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Darwin S. Ocampo Contact Person	632-0905 Company Telephone Number
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NOTICE OF ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING

TO: ALL STOCKHOLDERS

NOTICE is hereby given that there will be an annual meeting of the stockholders of Vantage Equities, Inc. on Saturday, 3 August 2013 at 10:15 in the morning at the Rigodon Ballroom, The Peninsula Manila (Corner of Avala and Makati Avenue, Makati City) to consider the following:

AGENDA

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Proof of Notice of Meeting
- 3. Certification of Quorum
- 4. Approval of the Minutes of the Previous Meeting of Stockholders
- 5. Approval of 2012 Operations and Results
- 6. Ratification of all Acts of the Board of Directors and Officers
- 7. Election of Directors
- 8. Appointment of External Auditors
- 9. Other Matters
- 10. Adjournment

In accordance with the rules of the Philippine Stock Exchange, the close of business on 3 July 2013 has been fixed as the record date for the determination of the stockholders entitled to notice of and vote at said meeting and any adjournment thereof.

Registration for those who are personally attending the meeting will start at 9:30 a.m. and end promptly at 10:00 a.m.. All stockholders who will not, are unable, or do not expect to attend the meeting in person are encouraged to fill out, date, sign and send a proxy to the Corporation at 27/F East Tower, Philippine Stock Exchange Centre, Exchange Road, Ortigas Center, Pasig City, Metro Manila, Philippines. All proxies should be received by the Corporation at least five (5) days before the meeting, or on or before 29 July 2013. Proxies submitted shall be validated by a Committee of Inspectors on 30 July 2013 at 10 o'clock in the morning at Unit 2703-B East Tower, Philippine Stock Exchange Center, Exchange Road, Ortigas Center, Pasig City. For corporate stockholders, the proxies should be accompanied by a Secretary's Certification on the appointment of the corporation's authorized signatory.

To avoid inconvenience in registering your attendance at the meeting, you or your proxy is requested to bring identification paper(s) containing a photograph and signature (e.g. passport, driver's license, or credit card).

City of Pasig, Metro Manila, 12 July 2013.

A. Bayani K. Tan Corporate Secretary

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION SEC FORM 20-IS

INFORMATION STATEMENT PURSUANT TO SECTION 20 OF THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE

1.	Check	the appropriate box:	a.
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	[]	Definitive Information Statement	

- 2. Name of Registrant as specified in its charter VANTAGE EQUITIES, INC.
- 3. Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization: Metro Manila, Philippines
- 4. SEC Identification Number: AS092-07059
- 5. BIR Tax Identification Number: 002-010-620
- 6. Address of Principal Office: <u>2703-B East Tower, Philippine Stock Exchange Centre</u>
 Ortigas Center, Pasig City 1605
- 7. Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (02) 689-8090 to 689-8093
- 8. Date, time, and place of the meeting of secu5rity holders:

Date :

3 August 2013

Time:

10:15 in the morning

Venue:

Rigodon Ballroom, The Peninsula Manila,

(Corner of Ayala and Makati Avenue, Makati City)

Approximate date on which the Information Statement is first to be sent or given to security holders: 12 July 2013

10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the Code (information on number of shares and amount of debt is applicable only to corporate registrants):

Title of Each Class

Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding (net of Treasury Shares) as of 31 May 2013

Common Stock ₽1.00 par value

2,100,535,133 Excluding Treasury Shares of 134,855,500

11. Are any or all of Registrant's securities listed on a Stock Exchange?

Yes['] No[]

If yes, disclose the name of such Stock Exchange and the class of securities listed therein:

The Philippine Stock Exchange, Inc. Common Stocks

WE ARE NOT ASKING YOU FOR A PROXY AND YOU ARE REQUESTED NOT TO SEND US A PROXY

GENERAL INFORMATION

Date, Time and Place of the Meeting of the Security Holders

Date:

3 August 2013

Time:

10:15 in the morning

Place:

Rigodon Ballroom, The Peninsula Manila

Corner of Ayala and Makati Avenue, Makati City

Complete address of the principal office of the Registrant:

Unit 2703-B East Tower, Philippine Stock Exchange Centre, Exchange Road, Ortigas

Center, Pasig City, Philippines, 1605

The approximate date on which the Information Statement will be sent or given to security holders is on 12 July 2013.

Dissenters' Right of Appraisal

The matters to be voted upon in the Annual Stockholders' Meeting of Vantage Equities, Inc. (hereinafter, the 'Company') on 3 August 2013 are not among the instances enumerated in Sections 42 and 81 of the Corporation Code whereby the right of appraisal, defined to be the right of any stockholder to dissent and demand payment of the fair value of his shares, may be exercised. The instances where the right of appraisal may be exercised are as follows:

- In case any amendment to the Articles of Incorporation has the effect of changing or restricting the rights of any stockholder or class of shares, or of authorizing preferences in any respect superior to those outstanding shares of any class, or of extending or shortening the term of corporate existence;
- 2. In case of sale, lease, exchange, transfer, mortgage, pledge or other disposition of all or substantially all of the corporate property and assets;
- 3. In case the Company decides to invest its funds in another corporation or business outside of its primary purpose; and
- 4. In case of merger or consolidation.

Under Section 82 of the Corporation Code, the appraisal right may be exercised by any stockholder who shall have voted against the proposed corporate action, by making a written demand on the Company within thirty (30) days after the date on which the vote was taken for payment of the fair value of his shares. However, failure to make the demand within such period shall be deemed a waiver of the appraisal right. If the proposed corporate action is implemented or effected, the Company shall pay to such stockholder, upon surrender of the certificate or certificates of stock representing his shares, the fair value thereof as of the day prior to the date on which the vote was taken, excluding any appreciation or depreciation in anticipation of such corporate action.

If within a period of sixty (60) days from the date the corporate action was approved by the stockholders, the withdrawing stockholder and the Company cannot agree on the fair value of the shares, it shall be determined and appraised by three (3) disinterested persons, one of whom shall be named by the stockholder, another by the Company, and the third by the two thus chosen. The findings of the majority of the appraisers shall be final, and their award shall be paid by the Company within thirty (30) days after such award is made, provided that no payment shall be made to any dissenting stockholder unless the Company has unrestricted retained earnings in its books to cover

such payment, and that upon payment by the Company of the agreed or awarded price, the stockholder shall forthwith transfer his shares to the Company.

Interest of Certain Person in or Opposition to Matters to be Acted Upon

No person who has been a director, officer or nominee for election as Director of the Company, or an associate of such persons, have a substantial interest, direct or indirect, in any matter to be acted upon other than the election of Directors for the year 2013-2014.

No Director of the Company has informed the latter in writing that he intends to oppose any action to be taken by the Company at the meeting.

CONTROL AND COMPENSATION INFORMATION

Voting Securities and Principal Holders Thereof

- (a) As of 31 May 2013, the Company has **2,100,535,133** outstanding common shares. Each common share shall be entitled to one vote with respect to all matters to be taken up during the Annual Stockholders' Meeting.
- (b) The record date for purposes of determining stockholders entitled to vote in the Annual Stockholders' Meeting to be held on 3 August 2013 is set on 3 July 2013.
- (c) In the forthcoming Annual Stockholders' Meeting, stockholders shall be entitled to elect nine (9) members of the Board of Directors. Each stockholder may vote such number of shares for as many as nine (9) persons he may choose to be elected from the list of nominees, or he may cumulate said shares and give one candidate as many votes as the number of his shares multiplied by nine (9) shall equal, or he may distribute them on the same principle among as many candidates as he shall see fit, provided that the total number of votes cast by him shall not exceed the number of shares owned by him multiplied by nine (9).
- d) Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management

(1) Security Ownership of Certain Record and Beneficial Owners

1. Security Ownership of Certain Record and Beneficial Owners

As of 31 May 2013, Vantage Equities, Inc. knows no one who beneficially owns in excess of 5% of the Company's common stock except as set forth in the following table:

Title of Class	Name and Address of Record/Beneficia I Owner	Relationshi p with the Company	Record (r) Beneficial (b) Owner	Citizenshi p	Number of Shares	Percen t of Class
Commo n	PCD Nominee Corp. (*) G/F MSE Building Ayala Avenue, Makati	Stockholder	r	Filipino	2,099,070,20 6	99.93%

(*)PCD Nominee Corporation (PCDNC) is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Philippine Central Depository, Inc. (PCD). The beneficial owners of the shares under the name of PCDNC are PCD's participants who hold the shares in their own behalf or in behalf of their respective clients. No single PCD participant currently owns more than 5% of the Corporation's shares forming part of the PCDNC account except as follows:

Title of Class	Name and Address of Record/Beneficial Owner	Relationship with Company	Amount* and Nature of Beneficial Ownership	Citizenship	Percent of Class
Common	Wealth Securities, Inc. 21/F East Tower, PSE Centre, Exchange Road, OrtigasCenter, Pasig City Ms. Ruby Tan – Finance Manager	Stockholder	1,833,255,008 R	Filipino	87.34%

^{*}The shares shall be voted by the person these shareholders shall duly authorize for the purpose. No single beneficial owner of these shares own more than 5% of the shares of the Company except as follows:

Class	Name and Address of Record Owner and Relationship with Issuer	Relationship with Company	Citizenship	Number of Shares	% Held
Common	Creative Wisdom, Inc. 21/F East Tower, PSE Centre, Exchange Road, OrtigasCenter, Pasig City Ms. Ruby Tan – Corp. Sec.	Stockholder	Filipino	884,350,718	48.24%

(2) Security Ownership of Management

The following table shows the shares owned on record by the directors and executive officers of the Company as of 31 May 2013:

Title of Class	Name	No. of Shares	Citizenship	Percentage
Common	WILSON L. SY	184,150,000	Filipino	8.77%
Common	VALENTINO SY	62,957,812	Filipino	3.00%
Common	WILLY OCIER	6,520,500	Filipino	0.31%
Common	ANTONIO R. SAMSON	62,500	Filipino	0.00%
Common	ROBERTO Z. LORAYES	25,000	Filipino	0.00%
Common	IGNACIO B. GIMENEZ	12,500	Filipino	0.00%
Common	JOSEPH LIAO ONG	12,500	Filipino	0.00%
Common	EDMUNDO MARCO P. BUNYI, JR.	6,262,500	Filipino	0.30%
Common	GREGORIO U. KILAYKO	10,000	Filipino	0.00%
Common	A. BAYANI K. TAN	1,437	Filipino	0.00%
•	TOTAL	260,014,749		12.38%

(3) Voting Trust Holders of Five Percent (5%) or More

The Company is not aware of any party which holds any voting trust or any similar agreement for five percent (5%) or more of the Company's voting securities.

