk Oversight Committee Charter requires the Audit Committee to	
	recommending the appointment,		"have a robust process for approving and recommending the	
	reappointment, removal, and fees of		appointment, reappointment, removal, and fees of the External	
	external auditors.		Auditor duly accredited by the SEC, who undertakes an independent	
			audit of the Corporation, and provides an objective assurance on the	

			manner by which the financial statements should be prepared and presented to the stockholders." The Audit and Risk Oversight Committee, during its 4 May 2021 meeting, approved its resolution recommending the approval and formal endorsement to the stockholders the appointment of R.G. Manabat & Co. as external auditors of the Corporation for fiscal year 2021, after the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee's careful evaluation thereof in accordance with the criteria set under the Manual and its Charter. Such endorsement was likewise set out in the Minutes of the 2021 Annual Stockholders' Meeting.	
2	The appointment, reappointment, removal, and fees of the external auditor is recommended by the Audit Committee, approved by the Board and the shareholders/members.	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.2 (b) (iii) (4) of the Manual and Section 4 (d) of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter provides that "[t]he appointment, reappointment, and removal of the External Auditor shall be recommended by the Committee and approved by Board and ratified by the shareholders." The Audit and Audit Related Fees of the Corporation's external auditor for 2019 until 2021, as well as the extent of the services rendered, were disclosed on Page 28 of the 2022 Definitive Information Statement. The Audit and Risk Oversight Committee and the Board, during their respective meetings held on 4 May 2021 approved and favorably endorsed to the stockholders the appointment of R.G. Manabat & Co. as external auditor of the Corporation for fiscal year 2021. As reflected in the Minutes of the 2021 Annual Stockholders' Meeting held on 01 June 2021, 100% of the shareholders approved the reappointment of R.G. Manabat & Co. as the external auditor of the Corporation for fiscal year 2021.	
3	For the removal of external auditor, the reasons for such removal or change are disclosed to the SEC, the shareholders/members, and the public through the company website and required disclosures.	COMPLIANT	No such removal occurred in 2021.	

Re	commendation 9.2			
1	The Audit Committee Charter includes the Audit Committee's responsibility on: i. assessing the integrity and independence of external auditors; ii. exercising effective oversight to review and monitor the external auditor's independence and objectivity; and iii. exercising effective oversight to review and monitor the effectiveness of the audit process, taking into consideration relevant Philippine professional and regulatory requirements.	COMPLIANT	Section 4 (e) the <u>Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter</u> provides that the Committee will be responsible for assessing the integrity and independence of the External Auditor and exercising effective oversight to review and monitor the External Auditor's independence and objectivity and the effectiveness of the audit process, taking into consideration relevant Philippine professional and regulatory requirements, as well as be responsible for reviewing and monitoring the External Auditor's suitability and effectiveness on an annual basis.	
2	The Audit Committee Charter contains the Committee's responsibility on reviewing and monitoring the external auditor's suitability and effectiveness on an annual basis.	COMPLIANT		
Re	commendation 9.3			
1	The company discloses the nature of non-audit services performed by its external auditor in the Annual Report to manage potential conflict of interest cases.	COMPLIANT	Pages 56-57 of <u>SEC Form 17-A</u> provide for the disclosures on information on the Corporation's External Auditor, R.G. Manabat & Co. The External Auditor did not performed any non-audit work for the Corporation in 2021.	
2	The Audit Committee stays alert for any potential conflict of interest situations, given the guidelines or policies on non-audit services, which could be viewed as impairing the external auditor's objectivity.	COMPLIANT	Section 2.2.2. (b)(iii)(7) of the Manual and Section 4 (g) of the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee Charter provide that the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee shall evaluate and determine any non-audit work performed by the External Auditor, and periodically review the non-audit fees paid to the External Auditor in relation to the total fees paid to him and to the Corporation's overall consultancy expenses. The Audit and Risk Oversight Committee shall disallow any non-audit work that will conflict with his duties as an External Auditor or may pose a threat to his independence. The non-audit work, if allowed, shall be disclosed in the Corporation's Annual Report and Annual Corporate Governance Report. The Audit and Risk Oversight Committee shall be	

