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The Board of Directors approved today the declaration of cash dividends of ₱1 per common share in favor of First Philippine Holdings Corporation's common stockholders of record as of May 18, 2012, payable on or before June 6, 2012.

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.

FIRST PHILIPPINE HOLDINGS CORPORATION

Issuer



FRANCIS GILES B. PUNO
Chief Information Officer

May 3, 2012