(4) Changes in Control

The Company is not aware of any arrangement that may result in a change in control of the Company. There were also no changes in control of the Company since the beginning of the last fiscal year.

Directors and Executive Officers

Material Pending Legal Proceedings

The Company is not aware of any pending legal proceedings involving the members of its Board of Directors and its Executive Officers material to an evaluation of their ability and integrity, except as provided in the subsequent portion on Involvement in Certain Legal Proceedings.

Directors, Executive Officers, Promoters, and Control Persons

Office	Period Served	Name	Citizenship	Age
Director	2003 to present	Ignacio B. Gimenez	Filipino	68
Director	2002 to present	Valentino L. Sy	Filipino	57
Chairman & CEO	2005 to present			
Director President & COO	2006 to present	Edmundo P. Bunyi, Jr.	Filipino	48
Director	2003 to present	Joseph L. Ong	Filipino	59
Treasurer	2005 to present			
Director	1999 to present	Willy N. Ocier	Filipino	56
Director	2003 to present	Roberto Z. Lorayes	Filipino	69_
Director	1993 to 2000 & 2005 to present	Wilson L. Sy	Filipino	60
Director	2005 to present	Antonio R. Samson	Filipino	67
Director	2012 to present	Gregorio U. Kilayko	Filipino	58
Corporate Secretary	1993 to present	A. Bayani K. Tan	Filipino	57
Asst. Corporate Secretary	2011 to present	Darwin S. Ocampo	Filipino	29

In accordance with the Corporation's By-Laws, the members of the Board of Directors are elected annually and therefore serve for a year after election.

All present members of the Board of Directors were elected during the annual stockholders' meeting last year. The term of the current members of the Board shall hold office until the next stockholders' meeting, or on 3 August 2013.

The following are brief write-ups for each of the Board of Directors and Executive Officers.

Valentino C. Sy

Mr. Sy is currently the Chairman and Chief Executive Officer of the Company. He has been a Director of the Company since 2002. He is the President of Equinox International Corp. (1996 - present). He was the Regional Manager of Duferco International Trading Ltd., Taiwan (1987 – 1995) and Erlanger Metals Ltd., Hong Kong

(1979 – 1986). All these companies are engaged in trading of steel. He holds a degree in Industrial Management Engineering from the De La Salle University.

Edmundo P. Bunyi, Jr,

Mr. Bunyi is currently the President and Chief Operations Officer of the Company. He became a Director of the Company in October 2006. Concurrently, he is a Director (2006-present) of Yehey! Corporation, an online search engine and web portal & e-Business Services, Inc., a Western Union franchise (2006-Jan, 2008). He was appointed President and Chief Executive Officer of eBusiness Services, Inc. effective February 2008 - present. He is also the President and Chief Operations Officer of Philequity Management, Inc., an investment company adviser, since October 2006. He is the former Senior Vice President and Treasurer of International Exchange Bank, Assistant Vice President and Head of FCDU & FX Sales of United Coconut Planters Bank, Assistant Manager for Corporate Banking Group of Far East Bank and Trust Company, and Assistant Manager for the Corporate Banking Department of Union Bank of the Philippines. He holds a degree in Management Engineering from the Ateneo de Manila University.

Ignacio B. Gimenez

Mr. Gimenez became a Director of the Company in 2003. He is the Treasurer of I. B. Gimenez Securities, Inc., a stock brokerage firm (1976 - present). He is the President of the following mutual funds, namely, Philequity Fund, Inc., Philequity Dollar Income Fund, Inc., Philequity PSE Index Fund, Inc. and Philequity Peso Bond Fund, Inc. (formerly Philequity Money Market Fund, Inc.). He is also the Sales and Marketing Manager of Society Publishing, Inc. (1991 - present). He holds a graduate degree in Business Administration from the Asian Institute of Management (1970) and a college degree from the University of the Philippines (1967).

Joseph L. Ong

Mr. Ong is the treasurer of the Company and became a director in 2003. He is a director as well of Yehey! Corp., eBusiness Services Inc, and Philequity Management Inc. Currently, he is president of Chemcenter Corporation, a company engaged in import and distribution of industrial chemicals. Previously, he was connected with Exxon Chemical/Exxon Corp holding positions in sales, marketing, planning, and audit functions both here and abroad. He holds a degree in Chemical Engineering, Magna Cum Laude, from De La Salle University.

Willy N. Ocier

Filipino, 56, is the Chairman and President of the Company and has been a Director since 29 July 1999. He also serves as Co-Vice Chairman of Belle Corporation and Highlands Prime, Inc., as Chairman of Tagaytay Midlands Golf Club, Inc., APC Group, Inc., and Sinophil Corporation. He is also the current Vice Chairman of Tagaytay Highlands International Golf Club, Inc. and is a Director of Vantage Equities, Inc.. He was also previously affiliated with Eastern Securities Development Corporation being its past President and Chief Operations Officer.

Roberto Z. Lorayes

Mr. Lorayes became a Director of the Company in 2003. Currently, he is the Chairman (1994 – present) of Philequity Management, Inc., a fund management company, and President (1993 – present) of Strategic Equities Corporation, a

stockbrokerage firm. He is also a Director (1998 – present) of Hiedelberg Motors Corporation, dealer of automobiles.

Wilson L. Sy

Mr. Sy was reelected to the Board in 2005. He is a former Director of the Company (1993 – 2000). Currently, he is the Vice Chairman of Asian Alliance Holdings, Corp. and Director of Philequity Management, Inc., Xcell Property Ventures, Inc., and Monte Oro Resources & Energy, Inc. Mr. Sy is also an Independent Director of the reporting corporations The Country Club at Tagaytay Highlands, Inc., Tagaytay Highlands International Golf Club, Inc., Tagaytay Midlands Golf Club, Inc., and The Spa and Lodge at Tagaytay Highlands. He is presently the Chairman of the Manila Stock Exchange Foundation, Inc. He was a former Chairman of the Philippine Stock Exchange, Inc., a Director of Basic Petroleum & Minerals, Basic Diversified Ind., Belle Corp., Saniwares Manufacturing, A. Brown Corporation, and Jollibee Foods Corporation; and a trustee of the PSE Foundation, Inc. He holds a degree in Management Engineering from the Ateneo de Manila University.

Antonio R. Samson

Mr. Samson became a Director of the Company in 2005. He is concurrently the Group Chairman, Chief Business Strategist of DDB Worldwide Communications Group, Inc., an advertising company. He is the former President and CEO of OMD Philippines, where he also previously served as Chairman. The company is an international media planning and buying agency with regional office in Singapore. He is also a thrice-weekly columnist of Business World (since 1984 in then Business Day) and is the President of the Manila Chamber Orchestra Foundation and the Metropolitan Museum, and Chairman of the Advertising Foundation. From 1982 to 2003, Mr. Samson worked with the Philippine Long Distance Telephone Company, where his last position from 1999 until his early retirement was Executive Vice President, and concurrently President and CEO of MediaQuest Holdings, Inc.

Mr. Samson holds a Bachelor's of Arts Degree in Economics from the Ateneo de Manila University, a Masters Degree in Business Administration from the Asian Institute of Management, and a Masters Degree in Business Economics from the University of the Asia and the Pacific (then Center for Research and Communication).

Gregorio U. Kilayko

Mr. Kilayko was elected as an independent director in 2012. He is presently the Chairman of ABBA Motors, a Director of The Royal Bank of Scotland, and an Independent Director of SM Prime Holdings, Inc., Belle Corporation, and Highlands Prime Leisure, Inc. He was also the founding head of ING Barings' stock brokerage and investment banking business in the Philippines and a Philippine Stock Exchange Governor in 1996 and 2000. Mr. Kilayko holds a Master of Business Administration degree from Wharton School of the University of Pennsylvania.

A. Bayani K. Tan

Filipino, 57, is the Corporate Secretary of the Company. He is also currently a Director, Corporate Secretary, or both, of the following reporting companies: First Abacus Financial Holdings Corporation, Belle Corporation, Sinophil Corporation, Tagaytay Highlands International Golf Club, Inc., Tagaytay Midlands Golf Club, Inc., The Country Club at Tagaytay Highlands, Inc., The Spa and Lodge at Tagaytay Highlands, Inc., Vantage Equities, Inc., Touch Solutions, Inc., I-Remit Inc., Destiny Financial Plans, Inc., Philequity Funds, Inc., Philequity PSE Index Funds, Inc., Philequity Dollar Income Fund, Inc., Philequity Peso Bond Fund, Inc. Philequity

Strategic Growth Fund, Inc. and TKC Steel Corporation. He is the Managing Partner of Tan Venturanza Valdez Law Offices and also a Director, Corporate Secretary, or both of private companies such as Sterling Bank of Asia Inc, Oakridge Properties, Inc., JTKC Equities, Inc., The Discovery Leisure Company, Inc., Goodyear Steel Pipe Corporation, Southern Visayas Property Holdings, Inc., Hella-Phil, Inc., Monte Oro Resources & Energy Inc., FHE Properties, Inc., SCT Furnishing, Inc. City Cane Corporation, Destiny LendFund, Inc., E-Business Services, Inc. Yehey Corporation, Treasure Steelworks Corporation, Tera Investments, Inc., Star Equities, Inc., Medicare Plus, Inc., Pharex HealthCorp., and Highlands Gourmet Specialist Corp. Atty. Tan is a member of the Philippine Bar. He holds a Bachelor of Arts Degree from the San Beda College, a Bachelor of Laws Degree from the University of the Philippines College of Law, and a Master of Laws Degree from the New York University School of Law.