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			alert for any potential conflict of interest situations, given the	
			guidelines or policies on non-audit services, which could be viewed as	
			impairing the External Auditor's objectivity and independence.	
Pr	nciple 10. INCREASING FOCUS ON NON-	FINANCIAL ANI	SUSTAINABILITY REPORTING	
Th	e Board should ensure that the company	discloses mate	rial and reportable non-financial and sustainability issues.	
	commendation 10.1			
1	The Board has a clear and focused	COMPLIANT	Section 4.10 of the Manual provides the policy that the Corporation	
	strategy on the disclosure of non-		"should ensure that the material and reportable non-financial and	
	financial information.		sustainability issues are disclosed. The Board should have a clear and	
			focused strategy on the disclosure of non-financial information. It	
			should disclose to all shareholders and other stakeholders the	
			Corporation's strategic (long-term goals) and operational objectives	
			(short-term goals) as well as impacts of a wide range of sustainability	
			issues with emphasis on the management of economic, environmental,	
			social and governance issues of its business, which underpin	
			sustainability."	
			Non-financial information relating to the Corporation are adequately	
			disclosed under its 2021 Definitive Information Statement and SEC	
			Form 17-A.	
2	The company discloses to all	COMPLIANT	The Corporation's <u>Vision Mission and Core Values</u> provides that the	
	shareholders/members and other		Corporation aims to invest in and build a portfolio of sustainable	
	stakeholders the company's strategic		investments, driven by established goals to build shareholder value,	
	and operational objectives with		mindful of its social, economic and environmental responsibilities, as it	
	emphasis on the management of		remains to be committed to integrity, honesty and fairness in all	
	environmental, economic, social and		dealings with its stakeholders.	
	governance (EESG) issues of its			
	business which underpin		Further, social responsibility remains to be a Core Value of the	
	sustainability.		Corporation, and key to the [its] social responsibility is its commitment	
			to improve the lives of people in the communities where its facilities,	
			stations and projects are present, with focus on environmental	
			stewardship and activities to benefit the society in general.	
			The Corneration also recognizes that it has a responsibility not just to	
			The Corporation also recognizes that it has a responsibility not just to employees but also to the communities where its businesses operate.	
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			As a socially responsible corporate citizen, the Corporation believes	

that it must provide the employees' family and surrounding communities opportunities to develop values of self-reliance.

SMCGP Philippines Power Foundation, Inc., the corporate social responsibility arm of the Corporation and its subsidiaries has undertaken various projects and programs for the stakeholders of the Corporation. The corporate social responsibility initiatives of the Corporation are disclosed on its website.

The Corporation is determined to strengthen its sustainable practices by promoting a greener and more people-centered future, as shown in the <u>Sustainability Report</u>. In addition to this, the Corporation's compliance with environmental laws and observance of international standards for its power projects are disclosed in Pages 26-28 of <u>SEC Form 17-A</u>.

Principle 11. PROMOTING A COMPREHENSIVE AND COST-EFFICIENT ACCESS TO RELEVANT INFORMATION

The company should maintain a comprehensive and cost-efficient communication channel for disseminating relevant information. This channel is crucial for an informed decision-making by investors, stakeholders and other interested users.

Recommendation 11.1

1	The company has a website to ensure
	a comprehensive, cost-efficient,
	transparent and timely manner of disseminating relevant information to
	disseminating relevant information to
	the public.

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The Corporation has its own <u>SMC Global Power website</u> to ensure comprehensive, cost-efficient, transparent and timely manner of disseminating relevant information to the public.

INTERNAL CONTROL AND RISK MANAGEMENT FRAMEWORKS

Principle 12. STRENGTHENING INTERNAL CONTROL AND RISK MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

To ensure the integrity, transparency and proper governance in the conduct of its affairs, the company should have a strong and effective internal control system and enterprise risk management system.

Recommendation 12.1

1	The company has an adequate and
	effective internal control system in the
	conduct of its business.

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The Internal Audit Department of the Corporation conducts the internal audit of Corporation and its subsidiaries. Pursuant to Section 2.2.2 (b) (i) of the Manual, the Board of Directors of the Corporation constituted the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee to enhance the Board's oversight capability over the Corporation's financial reporting, internal control system, internal and external audit processes, and compliance with applicable laws and regulations. Section 2.2.1.c (i) of the Manual,

