

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. **November 20, 2009**
Date of Report
2. SEC Identification Number **19073** 3. BIR Tax Identification No. **350-000-288-698**
4. **FIRST PHILIPPINE HOLDINGS CORPORATION**
Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
5. **N/A** 6. (SEC Use Only)
Province, country or other jurisdiction of Industry Classification Code:
incorporation
7. **6th Flr., Benpres Bldg., Meralco Ave. cor. Exchange Road, Pasig City** **1600**
Address of principal office Postal Code
8. **2-631-8024**
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
Total Outstanding Shares	592,691,418 shares (As of November 17, 2009)
Preferred Shares	43,000,000

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein: **Item No. 9**

Item 9

First Philippine Utilities Corporation, a wholly-owned subsidiary of First Philippine Holdings Corporation, has obtained a short-term loan in the amount of P11.20B from Metro Pacific Investments Corporation payable on or before June 30, 2010. This is covered by a pledge over 30,093,270 common shares in Meralco and 138,357,600 in First Gen Corporation.

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.

FIRST PHILIPPINE HOLDINGS CORPORATION

Issuer



FRANCIS GILES B. PUNO
Chief Information Officer

November 20, 2009