Darwin S. Ocampo

Filipino, 29, is the Assistant Corporate Secretary of the Company. He is also currently the Assistant Corporate Secretary of the following reporting companies: Tagaytay Highlands International Golf Club, Inc., The Spa and Lodge at Tagaytay Highlands Inc, Yehey! Corporation, Philequity Fund, Inc., Philequity Peso Bond Fund, Inc., Philequity PSE Index Fund, Inc., Philequity Balanced Fund, Inc., and Philequity Dollar Income Fund, Inc. He is also the Director, Corporate Secretary, or Assistant Corporate Secretary of private companies such as Mio Magazine, Inc., Arquee Corporation, Elevate Financial Solutions Inc., Hambrecht & Quist Philippines, Inc., and Professional Parking Management Corporation. Atty. Ocampo is a member of the Philippine Bar and a Special Lecturer in the Pamantasan ng Lungsod ng Maynila. He holds a Bachelor of Arts in Political Science Degree and a Juris Doctor Degree from the University of the Philippines.

Independent Directors

The nomination, pre-screening and election of independent directors were made in compliance with the requirements of the Revised Code of Corporate Governance and the Securities and Exchange Commission's Guidelines on the Nomination and Election of Independent Directors which have been adopted and made part of the Corporation's By-Laws. The Nomination Committee constituted by the Company's Board of Directors, indorsed the respective nominations given in favor of Mr. Samson (by Mr. A. Bayani K. Tan) and Mr. Kilavko (by Mr. Edmundo Marco P. Bunvi, Jr.).

The Nomination Committee, composed of Mr. Lorayes (Chairman), Mr. Kilayko and Mr. Ong, has determined that these nominees for independent directors possess all the qualifications and have none of the disqualifications for independent directors as set forth in the Company's Amended Manual on Corporate Governance and Rule 38 of the Implementing Rules of the Securities Regulation Code (SRC).

The nominees, whose required information are discussed above, are in no way related to the stockholders who nominated them and have signified their acceptance of the nominations. These nominees are expected to attend the scheduled Annual Stockholders' Meeting.

Significant Employees

The Company has no significant employees.

Family Relationships Among Directors

Messrs. Valentino Sy and Wilson Sy are brothers.

Involvement in Certain Legal Proceedings

The Company and its major subsidiaries and associates are not involved in, nor are any of their properties subject to, any material legal proceedings that could potentially affect their operations and financial capabilities.

Except as provided below, the Company is not aware of any of the following events wherein any of its directors, nominees for election as director, executive officers, underwriter or control person were involved during the past five (5) years up to the latest date:

- (a) Any bankruptcy petition filed by or against any business of which any of the above persons was a general partner or executive officer either at the time of the bankruptcy or within two years prior to that time;
- (b) Any order, judgment, or decree, not subsequently reversed, suspended or vacated, of any court of competent jurisdiction, domestic or foreign, permanently or temporarily enjoining, barring, suspending or otherwise limiting the involvement of any of the above persons in any type of business, securities, commodities or banking activities; and
- (c) Any finding by a domestic or foreign court of competent jurisdiction (in civil action), the SEC or comparable foreign body, or a domestic or foreign exchange or electronic marketplace or self regulatory organization, that any of the above persons has violated a securities or commodities law, and the judgment has not been reversed, suspended, or vacated.

As a result of the delay in the delivery of the facilities of the Universal Leisure Club, Inc. (ULC), some of its members have initiated legal actions against ULC, the Universal Rightfield Property Holdings, Inc. (URPHI) and the Universal Leisure Corporation (ULCorp), as well as their respective incumbent and former officers and directors, including their former Corporate Secretary, Mr. A. Bayani K. Tan. Other than the Complaint for Estafa (docketed as I.S. No. 08-K-19713) filed before the City Prosecutor of Manila, all the legal actions initiated have been dismissed. A Counter-Affidavit has already been filed before the City Prosecutor in I.S. No. 08-K-19713 seeking to dismiss the Complaint for lack of cause of action. As of 29 February 2012, the case is still pending resolution by the City of Manila, Office of the City Prosecutor.

Certain Relationships and Related Transactions

The Company has not been a party during the last two (2) years to any other transaction or proposed transaction, in which any director or executive officer of the Company, or any security holder owning 10% or more of the securities of the Company or any member of the immediate family of such persons, had a direct or indirect material interest.

Vantage Equities, Inc. is not under the control of any parent company.

The following are the transactions presented in the Notes to Audited Financial as Related Party Transactions:

- 12.1 YEHEY has a consultancy agreement with a board member of the Company amounting to P1.8M accrued in 2012 and subsequently paid in March 2013.
- 12.2 In 2012, PEMI participated in the Parent Company's investment in credit-linked note by purchasing P101.77M at face value. The Company serves as the receiving agent of all coupon interest for the entire duration of the participation.

- 12.3 The Company waived the collection of rental for the lease of office of Yehey! of the years 2011 and 2012.
- 12.4 In 2012, 2011 and 2010, the Parent Company paid certain expenses of e-Business, Yehey!, PEMI and iCurrencies, which were later billed for reimbursement.
- 12.5 Compensation of key management personnel of the Group:

	2012	2011	2010
Salaries & wages	12,402,468.00	15,555,985.00	16,445,855.00
Retirement benefits	478,475.00	848,770.00	220,140.00
TOTAL	12,880,943.00	16,404,755.00	16,665,995.00

Disagreement with Director

None of the Directors have resigned or have declined to stand for re-election to the Board of Directors since the date of the last annual meeting of security holders because of a disagreement with the Company on any matter relating to the Company's operations, policies, or practices.

Compensation of Directors and Executive Officers

Summary Compensation Table (Annual Compensation)

Except for Messrs. Edmundo P. Bunyi, Jr., all of the Company's directors and officers have not received any form of compensation from inception up to present other than a per diem of \$\infty\$6,000.00 (net of withholding tax) for each meeting attended and annual per diem during stockholders' meeting. There is no employment contract between the Company and the above-named executive officer or current executive officers. In addition, except as provided below, there are no compensatory plans or arrangements with respect named executive officers that resulted in or will result from the resignation, retirement or termination of such executive director or from a change-in-control in the Company.

Summary Compensation Table (Annual Compensation)

Name and Principal Position	Year	Annual Compensation
Valentino C. Sy		
Chairman & CEO		
Edmundo P. Bunyi, Jr.		
President & COO		
Joseph L. Ong		
Treasurer		
All officers and directors as a group	2013 (Estimate)	5,572,099.96
	2012	5,347,232.45
	2011	5,495,278.68

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Independent Public Accountants

The auditing firm of Sycip Gorres Velayo & Company (SGV & Co.) will be nominated and recommended to security holders for appointment as external auditor for the year 2013-2014. Representatives of said firm are expected to be present at the Annual Meeting to respond to appropriate questions and will be given the opportunity to make a statement if they so desire. In compliance with the requirement on Rotation of External Auditors under SRC Rule 68, paragraph 3 (b) (iv), as amended, the assignment of SGV & Co.'s engagement partner for the Company shall not exceed five (5) consecutive years. Mr. Christian G. Lauron was assigned as SGV's engagement partner for the Fund beginning the year 2008. Ms. Vicky B. Lee-Salas and Ms. Josephine Adrienne A. Abarca of SGV were the partners in charge for the years 2011 and 2012, respectively.

Changes in and Disagreements with Accountants on Accounting or Financial Disclosure

There are no changes and matters of disagreement with accountants on any accounting & financial disclosures the last two (2) most recent fiscal years.

The Company's Board of Directors reviews and approves the engagement of services of the Company external auditors, who are appointed upon the recommendation of the Audit Committee.

The aggregate fees billed for each of the last two years for professional services rendered by the Company's external auditors in connection with annual audit of the Consolidated and Parent Company Financial Statements for statutory and regulatory filings are summarized below:

	2012	2011
Audit fee	755,040.00	704,704.00
Tax Services		
Other Fees		
TOTAL	755,040.00	704,704.00

The Independent Accountant does not render tax accounting compliance, advice, planning and other forms of tax services for the Corporation. The Independent Accountant also does not render other services for the Corporation.

It is the policy of the Company that any draft audit report must first be reviewed by the Audit Committee (the members of said Committee being composed of Mr. Gregorio U. Kilayko (Chairman), Mr. Antonio R. Samson and Mr. Edmundo P. Bunyi (Members) prior to said report being endorsed to the Board of Directors for approval.

Compensation Plans

The Company has a stock option plan covering all its officers, directors and regular employees. Under the plan, the option price should not be less than the average closing price of the Company's stock listed in the stock exchange on the last trading day immediately preceding the effectivity of the grant. The number of shares covered by this plan and the subscription price are subject to adjustment for any stock dividend, stock splits or rights, merger, consolidation, recapitalization and the like. As of report date, the Company has not designated the number of shares to be covered by the plan. Thus, there are no potential common shares that would result in the dilution of EPS.

OTHER MATTERS

Action with Respect to Reports

The Company will seek the stockholders' approval of the Minutes of the 2012 Stockholders' Meeting during which the following were taken up: (1) Call to Order, (2) Certification of Notice and Quorum, (3) Approval of the Minutes of the Previous Stockholders' Meeting, (4) Approval of Audited Financial Statements and Annual Report, (5) Ratification of all acts and resolutions of the Board of Directors, Officers and Management of the Corporation, (6) Election of Directors, (7) Appointment of SGV & Co. as External Auditors, and (8) Adjournment.

Management reports which summarize the acts of management for the year 2012, are included in the Company's Annual Report to be sent to the stockholders together with this Information Statement and shall be submitted for approval by the stockholders at the meeting. Accordingly, approval of the Annual Report will constitute approval and ratification of the acts of Management stated in the Management Report during the period covered thereof.

Acts of the Board of Directors

The items covered with respect to the ratification of the acts of the Board of Directors and officers for the past year up to the date of the meeting are those items entered into in the ordinary course of business, such as, but not limited to: the opening of bank accounts and designation of bank signatories; the financing and investment activities of the Company; and the appointments in compliance with corporate governance policies.