			provides for the Board's oversight responsibilities for ensuring the presence of appropriate, adequate, strong and effective internal control mechanisms. During its meeting held on 1 March 2022, the Board of Directors confirmed and certified that a sound internal control and compliance system is in place and working effectively, as reported in the <a (a)="" (b)="" (c)="" (d)="" (e)<="" -="" a="" among="" and="" assessing="" common="" contains="" designing="" develop="" developing="" duties="" effectiveness.="" elements:="" ensure="" erm="" erm")="" following="" formal="" functionality="" goals,="" href="https://doi.org/10.2022/2022/2022/2022/2022/2022/2022/2</th><th></th></tr><tr><td>2</td><td>The company has an adequate and effective enterprise risk management framework in the conduct of its business.</td><td>NON-
COMPLIANT</td><td>The Major Business Risks for the Corporation have been identified in its SEC Form 17-A, specifically Pages 28-46 thereof, together with the risk management strategies adopted by the Management to address the same.</td><td>Pursuant to Section 2.2.2 (b) (i) of the Manual, the Audit and Risk Oversight Committee shall enhance the Board's oversight capability over the Corporation's financial reporting, internal control system, internal and external audit processes, and compliance with applicable laws and regulations, as well as oversight over the Corporation's enterprise risk management (" implementing="" includes,="" its="" language="" manage="" management="" objectives="" of="" or="" others:="" oversight,="" plan="" prioritized="" processes="" register="" responsibilities="" risk="" risks="" risks,="" strategies="" strategies,="" system="" td="" the="" to="" uniform="" well-defined="" which="">
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continuing assessments improve risk strategies, processes and measures; and oversee the implementation of the ERM plan through the Management Risk Oversight Committee, conduct regular discussions on the Corporation's prioritized and residual risk exposures based on regular risk management reports, and assess how the concerned units or offices are addressing and managing these risks. In view of the requirement for the establishment of an ERM framework, the Board endeavors to develop an ERM framework to achieve the purpose it was intended. **Recommendation 12.2** The company has in place an Section 2.2.7. [Internal Audit Group] of the Manual provides that the independent internal audit function Corporation shall have in place an independent internal audit function that provides an independent and objective assurance, and consulting that provides an independent and services designed to add value and improve the Corporation's objective assurance, and consulting operations. This shall be performed by an Internal Audit Group, headed services designed to add value and improve the company's operations. by a qualified Internal Audit Group Head, appointed by the Board. The Internal Audit Group shall provide the Board, Management and shareholders with reasonable assurance that the Corporation's key organizational and procedural controls are effective, appropriate, and complied with. The internal audit function is being performed by the Internal Audit Department of the Corporation. Reynaldo S. Matillano is the Internal Audit Manager of the Corporation (in-house), as reported in Page 4 of the 2021 Amended GIS, Page 16 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement, and Page 58 of SEC Form 17-A.

		CULTIVATING	A SYNERGIC RELATIONSHIP WITH SHAREHOLDERS/MEMBERS	
Pri	inciple 13. PROMOTING SHAREHOLDER/	MEMBER RIGH	TS	
Th	e company should treat all shareholders,	members fairly	and equitably, and also recognize, protect and facilitate the exercise of the	neir rights.
Re	commendation 13.1			
1	The Board ensures that basic shareholder/member rights are disclosed in the Manual on Corporate Governance.	COMPLIANT	Section 5.1 [Investors' Rights and Protection] of the Manual sets forth the investor's/shareholders' rights.	
	commendation 13.2			
1	The Board encourages active shareholder participation by sending the Notice of Annual and Special Shareholders'/Members' Meeting with sufficient and relevant information at least twenty-one (21) days before the meeting.	COMPLIANT	For the Annual Stockholders Meeting held on 01 June 2021, the Corporation issued and sent to the stockholders of record the Notice of the 2021 Annual Meeting of Stockholders, including the agenda therefor, on 10 May 2021 or twenty-one (21) days before the meeting, in compliance with the statement included in Page 7 of the 2021 Definitive Information Statement. The Corporation likewise published the 2021 Definitive Information Statement on its website on the same date where the stockholders were provided with sufficient and relevant information, and were also apprised of the meeting's procedure and manner of voting (by ballot or by proxy).	
Re	commendation 13.3			
1	The Board encourages active shareholder/member participation by making the result of the votes taken during the most recent Annual or Special Shareholders'/Members' Meeting publicly available the next working day.	NON- COMPLIANT	As set out in the Minutes of the <u>2021 Annual Stockholders' Meeting</u> , after the presentation of the 2020 Audited Financial Statements, the Chairman proceeded with the open forum; and after giving sufficient time and opportunity for any of the stockholders to ask questions, none of the stockholders asked any questions.	The Corporation complies with the SEC requirement on the posting of the draft minutes of the Annual Stockholders Meeting (which includes the results of the votes taken therein) within 5 business days from the date of the meeting. The Voting Results of each agenda item of the 2021 Annual
				Stockholders' meeting is provided in Annex "A" of the Minutes of the 2021 Annual Stockholders' Meeting.