Voting Procedures

- a. Actions to be taken at the Annual Stockholders' Meeting shall require the vote of the stockholders representing at least a majority of the Company's outstanding capital stock.
- b. Three inspectors shall be appointed by the Board of Directors before or at each meeting of the stockholders, at which an election of directors shall take place; if no such appointment shall have been made or if the inspectors appointed by the Board of Directors refused to act or fail to attend then the appointment shall be made by the presiding officer of the meeting.
- c. Stockholders may vote at all meetings either in person or by proxy duly given in writing in favor of any person of their confidence and each stockholder shall be entitled to one vote for each share of stock standing in his name in the books of the corporation; provided, however, that in the election of Directors, each stockholder shall be entitled to cumulate his votes in the manner provided for by law.
- d. The By-Laws of the Company is silent as to the method by which votes are to be counted. In practice, however, the same is done by the raising of hands or *viva voce*.
- e. Upon confirmation by the inspectors that there is a mathematical impossibility for certain nominees to be elected into office based on proxies held and votes present/represented in the meeting, the actual casting and counting of votes for the election of Directors may be dispensed with. If actual counting of votes cannot be dispensed with, the appointed inspectors mentioned in item (b), or in their absence, the auditors of the Company present during the meeting, are authorized to count the votes cast.

Items 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 16, 17, and 18 are not responded to in this report, the Company having no intention to take any action with respect to the information required therein.

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. This report is signed in the City of Pasig on 12 June 2013.

VANTAGE EQUITIES, INC. By:

Edmundo Marco P. Bunyi President and COO

VANTAGE EQUITIES, INC.

BUSINESS AND GENERAL INFORMATION

Vantage Equities, Inc. (the "Corporation"), formerly iVantage Corporation, was incorporated in 20 October 1992 and is organized as an investment and financial holding company. It has authorized capital stock of One Billion Nine Hundred Million Pesos(P1,900,000,000), all of which are in common shares with a par value of P1.00 per share. Of the authorized capital stock, 1,788,312,570 are outstanding and 111,687,430 remain unsubscribed. On 12 January 2009, Securities & Exchange Commission (SEC) approved the increase of authorized capital stock of the Corporation to Two Billion Two Hundred Fifty Million Pesos P2,250,000,000.00. Furthermore, the SEC has authorized the Corporation to issue 447,078,142 common shares out of its authorized but unissued capital stock to cover the twenty five percent (25%) stock dividend declared by the Corporation's Board of Directors on 4 June 2008 and ratified by its shareholders on 27 June 2008. As of 31 March 2011, the Corporation. has an authorized capital stock of Two Billion Two Hundred Fifty Million Pesos (P2,250,000,000.00) divided into 2,250,000,000 common shares with par value of P1.00 per share. Out of the authorized capital stock, 2,235,390,633 shares are outstanding and 14,609,367 shares are unsubscribed.

The Corporation reverted to its original name by majority vote of the Board of Directors in November 2007, which the Securities and Exchange Commission subsequently approved in April 2008. The change in corporate name is consistent with the Company's re-alignment of its investment focus towards the broad financial sector *vis-a-vis* its information technology focus during the early 2000's.

<u>Purpose</u>

The Company was originally organized with the primary purpose of oil and gas exploration, and investments and developments as among its secondary purposes. On 3 October2000, the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) approved the change in the Corporation's primary purpose to financial holdings and investments, including but not limited to information technology companies and related ventures. Since the Registrant is an investment holding company, it is not competing in terms of sales and is not dependent upon a single customer or a few customers. Also, it needs no government approval of principal products or services and no cost and effect of compliance with environmental laws.

Investments

Investments

In June 2006, the Corporation divested its shareholdings in International Exchange Bank ("iBank"), its largest single investment at that time. The iBank sale generated P 2.9 billion in cash and a P1.6 billion gain, capping an 11-year investment period that yielded a 16% compound annual return. The PSE Index, by comparison, only broke even during the same period. The divestment was timely in light of the substantial decline in financial markets in the following years.

The Corporation decided to invest its P2.9 billion "war chest" in portfolio of equity and fixed-income securities. The mandate is to attain above market returns while adhering to prudent risk parameters, i.e. credit, liquidity and market risk. For this purpose, the Company hired its current President in October 2006 along with a team of finance professionals. The current team is also tasked to further professionalize management of the Vantage Group of Companies.

The operating subsidiaries that comprise the Vantage Group are the following:

e-Business Services, Inc. ("eBiz") - 100% ownership

Acquired in 2000, eBiz is involved in the money transfer and remittance business as a direct agent of Western Union, Inc. ("WU"). WU is the global leader in the field with a presence in over 200 countries through more than 410,000 agent locations worldwide.

The remittance market in the Philippines is over USD 17 billion annually based on official figures in 2009. With its strong brand name, WU is the recognized leader in this highly competitive market.

eBiz is among the top three (3) direct agents of WU in the Philippines. At end of 2012, eBiz had over 1,400 locations nationwide: 153 in company-owned branches and the rest in subagent locations. eBiz employs more than 400 employees.

eBiz Financial - 100% ownership

eBiz Financial is wholly owned by e-Business. eBiz Financial was incorporated on 11 April 2005 and started commercial operations on 9 May 2005. eBiz Financial is engaged in financing business.

iCurrencies - 100% ownership

iCurrencies, Inc. was incorporated on 3 February 2000 and started commercial operations on 31 May 2000. iCurrencies is organized primarily to engage in the business of buying and selling of foreign currencies.

In May 2001, the iCurrencies effectively stopped its business of buying and selling currencies as a result of Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas Circular No. 264, issued on 26 October 2000. Among others, the new circular required additional documentation for sale of foreign currencies and required Foreign Exchange Corporations (FxCorps) to have a minimum paid-up capital of P50.0 million.

The Circular effectively aligned the regulations under which FxCorps are to operate to that of banks. To avoid duplication and direct competition with its previous major stockholder, iCurrencies decided to stop its business of buying and selling foreign currencies. The stockholders likewise decided not to increase its paid-up capital.

In the meantime, iCurrencies is sustained by income on its investments and interest income on its funds while awaiting for regulatory changes.

Philequity Balanced Fund, Inc. - 100% ownership

The Fund is engaged in selling its capital to the public and investing the proceeds in diversified portfolio of peso-denominated fixed-income and equity securities. As of 31 December 2012, the Fund has not yet launched its capital shares to the public.

Philequity Foreign Currency Fixed Income, Inc. - 100% ownership

The Fund is engaged in selling its capital to the public and investing the proceeds in diversified portfolio of foreign currency denominated fixed-income securities. As of 31 December 2012, the Fund has not yet launched its capital shares to the public.

Philequity Dividend Yield Fund, Inc. - 100% ownership

The Fund is engaged in selling its capital to the public and investing the proceeds in diversified portfolio of equity securities. As of 31 December 2012, the Fund has not yet launched its capital shares to the public.

Yehey! Corporation ("Yehey") - 66.97% ownership

From a pioneering web portal in the late 1990's, Yehey has grown into a leading digital online marketing solutions provider in the country. The company currently counts several established corporation in its roster of customers.

To support its growth, Vantage infused P250 million capital in Yehey in 2007. The following year, Vantage also declared and distributed a 5% property dividend in the form of Yehey shares. This has reduced Vantage's ownership in Yehey to 68% from 99% pre-dividend. The balance of 32% is now owned by Vantage shareholders by way of said property dividend.

The property dividend has transformed Yehey into a widely-held company that qualifies it to list by way of introduction in the Philippine Stock Exchange (PSE). On October 18, 2012, Yehey was listed in the PSE.

In 2012, Vantage disposed 3,891,000 shares of Yehey decreasing the ownership in Yehey from 68% to 67%.

Philequity Management, Inc. ("PEMI") - 51% ownership

Vantage acquired 51% of PEMI in 2007 for P32 million. PEMI is an asset-management company with about P3 billion in assets under management at end-2008. Its flagship Philequity Fund Inc. has been the top performing equity mutual fund over the past decade as ranked by the Investment Company Association of the Philippines.

Government Regulation and Environmental Compliance

The Corporation does not need any government approval for its principal products or services and is not required to comply with specific environmental laws.

Distribution Methods of Products and Services

The Corporation, being a financial holding and investment company, has no distribution methods of products and services.

Competition

Vantage Equities Inc. is a publicly-listed holding company whose main focus is to make strategic investments in companies that are in the financial services industry. Under the Philippine Stock Exchange (PSE) there are about seventeen companies that are classified as holding firms with about \$\mathbb{P}585\$-billion in float-adjusted market capitalization. Most of the holding companies are owned by well-known families in the Philippines which have diversified investments ranging from properties, banking, food, power and retail. Most of the firms in this industry can be labeled as mature and has a long track record of existence as such there are not many changes in terms of additions in this industry. But the most recent addition to the holding firm industry is the public listing of GT Capital of the Ty family of Metrobank.

Although the Corporation is not listed in this sector of the PSE, there are similar companies that we would consider its competitors and we think would be appropriate to do a comparison. Two main aspects where firms in this industry compete on are pricing and services. Firms offering more competitive pricing coupled with excellent customer service normally increase the popularity of their

brand and thus their appeal to retail and institutional clients. In addition companies with complementary businesses often win clients by packaging themselves as a one-stop shop service provider.

The closest competitor of Vantage equities that have financial services business under their company is Aboitiz Equity Ventures (AEV) which has UnionBank and CitiSavings under its financial segment. AEV has a market capitalization of about P116-billion as of June 7, 2012 and has three business segments namely power, financial services and food. It terms of size and market capitalization, Vantage Equities pales in comparison but the main advantage of Vantage Equities is its combination of two financial services business namely Philequity Management, Inc. and e-Business Services, Inc. with Philequity Management, Inc. having one of the best performing funds this together with the extensive network of e-Business Services, Inc. branches will enable Vantage Equities, Inc. to effectively market its products and services to its targeted customers.

Competition of Subsidiaries

eBusiness Services, Inc. ("eBiz") - 100% ownership

eBiz is characterized by a relatively strong competition among direct agents and sub-agents of Western Union. Agents primarily compete through location and customer service. It appears that the competition with other money transfer companies like Moneygram, Xoom, iRemit does not substantially affect the business of the Corporation.

Philequity Management, Inc. ("PEMI") - 51% ownership

As of April 2012, the Philippine mutual fund industry is composed of 48 funds with about \$\text{P121.8}\$ billion in assets under management (AUM). This in comparison to the mutual fund industry situation during 2002 where there are only 22 funds with a consolidated AUM of \$\text{P24.6}\$ billion. The mutual fund industry is sub-divided into four categories – stock, balanced, bond and money market funds with 44% of the total AUM invested in bond funds. In addition, whereas in 2002 there were about fourteen companies offering twenty two mutual funds today we have about seven major players offering forty-eight mutual funds. This is proof that the mutual fund industry is very competitive with sizeable and bank-initiated funds persisting thru different economic cycles. It is no surprise that the ebbs and flow of the mutual fund industry is mainly driven by the economic and capital markets condition of the country as the not to recent financial crisis of 2008-2009 has shown.

Philequity Management Inc. (PEMI) has four funds namely Philequity Fund (PEFI), Philequity PSE Index Fund (PPSE), Philequity Peso Bond Fund (PPBF) and Philequity Dollar Income Fund (PDIF) which mainly compete in the stock and bond funds only. The flagship fund of PEMI is PEFI which competes in the stock fund category of the mutual fund industry. PEMI's funds like any other mutual funds are marketed throughout the Philippines but concentration is mostly in Metro Manila where disposable and investable income is higher. PEMI mostly markets its funds through sales agents, advertisement through website and print publication.

The main area of competition is through return performance and pricing. On the return performance, top performing funds continue to attract subscriptions while underperforming ones continue to see redemptions. On the area of pricing, there are three pricing points investors look at: Sales load, management fee and exit fees. The mutual fund industry has varying degrees of sales load, exit fees but basically the same management fees. In addition, duration of exit varies from one company to the next with some companies offering 6 months while others up to two years in order to have no exit fees charged to investor.

PEMI's main competitors in the industry are First Metro Investment Corp., Philam Life, Sun Life of Canada and Bank of the Philippine Island. Two out of four of these companies are major banks or are subsidiaries of major banks while the other two companies are well-

recognized insurance companies offering mutual funds in addition to their insurance products. Both banks are in the top five in terms of assets under management while one the insurance companies is a 150-year old, Canadian-based multi-national company with \$494-billion in assets under management. The other local insurance company has 65-year track record with a \$207-billion in assets under management. In comparison, PEMI's funds particularly PEFI has a 17-year track record of consistent return outperformance against the Philippine Stock Exchange Index (PSEi) with about \$\alpha 5.9-billion (as of April 2012) in assets under management.

Yehey! Corporation - 66.97% ownership

Yehey! considers the following as competitors:

- Digital Agencies
- Advertising Agencies

The Company considers the digital agencies as their direct competitors while the advertising agencies and media agencies are considered indirect competitors.

<u>Digital Agencies</u> are agencies that deliver services for the creative and technical developments of internet based products. These services range from the more Common services such as web design, e-mail marketing and microsites etc. to the more specialist such as viral campaigns, banner advertising, search engine optimization, podcasting or widget development and more. Digital agencies in the country include BBDO-Proximity, Deploy and Havoc:

BBDO-Proximity

BBDO-Proximity creates breakthrough behavior changing ideas that cause active engagement between brands and consumers. They make insights, ideas and creative works that are developed by many of the most talented people from around the world. BBDO Proximity brings customers closer to brands with innovative "Beyond the Line" strategic and creative solutions. Their services reflect their people's expertise in building relationships, changing behaviors and delivering results across all marketing disciplines and media.

Deploy

Deploy is a boutique digital solutions provider offering communications planning, media planning and buying, analytics, reputation management and digital consultancy with a focus to delivering the best in class digital solutions underpinned by ROI.

Havoc

Havoc is a premier digital marketing company in the country with over 10 years of experience in creating digital properties, it helps its clients strategize and develop campaigns that will maximize their brand in the online space. They specialize on advertising sales presentations, digital media planning and buying, web development, online communities, blog marketing and e-commerce.

Advertising Agencies (Association of Accredited Advertising Agency): These agencies are service businesses dedicated to create, plan and handle advertising for its clients. They also provide an outside point of view to the effort of selling the clients products or services. They also produce works for many types of media, creating integrated marketing communications. The top advertising agencies in the country are McCann-Erickson Philippines, Ogilvy &

Mather, TBWA Santiago-Manganda-Puno, BBDO-Guerrero, Ace Saatchi & Saatchi, Jimenez Basic and J. Walter Thompson.

The very essence of Yehey's competitive advantage lies in its being the first to complete the end-to-end digital marketing solutions offering. Almost all companies that are in the business of digital marketing concentrate on either website development, or online media buying, or search engine optimization, or on digital PR, or their digital marketing services remain as added service to their existing above the line advertising efforts.

Yehey!, with its complete suite of services can offer its customers a more comprehensive digital marketing solutions package at the best possible value and with best advertising mileage in the digital space.

Financial Risk Management

The main risks arising from the Group's financial instruments are liquidity risk, credit risk and market risk. The BOD reviews and approves the policies for managing each risk and these are summarized below:

<u>Credit Risk</u> is the risk that the Group will incur a loss because its customers or counterparties fail to discharge their contractual obligations. The Group manages and controls credit risk by trading only with recognized, creditworthy third parties. It is the Group's policy that all customers who wish to trade on credit terms are subject to credit verification procedures. In addition, receivable balances are monitored on an ongoing basis with the result that the Group's exposure to bad debts is not significant.

There are no significant concentrations of credit risk within the Group.

Since the group trades only with recognized third parties, there is no requirement for collateral.

<u>Liquidity Risk</u> is the risk that the Group will be unable to meet its obligations when they fall due under normal and stress circumstances. To limit the risk, the Group closely monitors its cash flows and ensures that credit facilities are available to meet its obligations as and when they fall due. The Group also has a committed line of credit that it can access to meet liquidity needs. Any excess cash is invested in short-money market placements. These placements are maintained to meet maturing obligations.

<u>Market Risk</u> is the risk that movements of market prices will adversely affect the Group's financial condition. In managing its market risk exposure, the Group focuses on managing the pric (risk of loss arising from any change in the value of any asset or trading instrument) and foreign exchange risks (risk of loss arising from fluctuations in exchange rates).

Financial Performance

The Company derived its revenues from various activities:

	2012	2011	2010
Commission income	313,304,937	334,087,049	350,326,588
Gain on sale of AFS investments	333,663,314	329,626,095	506,639,797
Interest income from:			

AFS investments	85,374,345	103,282,875	93,852,163
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Cash and cash equivalents	22,511,417	11,148,335	13,850,853
Financial assets at FVPL	7,298,146	6,583,120	6,621,675
Unquoted debt securities	16,777,043	4,075,852	_
Others	_	386,945	-
Share in foreign exchange differential	81,507,179	85,573,235	75,767,180
Management fee and service income	87,633,738	65,414,284	43,623,335
Money changing gain	34,076,538	36,485,920	59,577,996
Dividend income	37,039,014	35,610,251	45,775,827
Advertising, web development and internet			
service	31,417,088	33,851,638	30,406,652
Income from business partners	8,348,495	2,868,068	2,333,776
TOTAL	1,058,951,254	1,048,993,667	1,228,775,842

As of December 31, 2012, the Company has a total of 477 employees as broken down below and are not subject to Collective Bargaining Agreements (CBA).

Position	No. Of Employees	Anticipated No. of Additional Employees
Executive	2	0
Senior Officer	5	1
Manager	19	7
Supervisor	123	· 11
Staff	328	32
TOTAL	477	51

The Corporation believes that it has maintained amicable relationships with the rank and file and does not anticipate any labor-management issues to arise in the near term. The Corporation believes that its relationship with its employees have been consistently good and productive.

Properties

Vantage Equities, Inc. - Parent

Office Condominium - These condominium units are located at 38/F Discovery Centre, ADB Avenue, Pasig City and Unit 2005 East Tower, PSE Centre, Exchange Road, Ortigas Center,

Pasig City. These are depreciated over an estimated useful life of 20 years and accounted for on a straight-line basis.

Office Improvements - These are improvements made to the Company's office space and being depreciated over an estimated useful life of 10 years accounted for on a straight line basis.

Furniture, Fixtures and Equipment - These equipments are used by the Company in conducting its daily operations and located at Unit 2703 East Tower, PSE Centre, Exchange Road, Ortigas Center, Pasig City. These assets are being depreciated over an estimated useful life of 3-10 years and accounted for on a straight line basis.

Transportation Equipment - These equipments are used by the Company in conducting its daily operations and depreciated over 5 years and accounted for on a straight line basis.

Leasehold Improvements - The Company is leasing its office space from New Rosario Ortigas Properties, Inc. located at 2703 East Tower, PSE Centre, Exchange Road, Ortigas Center, Pasig City. The term of the contract is for a period of one year and renewable upon mutual agreement of the parties involved.

eBusiness Services, Inc. ("eBiz") - 100% ownership

Transportation Equipment - These equipments are used by the Company in conducting its daily operations and being depreciated over an estimated useful life of 4-5 years.

Leasehold Improvements - The Company leases the spaces occupied by its branches with varying period of up to fifteen (15) years and renewable on such terms and conditions as shall be mutually accepted by the Company and the lessors. These leases are accounted for on a straight-line basis over the lease term.

Office Furniture and Equipment - This furniture and equipment are used by the Company in conducting its daily operations and being depreciated over an estimated useful life of 3 years. These assets are located at the Company's Head Office in 20/F East Tower, PSE Centre, Ortigas Center, Pasig City and various branches all over the Philippines.

Software License and Software Development – These pertains to the accounting software used by the company and amortized over a period 3 years accounted for on a straight line basis.

eBiz Financial Services, Inc. - 100% ownership

The Company does not own any properties.

¡Currencies, Inc. - 100% ownership

The Company does not own any properties and already effectively stopped its business of buying and selling of currencies in May 2001 as a result of Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas Circular No. 264, issued on October 26, 2000.

Philequity Balanced Fund, Inc. - 100% ownership

The Fund is not yet offered to the public and does not own any properties.

Philequity Foreign Currency Fixed Income Fund, Inc. - 100% ownership

The Fund is not yet offered to the public and does not own any properties.

Philequity Dividend Yield Fund, Inc. - 100% ownership

The Fund is not yet offered to the public and does not own any properties.

Yehey! Corporation – 66.97% ownership

Server and Network Equipment - These equipments are used by the Company in conducting its daily operations and being depreciated over an estimated useful life of 3 years. These equipments are located at 38/F Discovery Centre, 25 ADB Avenue, Pasig City.