2	The minutes of the Annual and Special Shareholders'/Members' Meetings were made available on the company website within five (5) business days from the date of the meeting.	COMPLIANT	The Corporation complies with the SEC requirement on the posting of the draft minutes of the Annual Stockholders Meeting (which includes the results of the votes taken therein) within 5 business days from the date of the meeting. Annex "A" of the Minutes of the 2021 Annual Stockholders' Meeting shows the voting results of the 2021 Annual Stockholders Meeting for each agenda item. The stockholders were given the adequate opportunity to ask questions and be answered, as mentioned above.	
Re	commendation 13.4			
1	The Board makes available, at the option of a shareholder/member, an alternative dispute mechanism to resolve intra-corporate disputes in an amicable and effective manner.	COMPLIANT	Under Section 5.1.8 of the Manual, the Office of the Corporate Secretary addresses the concerns of stockholders and potential disputes between the Corporation and stockholders.	
Re	commendation 13.5			
1	The Board establishes an Investor Relations Office (IRO) or Customer Relations Office (CRO) or its equivalent to ensure constant engagement with its shareholders/members.	COMPLIANT	The investment relations matters of the Corporation are handled by Reyna-Beth D. De Guzman, as disclosed in the Corporation website. Her contact details are as follows: Tel: (+632) 8702-4500 / (+632) 8632-3000 rdeguzman@sanmiguel.com.ph	
2	The IRO or CRO or its equivalent is present at every shareholders'/ members' meeting.	COMPLIANT	Reyna-Beth D. De Guzman was present during the 2021 Annual Stockholders Meeting of the Corporation as reflected in the Minutes of the 2021 Annual Stockholders' Meeting.	
			DUTIES TO STAKEHOLDERS	
Pr	inciple 14. RESPECTING RIGHTS OF STAK	EHOLDERS AND	EFFECTIVE REDRESS FOR VIOLATION OF STAKEHOLDER'S RIGHTS	
	•	•	tual relations and through voluntary commitments must be respected. unity to obtain prompt effective redress for the violation of their rights.	Where stakeholders' rights and/or
Re	commendation 14.1			
1	The Board identifies the company's various stakeholders and promotes cooperation between them and the company in creating wealth, growth and sustainability.	COMPLIANT	Section 5.2.1. of the Manual states that the stakeholders of the Corporation include, but are not limited to, customers, employees, suppliers, shareholders, investors, creditors, the community the Corporation operates in, society, the government, regulators, competitors, external auditors, among others. It likewise provides that	

	dation 14.2		the Board shall promote cooperation between them and the Corporation in creating wealth, growth and sustainability. Section 5.2 of the Manual further provides the Corporation's duties to its stakeholders. The Corporation has existing policies on:	
	dation 14.2 ard establishes clear policies	COMPLIANT		
and pro	grams to provide a mechanism fair treatment, protection and ment of the rights of	COMPLIANT	Please see response above.	
Principle 15	5. ENCOURAGING EMPLOYEES'	PARTICIPATION		
	sm for employee participation sorporate governance goals.	hould be develo	ped to create a symbiotic working environment consistent with the real	ization of the company's objectives
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progran encoura	,	COMPLIANT	The Corporation has existing policies and programs for employees covering, among others, the following: (a) health, safety and welfare; (b) training and development; and (c) reward/compensation for employees, to encourage employees to perform better and motivate them to take a more dynamic role in the Corporation.	
Recommen	dation 15.2			
stand a adoptin progran	ard sets the tone and makes a against corrupt practices by ag an anti-corruption policy and in its Code of Business t and Ethics.	COMPLIANT	The Corporation's <u>Code of Conduct and Ethics</u> establishes the fundamental standards of conduct and values consistent with the principles of good governance and business ethics.	