Furniture, Fixture and Office Equipment - These equipments are used by the Company in conducting its daily operations and being depreciated over an estimated useful life of 3 years. These equipments are located at 38/F Discovery Centre, 25 ADB Avenue, Pasig City.

Transportation Equipment - These equipments are used by the Company in conducting its daily operations and depreciated over 5 years and accounted for on a straight line basis

Leasehold Improvement - The Company is leasing its office space from Vantage Equities, Inc. (the Parent Company) located at 38/F Discovery Centre, 25 ADB Avenue, Pasig City. For the years 2012, 2011, and 2010, Vantage Equities, Inc. waived its rental fee charges.

Software License – This pertains to Microsoft licenses and software used for "Kaban Project" and is being amortized over a period of 3 years and accounted for on a straight line basis.

Philequity Management, Inc. - 51% ownership

IT Equipment- These equipments are used by the Company in conducting its daily operations.

Leasehold Improvement - The Company is leasing its office space from ASIA PACIFIC BUILDWARE CORP. located at Unit E-2004A 20/F, East Tower, PSE Centre, Exchange Road, Ortigas Center, Pasig City at monthly rate of ₱96,706.14 exclusive of VAT and net of withholding. The term of the contract is for a period of five (5) years from April 1, 2012 to March 31, 2015 with P3,000 increase in the monthly rental starting on the 3rd year beginning April 1, 2012.

Office Equipment - These equipments are already fully-depreciated but still in use by the Company in conducting its daily operations and are depreciated over the estimated useful life of 5 years. These are office equipments are located at 2004A East Tower, PSE Centre, Exchange Road, Ortigas Center, Pasig City

Office Furniture - These equipments are used by the Company in conducting its daily operations and being depreciated over an estimated useful life of 5 years. Said office furniture are located in 2004A East Tower, PSE Centre, Exchange Road, Ortigas Center, Pasig City

These properties are free from mortgage or lien. The Company has no plan of acquiring a property in the next twelve months.

Legal Proceedings

3.1. G.R. No. 190477,

captioned "Sure Express World Wide Corp. vs Hon. Court of Appeals and e-Business Services Inc. et. al";Supreme Court, Manila

Civil Case No. MC-05-2840

captioned "eBusiness Services Inc. vs. Sure Express World Wide Corp.", RTC Branch 214, Mandaluyong City

E-Business filed a civil action against Sure Express to comply with its obligations under the Money Transfer Service Agreement and to pay the sum of Php 508, 003.75 and US\$ 22,710.16 plus attorney's fees and damages. On September 27, 2007, the lower Court rendered a decision against Sure Express. Sure Express appealed before the Court of Appeals and thereafter the Supreme Court. The Supreme Court rendered a decision on February 03, 2010 dismissing the petition which became final and executory on April 12, 2010. Our law firm filed its Entry of Appearance before the RTC Branch 214 on February 1, 2012 and thereafter on March 14, 2012 a Motion for Execution of Judgment which was granted on July 17, 2012. Considering that the whereabouts of Sure Express is unknown, the writ of execution remained unimplemented.

3.2. Civil Case No. 71390,

captioned "e-Business Services Inc.vs. Prudential Guarantee Assurance, Inc.", RTC 152, PasigCity

This is a complaint filed by e-Business on November 6, 2007 against defendant for the latter's refusal to settle and/or pay E-Business insurance claim as a result of loss of money due to robbery or brigandage. e-Business claims for the aggregate amount of P1,880,085.98 and US \$25,860.00 plus interest at the rateof 12% per annum from January 22, 2007, attorney's fees of not less than 20% of the claims, P500,000 as damages and the cost of suit. Since the parties failed to settle amicable during the mediation and judicial dispute resolution, the case proceeded to trial which is still pending.

3.3.Criminal Case No. 12822,

captioned "People of the Philippines vs.NorielRequiso", for: Qualified Theft RTC 214, Mandaluyong City

This is a criminal case filed by e-Business as private complainant against accused Noriel Requiso on December 9, 2008 after the latter unlawfully took the sum of Php 1,150,000.00 from the vault of E-Business' Edsa Market Place. On June 5, 2009, E-Business filed a Motion to Cancel Passport of the accused who was then known to be abroad. However, the Court denied aforesaid motion. Considering that the warrant of arrest cannot be implemented since accused whereabouts is unknown, the instant case is archived.

OPERATIONAL AND FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE

Market for Registrant's Common Equity and Related Stockholder Matters

Stock Prices (as adjusted)

	20	2013		2012		11
	High	Low	High	Low	High	Low
1st Quarter	2.7	2.6	1.91	1.85	1.88	1.43
2nd Quarter	n/a	n/a	1.83	1.83	1.71	1.71
3rd Quarter	n/a	n/a	1.90	1.88	1.46	1.46
4th Quarter	n/a	n/a	2.45	2.41	1.71	1.67

As of 31 March 2012, there were 656 shareholders of the 2,100,535,133 common shares issued and outstanding. As of the close of trading on 27 March 2012, the Registrant's shares were traded at the price of #2.70 per share in Philippine Stock Exchange.

On November 10 2009, the BOD approved the proposal to buy back from the market up to Three Hundred Million Pesos (P300,000,000.00) worth of shares of the Corporation. As of March 31, 2011, the total number of shares repurchased from the market is 134,855,500 worth P188.52 million.

On June 4, 2008, the BOD increased the Company's authorized capital stock from P1.9B to P2.25B, as well as the issuance of 25% stock dividend to all stockholders. This increase in capital stock was approved by the SEC on 12 January 2009, while the stock dividends were distributed to stockholders as of record date of 10 February 2009 on 06 March 2009.

In 2007, the Parent Company declared a five percent (5%) property dividend in favor of its shareholders-of-record as of 18 May 2007, payable in the form of common shares of Yehey! worth P89,415,629. In February 2008, the Parent Company distributed the property dividends declared.

There is no sale of unregistered securities within the past four (4) years.

Top 20 shareholders as of May 31, 2013:

	RECORD OWNER	NO OF SHARES	% TO TOTAL ISSUED SHARES
1	PCD NOMINEE CORP.	2,099,070,206.00	93.90%
_2	SYSMART CORP.	60,178,375.00	2.69%
3	TRANS- ASIA SECURITIES, INC.	6,830,000.00	0.31%
4	SYSMART CORPORATION	5,000,000.00	0.22%
5	EAST PACIFIC INVESTORS CORPORATION	4,520,000.00	0.20%
6	A. BROWN COMPANY, INC.	3,441,250.00	0.15%
7	LUCIO W. YAN &/OR CLARA YAN	3,406,250.00	0.15%
8	OCX DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION	3,200,000.00	0.14%
9	RICARDO L. NG	1,624,375.00	0.07%
10	AGAPITO C. BALAGTAS, JR.	1,437,500.00	0.06%
11	APRICINIA B. FERNANDEZ	1,437,500.00	0.06%
12	SUZANNE LIM	1,437,500.00	0.06%
13	HARLEY SY	1,437,500.00	0.06%
14	CYGNET DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION	1,406,250.00	0.06%
15	JERRY TIU	1,365,625.00	0.06%
16	CAMPOS, LANUZA & CO., INC.	1,161,500.00	0.05%
17	WILSON L. SY	1,150,000.00	0.05%
18	PCD NOMINEE CORPORATION (NON-FILIPINO)	1,124,687.00	0.05%
19	JOHN PETER YU &/OR JUAN YU	800,000.00	0.04%
20	AVESCO MARKETING CORPORATION	718,750.00	0.03%

Dividends

The Company has not declared any cash dividends for the past two years.

MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OR PLAN OF OPERATIONS

RESULTS OF OPERATIONS FOR THE FIRST QUARTER OF 2013 COMPARED TO 31 DECEMBER 2011 AND 2012

	Unaudited	Audited	
In Millions	March 31, 2013	December 31, 2012	December 31, 2011
Balance Sheet			
Assets	8,628	7,285	5,842
Liabilities	1,088	1,193	309
Stockholders' Equity	7,540	6,632	5,533
Book Value per Share	3.37	2.97	2.63
Income Statement			
Revenues	469	1,059	1,053
Expenses	118	524	512
Other Income / (Charges)	(13)	35	(11)
Net Income	338	570	530
Earnings per Share	0.16	0.26	0.25

The Company posted a consolidated net income of Php338.0 million as of March 31, 2013. It went up by 260% compared to same period last year of Php102 million. On a per share basis, the company earned 0.16 centavos as of March 31, 2013 compared to .26 centavos as of December 31, 2012.

Despite global macroeconomic headwinds such as the US fiscal cliff, the EU sovereign debt crisis, threat of a China hard landing and slowing global growth, global equity markets have managed to perform strongly in 2012 on the back of monetary easing by most central bankers. The ECB's Outright Monetary Transactions (OMT) and the US Fed's Quantitative Easing 3 (QE3) in 3Q12 have spurred a rally in global equities markets.

The Philippine stock market rallied 17.80 percent during the first quarter on the back of optimism about the local economy even as Fitch Ratings gave the Philippines its first ever investment grade rating. IN addition the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas (BSP) continues to cut rates on its SDA causing investors to look elsewhere for yield. This has caused flows into mutual funds to significantly increase and BSP has hinted several cuts are to be expected in the future.

On the fixed income side, yields were mostly on a downtrend as a result of credit rating upgrades from Standard & Poor's and Moody's and of easing monetary policy. 10-year and 20-year benchmark yields were lower by 101 bps and 61 bps respectively from end-2011 to end-2012.

The following summarizes the operating results of the Company's subsidiaries:

eBusiness Services, Inc. ("eBiz")

eBiz continue to achieve record money transfer volume. However, despite transaction growth, money transfer revenues still fell 1.5% YoY to Php1.6 million due to the contractual reduction in the Company's share of fees from Western Union and an appreciating currency. The decline in money transfer revenues was partly offset by slightly higher revenues from the Company's foreign exchange operations and other products which increased to Php25.5 million in first quarter of 2013 from Php11.7 million in of the same period last year. Meanwhile, as a result of the Company's continued efforts to rationalize its costs, general and administrative expenses fell by 3% YoY to Php71.7 million from Php74.2 million in March 2012. After provisions and taxes, eBiz posted a net income of Php19.7 million in 2013, up 19% from Php10.2 million in 2012.