			The Corporation believes that the objective of achieving superior business results is consistent with the commitment to conduct business in a lawful and responsible manner. All employees are expected and directed to comply with all laws and applicable regulations, and to conduct business in accordance with the highest standards of business ethics. This includes compliance with applicable laws, rules and regulations on bribery and corruption. It is every employee's responsibility to know and to understand legal and policy requirement as they apply the same to their task, and to notify management when they believe a violation of law or a Corporation policy has been committed.	
2	The Board disseminates the policy and program to employees across the organization through trainings to embed them in the company's culture.	COMPLIANT	The undersigned Compliance Officer hereby attests that the Code of Ethics was properly disseminated to all directors, senior management and employees. All employees of the Corporation are provided a copy of the Code of Conduct and Ethics and are required to acknowledge receipt of the same.	
Re	commendation 15.3			
1	The Board establishes a suitable framework for whistleblowing that allows employees to freely communicate their concerns about illegal or unethical practices, without fear of retaliation.	COMPLIANT	The Corporation has its <u>Policy on Whistle-Blowing</u> , which aims to protect the whistle-blower from retribution or retaliation. All concerns relating to accounting, internal accounting controls or auditing matters may be communicated and addressed to:	
2	The Board establishes a suitable framework for whistleblowing that allows employees to have direct access to an independent member of the Board or a unit created to handle whistleblowing concerns.	COMPLIANT	The Compliance Officer SMC Global Power Holdings Corp. 5 th Floor, C5 Office Building Complex #100 E. Rodriguez Jr. Ave., C5 Road, Bo. Ugong, Pasig City Should there be concerns relating to accounting, internal accounting or auditing matters involve the Compliance Officer, such may be communicated and addressed to: The President SMC Global Power Holdings Corp. 5 th Floor, C5 Office Building Complex #100 E. Rodriguez Jr. Ave., C5 Road, Bo. Ugong, Pasig City	

3	The Board supervises and ensures the enforcement of the whistleblowing framework.	COMPLIANT	Under Section 5.2.7 of the Manual and in Section 2.4 (i) [Whistle-blowing Policy] of the Board Charter, the Corporation shall establish and maintain a whistleblowing policy that allows employees to freely communicate their concerns about illegal or unethical practices, without fear of retaliation and to have direct access to a unit tasked to handle whistleblowing concerns. The Board shall be conscientious in establishing the framework, as well as in supervising and ensuring its enforcement.	
Pr	inciple 16. ENCOURAGING SUSTAINABIL	ITY AND SOCIAI	RESPONSIBILITY	
			gs with the communities in which it operates. It should ensure that its inte ully supportive of its comprehensive and balanced development.	eractions serve its environment and
Re	ecommendation 16.1			
1	The company recognizes and places importance on the interdependence between business and society, and promotes a mutually beneficial relationship that allows the company to grow its business, while	COMPLIANT	Pursuant to Section 5.2.9 of the Manual, the Corporation shall recognize and place an importance on the interdependence between business and society, and promote a mutually beneficial relationship that allows the Corporation to grow its business, while contributing to the advancement of the society where it operates.	
	contributing to the advancement of the society where it operates.		The Corporation recognizes that it has a responsibility not just to employees but also to the communities where its businesses operate. As a socially responsible corporate citizen, the Corporation believes that it must provide the employees' family and surrounding communities opportunities to develop values of self-reliance.	
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SIGNATURES

The undersigned certify that the responses and explanations set forth in the above Annual Corporate Governance Report are true, complete and correct of our personal knowledge and/or based on authentic records available as of the date hereof.

Signed in the City of Mandaluyong on June 16, 2022.

RAMON S. ANG

Chairman of the Board and Chief Executive Officer and

President and Chief Operating Officer

VIRGILIO S. JACINTO

Corporate Secretary and Compliance Officer

JACK G. ARROYO, JR Independent Director

CONSUELO M. YNARES-SANTIAGO
Independent Director

JOSEFINA GUEVARA SALONGA Independent Director

JUN 16 2022 **SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN** to before me this _____ at Mandaluyong City, affiants exhibiting to me their competent evidence of identity as follows:

Name	Passport Number	Date of Issue	Place of Issue
Ramon S. Ang	P2274867B	May 22, 2019	DFA Manila
Virgilio S. Jacinto	P3157226B	September 12, 2019	DFA NCR-East
Jack G. Arroyo, Jr.	P7252861A	May 22, 2018	DFA Manila
Consuelo M. Ynares-Santiago	P9683307A	November 23, 2018	DFA Manila
Josefina Guevara-Salonga	P8640089A	September 6, 2018	DFA Manila

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