Yehey! Corporation ("Yehey")

Total Revenues of the Company decreased by P 4.75 million from P9.59 million to last year P4.84 million of 1st quarter of 2013 and 2012 respectively. This is due to substantial decrease in media sales, web development and digital PR.

However, Total Cost and Expenses decreased by approximately P5.31 million due to decrease in Salaries & Wages and Other Costs like Depreciation, Subscription and Writers' Fee, among others.

As such, Net Loss of the Company is P.5 million in March 2013 from P2.2 million in 2012.

Philequity Management, Inc. ("PEMI")

Net revenues as of March 31, 2013 climbed to Php36.5 million from Php19.4 million last year due to increase in assets under management.

Expenses as of the 1st quarter of the year were 53% lower vs. last year. YTD net profit increased by 198% or Php 30.8 million from Php10.3 million last year.

There is no material commitment for capital expenditure as of report date. There is no unusual nature or amount of item that affect the financials. There are no changes in the estimates of amount reported in the prior periods. There were no issuance, repurchases and repayments of debt and equity securities for the period. No material events subsequent to the end of the interim period that have not been reflected in the financial statements for the interim period. No significant elements of income or loss that did not arise from the issuers continuing operations.

The Company will continue to operate as an investment and management firm to help improve the performances of its subsidiaries. There is no seasonal aspect that had a material effect on the financial condition or results of operations.

Key Performance Indicators

The Company sets certain performance measures to gauge its operating performance periodically to assess its overall state of corporate health. Listed below are the major performance measures, which the Company has identified as reliable performance indicators.

	March 31, 2013	March 31, 2012
Current Ratio ¹	247.23%	614.55%
Assets to Equity ²	114.43%	104.34%
Liabilities to Equity ³	14.43%	4.34%
Return on Average Assets ⁴	1.11%	1.52%
Return on Average Equity⁵	1.26%	1.59%

Causes for any material changes (+/- 5% or more) in the financial statements

Income Statement items - three month period ending 31-March-2013 versus 31-March-2012

77.57% decrease in internet sales and services

Mainly due to lower media sales, web development and dpr revenue.

98.26% increase in money changing and foreign exchange

Mainly due to higher value of forex rates.

20.61% increase in interest income

Mainly due to additional fixed income securities.

87.5% increase in mutual fund income

Mainly due to increase in assets under administration.

452.25% increase in trading gains(loss)

Mainly due to high market price of investments.

845% increase in interest and bank charges

Primarily due to increase US dollar denominated loans from banks.

Balance Sheet items - March 31, 2013 versus end 2012

63% increase in receivables

Mainly due to advances for a new potential fund investment company.

99% decrease in Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Profit and Loss (FVPL)

Primarily due to disposals of FVPL.

21% increase in available-for-sale securities

Largely due to increase in equities and mutual fund investments.

53% increase in cumulative unrealized gain on change in fair value of available-for-sale investments

Mainly due to revaluation of fixed income and equities securities.

52% increase in accounts payable and other current liabilities

Significantly due to purchase of equity securities payable in April 2013.

In Millions	2012	2011	2010
Balance Sheet			
Assets	7,825.13	5,841.93	5,301.53
Liabilities	1,192.88	308.57	436.20
Stockholder's Equity	6,632.25	5,533.36	4,865.33

Income Statement			
Revenues	1,058.95	1,048.99	1,228.77
Expenses	482.42	511.78	508.83
Other Income/(Charges)	(6.44)	(7.39)	(3.32)
Net Income	570.09	529.82	716.62
Earnings per Share	0.26	0.25	0.33
Key Performance Indicators Current Ratio (Current			
Assets/Current Liabilities) Leverage Ratio (Total	2.31	3.89	5.29
Debt/Total Equity)	0.18	0.06	0.09
Comprehensive Return on Equity (Comprehensive Income/Total	0.17	0.12	0.15
Equity)			
Book Value Per Share	2.97	2.48	2.18

Results of Operations for the Year Ended 2012 (Y2012 vs Y2011)

The Company posted a consolidated net income of Php570.1 million as of December 31, 2012, higher by 7.6% compared to Php529.8 million in 2011. On a per share basis, the company earned Php0.26 as of December 31, 2012 compared to Php0.25 centavos as of December 31, 2011.

Despite global macroeconomic headwinds such as the US fiscal cliff, the EU sovereign debt crisis, threat of a China hard landing and slowing global growth, global equity markets have managed to perform strongly in 2012 on the back of monetary easing by most central bankers. The ECB's Outright Monetary Transactions (OMT) and the US Fed's Quantitative Easing 3 (QE3) in 3Q12 have spurred a rally in global equities markets. For the year, the S&P 500 and the MSCI World Index registered returns of 13.4% and 13.2%, respectively, compared to a flat growth and and -7.6%, respectively, in 2011.

Not to be outdone, the local equities market performed even better than its Western counterparts on the back of improvements in the country's fiscal position, four benchmark rate cuts from the BSP and strong domestic consumption. For the year, the PHISIX and the Company's equity portfolio gained 33.0% and 30.6%, respectively, compared to 4.1% and 4.9%, respectively, in 2011.

On the fixed income side, yields were mostly on a downtrend in 2012 as a result of credit rating upgrades from Standard & Poor's and Moody's and of easing monetary policy. 10-year and 20-year benchmark yields were lower by 101 bps and 61 bps respectively from end-2011 to end-2012. The Company's fixed income portfolio gained 9.5% in 2012, outperforming the benchmark HSBC Local Bond Index which gained 8.9% during the same period. In 2011, the Company's fixed income portfolio and the HSBC Local Bond Index gained 13.4% and 12.8% respectively.

The following summarizes the operating results of the Company's subsidiaries:

eBusiness Services, Inc. ("eBiz")

eBiz continue to achieve record money transfer volume, hitting over 4.4 million transactions worth in excess of USD 1.0 billion in 2012. However, despite transaction growth, money transfer revenues still fell 5% YoY to Php394.8 million due to the contractual reduction in the

Company's share of fees from Western Union and an appreciating currency. The decline in money transfer revenues was partly offset by slightly higher revenues from the Company's foreign exchange operations and other products which increased to Php57.7 million in 2012 from Php57.0 million in 2011. Meanwhile, as a result of the Company's continued efforts to rationalize its costs, general and administrative expenses fell by 5% YoY to Php379.6 million from Php401.1 million in 2011. After provisions and taxes, eBiz posted a net income of Php48.0 million in 2012, up 20% from Php40.0 million in 2011.

Yehey! Corporation

The Company experienced a 7% decline in revenues to P31.4 million in 2012 from P34 million in 2011. Although revenues from Digital PR increased significantly by 87% from P10 million to P19 million, web production revenues decreased by 47% from P18 million to 19 million. Likewise, no revenue from digital strategy was achieved for 2012, coming from a revenue of P3.3 million in 2011.

The decline in revenues is mitigated by a 13% decline in total cost and expenses from P36 million to P31 million. General and administrative expenses decreased considerably as a result of lower provision for credit and impairment losses. All other costs have insignificant changes from 2011 to 2012.

Over-all, the Company posted total comprehensive income of 14 million, an 85% improvement from an income of P7.5 million in 2011.

Philequity Management, Inc.

The year 2012 saw a significant increase in the equity markets with the Philippine Stock Exchange Index (PSEi) returning 33.0% compared to 4.1% in 2011. This double digit return helped increase investors' interest in mutual funds, particularly equity funds.

As of end-2012, the Company's assets under management increased 41.4% to Php6.9 billion from Php4.9 billion as of end-2011. Net sales likewise increased 138.9% from Php197.2 million in 2011 to Php471.1 million in 2012. As a result, service income increased 33.9% to Php87.0 million from Php65.0 million in 2011. After expenses and taxes, comprehensive income in 2012 increased 54% to Php34.1 million.

Other Matters

The Parent Company and its wholly-owned subsidiary, e-Business Services, Inc., continuously enter into currency forward transactions with bank counterparties to hedge their foreign exchange risk. The nominal amounts of these contracts are off-balance sheet while revaluation gains or losses are recognized as Miscellaneous Asset or Miscellaneous Liability, respectively.

Causes for any material changes (+/-5% or more) in the financial statements

Income Statements items -Y2012 versus Y2011

6.22% decrease in commission income

Due to reduction in share of fees from Western Union

7.19% decrease in internet sales and services
Mainly due to absence of revenue from digital strategy.

33.97% increase in mutual fund income

Mainly due to increase in assets under administration.

6.43% decrease in general and administrative expenses Mainly due to increase personnel costs.

8.74% increase in cost of services and sales
Primarily due to increase in digital public relations costs.

Balance Sheet items - Y2012 versus Y2011

153.35% increase in cash and cash equivalents Primary due to higher short-term investments.

23.52% increase in receivables

Significantly due to increase in receivable from Western Union and acquisition of Puregold unquoted debt security of Php 150M.

419% increase in Financial Assets at Fair Value Through Profit and Loss (FVPL) Primary due to quoted government bonds.

12.96% increase in available-for-sale securities
Largely due to increase on equities and mutual fund investments.

97.6% decrease in investments in associate and joint venture Mainly due to disposal of joint venture investment.

37.29% decrease in prepayments and other current assets Largely due to decrease in prepayments.

87.15% increase in deferred tax assets
Attributable to increase in allowance for credit losses.

294.32% increase in liabilities

Mainly due to availment of USD denominated unsecured short-term loans from banks.

94% increase in cumulative unrealized gain on change in fair value of available-for -sale investments

Mainly due to revaluation of fixed income and equities securities.

Results of Operations for the Year Ended 2011 (Y2011 vs Y2010)

The Company posted a consolidated net income of Php 529.8 million and Php 716.6 million in 2011 and 2010 respectively. On a per share basis, this translates to a Php 0.25 income in 2011 compared to Php 0.33 income in 2010.

2011 proved to be a volatile year for most equities markets. The Fed's second round of quantitative easing during the latter part of 2010 spurred a rally in developed markets in 1Q11. However, equities were hammered for most of the second half as the European debt crisis continued to unravel and as developed economies continued to experience lackluster growth. The S&P 500 and the MSCI World Index posted returns of 0.4% and -7.8%, respectively in 2011 compared to 12.8% and 9.6%, respectively in 2010.

Meanwhile, ASEAN markets have fared relatively better due to healthier fiscal positions and more robust domestic economies. In particular, the Philippines continue to enjoy a healthier business climate and a stronger external position. Its domestic-driven economy has likewise

insulated it from external shocks such as the global slowdown and the EU crisis. As a result, the Phisix posted a return of 4.1% in 2011 while the Company's equity portfolio gained 4.9% during the same period. In 2010, the Phisix gained 37.6% while the Company's equity portfolio posted a return of 46.3%.

Political stability and an improved fiscal and monetary environment have prompted debt ratings agency S&P to upgrade its outlook on the Philippines' long-term foreign currency debt to positive. As a result, interest rates trended lower especially on longer-dated securities. The 10-year benchmark fell by almost 70 bps from 6.1% in 2010 to 5.4% in 2011. The Company's fixed income portfolio gained 13.4% in 2011, outperforming the HSBC Local Bond Index which rose 12.8% during the same period. In 2010, the same portfolio posted a gain of 13.5% compared to a12.1% gain of the benchmark.

The following summarizes the operating results of the Company's subsidiaries:

eBusiness Services, Inc.

eBiz achieved another record volume in 2011, hitting over 4.2 million transactions worth in excess of USD 960 million. Value of international transactions grew 5.7% in 2011 compared to industry growth of 7.2%.

Despite volume and value growth, net money transfer revenues in 2011slid 3.7% to Php 357 million from Php 371 million in 2010. The decline can largely be attributed to the contractual reduction in the Company's share in Western Union's money transfer charges last September 2011. Furthermore, the continued appreciation of the Philippine peso against the US dollar from an average of 45.06 in 2010 to 43.30 in 2011 dampened the Company's earnings.

Meanwhile, eBiz's efforts to raise operating efficiencies have resulted to cost savings of about Php 4 million, as expenses declined to Php 354 million in 2011 from Php 358 million in 2010. However, because of weaker top line growth, 2011 net income fell 45.0% to P37 million from P67 million in 2010.

Yehey! Corporation

A quasi reorganization which involved a re-alignment in management and rationalization of personnel was started sometime in the middle of 2010. Likewise, cost cutting and production efficiency measures were introduced that year and continued to 2011. Thus in 2011, Yehey!'s financial performance improved substantially, posting net profit of P11.4 million from a net loss of P9.45 million in 2010.

Revenues in 2011 registered an 11% increase at P33.9 million, from P30.4 million in 2010. Biggest contribution to revenue came from Web Development and Digital PR Services with combined revenues of about P28 million. Digital Strategy services also contributed a respectable amount of P3.3 million, considering that this service was relatively a new product offering of the Company. The improvement in revenue generation must be due to more consistent requirements from existing clients and new clients who have been happier with the delivery of Yehey's services.

Another improvement in the financial performance of the Company was the remarkable decline in Cost of Services from P30.2 million in 2010 to P17.8 million in 2011, when full impact of the personnel rationalization was realized. By the end of 2011, personnel count was at 30 from a high of 68 in 2009. It could be said that a most efficient ratio of sales to production has been achieved.

Meanwhile, General and Administrative Expenses also decreased by 16% to P20 million as a result of continuous and prudent management of all company resources. Also, lower

provisions were made in 2011 for credit losses and impairment due to an improved collection period.

Noteworthy, are the other contributors to Net Income, as follows: [1] P2.2 million income recognized from the reversal of prior years provision for commission which was never distributed as revenue targets were not met year on year;[2] P1.1 million representing 50% share of the 2011 Net Income of Media Contacts, a joint venture undertaking of Yehey! with Media Contacts, S.A

Philequity Management, Inc.

PEMI's 2011 revenues increased from Php43.6 million in 2009 to Php69.7 million. In line with the strength of ASEAN economies and their relative outperformance vis-à-vis developed economies, the mutual funds that the Company manages posted net subscriptions of Php 197 million in 2011 while total assets under management further increased to Php 4.9 billion as of end-2011 from Php 4.4 billion as of end-2010.

PEMI's operating expenses amounted to Php 25.0 million and Php12.5 million in 2011 and 2010 respectively. This resulted to a net income of Php23.6 million in 2010 from Php16.3 million in 2010.

There is no material commitment for capital expenditure as of report date. There is no unusual nature or amount of item that affect the financials. There are no changes in the estimate of amount reported in prior periods. There were no issuance, repurchases and repayments of debt and equity securities for the period. No material events subsequent to the end of the year that have not been reflected in the financial statements. No significant elements of income or loss that did not arise from the issuers continuing operations.

The Company will continue to operate as an investment and management firm to help improve the performances of its subsidiaries. There is no seasonal aspect that had a material effect on the financial condition or results of operations.

Results of Operations for the Year Ended 2010 (Y2010 vs Y2009)

The Company posted a consolidated net income of Php 716.6 million and Php 365.2 million in 2010 and 2009 respectively. On a per share basis, this translates to a Php 0.33 income in 2010 compared to Php 0.16 income in 2009.

The unprecedented fiscal stimulus from governments worldwide and the continued quantitative easing by the US Federal Reserve have resulted to a global economy bottoming out in 2009 after suffering from the worst financial crisis since the Great Depression. This, in turn, has set the stage for a more sustained recovery in 2010, wherein valuations came closer to their fair value levels. The S&P 500 and the MSCI World Index posted more modest returns of 12.8% and 9.6%, respectively in 2010 from 23.5% and 27.0%, respectively in 2009.

On the domestic front, the smooth transition of power after a successful national elections has resulted to an improved business confidence and outlook. The Company's equity portfolio gained 46.3% in 2010, outperforming the Phisix which rose 37.6% during the same period. In 2009, the same portfolio posted a return of 50.6% compared to a 63.0% gain of the benchmark.

Investors were also optimistic that the present government can rein in the fiscal deficit while still promoting economic growth. As a result, the yield curve has flattened and interest rates have gone down. The Company's fixed income portfolio gained 13.5% in 2010, modestly

outperforming the HSBC Local Bond Index which rose 12.1% during the same period. In 2009, the same portfolio posted a gain 13.2% compared to an 8.3% gain of the benchmark.

For 2011, the Company maintains its positive outlook on the back of a strengthening US economy. Inflation will be a key watch out as commodity prices continue on the uptrend.

The following summarizes the operating results of the Company's subsidiaries:

eBusiness Services, Inc.

eBiz achieved another record volume in 2010, hitting over 4.0 million transactions worth in excess of USD 900 million. Value of international transactions grew 9.2% in 2010, modestly outpacing industry growth of 8.2%.

Despite volume and value growth, net money transfer revenues in 2010 slid 3.3% to Php 371 million from Php 383 million in 2009. The modest decline was mainly due to Western Union discounting the fees charged in some of its remittance corridors to enhance competitiveness. Furthermore, the strengthening of the Philippine peso against the US dollar dampened eBiz's earnings as the average exchange rate moved to 45.06 in 2010 from 47.61 in 2009.

Meanwhile, eBiz's efforts to raise operating efficiencies have resulted to cost savings of about Php 19 million, as expenses declined to Php 358 million in 2010 from Php 377 million in 2009. Due to lower costs, net income in 2010 even grew 18.0% to P67 million from P56 million in 2009.

For 2011, eBiz expects OFW remittances to further strengthen. The Company likewise expects to reap the benefits from its investment in various strategic programs in 2010 and be able to take advantage of the growing remittance industry.

Yehey! Corporation

The consistent losses of Yehey! Corporation during the previous years, prompted the shareholders to exercise a quasi-reorganization which involved a re-alignment in management and rationalization of personnel. The re-organization which started middle of 2010, resulted in an improved financial performance of the company.

Gross Revenues of Yeheyl in 2010 declined by 20%, from Php38 million in 2009 to Php30.4 million in 2010. The decline in gross revenues is largely attributed to the lower revenues contributed by the web development segment in 2010 of about Php19 million from Php28 million in 2009. Likewise, Portal and E- commerce segment contributions decreased by Php1.5 million. Only the Media Sales and Digital PR segments showed improvement in revenues. Media Sales revenues increased to Php6 million in 2010 from Php2.3 million in 2009 while Digital PR revenues marginally improved to Php4.7 million in 2010 from Php4.4 million in 2009.

A number of factors contributed to the general decline in revenues, as follows: a) a more prudent account acquisition taking into account credit-worthiness of the clients, b) focus made on operational efficiency which in the long-term, should improve client satisfaction and therefore increase client retention ratio. The decline in revenues was expected and seen as temporary in 2010. The trend should improve in 2011.

While revenues declined, more efforts were exerted in bringing down the total costs of the company. Cost of services decreased by 27%, from Php41.5 million in 2009 to Php30.2 million. The decline is a result of reduction in cost Salaries and Wages, as personnel count went down to 35 from 68 in a period of 1 year. Freeze hiring was initiated, thus no replacements were made for resigned employees. This mandate is still currently in place until

a most efficient ratio of sales to production is achieved. General and Administrative Expenses likewise decreased from Php17 million in 2009 to Php11.5 million in 2009 as savings from rent, utilities, transportation and travel were achieved.

However, bigger provisions were made for Doubtful Accounts to reflect the existing collection probability. Said allocation resulted in a bigger operating loss for the Company from Php23.5 million in 2009 to Php28 million in 2010.

Yehey's investment in Media Contacts likewise reflected a loss of Php3.1 million in 2010, thus, widening the gap of net loss from 2009.

Philequity Management, Inc.

PEMI's 2010 revenues increased from Php31.4 million in 2009to Php43.6 million. In line with the global economic recovery and improved business outlook locally, the mutual funds it manages posted net subscriptions of Php 750 million in 2010 while total assets under management further increased to Php 4.4 billion as of end-2010 from Php 2.5 billion as of end-2009.

PEMI's operating expenses amounted to Php 12.7 million and Php10.5 million in 2010 and 2009 respectively. This resulted to a net income of Php16.3 million in 2010 from Php14.2 million in 2009.

During the first half of 2010, the General Manager of PEMI tendered his resignation, which resulted to expansion plans being temporarily put on hold. However, the asset management and servicing teams of the Company remain intact such that clients can continue to expect only the highest standards of professionalism with respect to management of their investments.

Changes in and Disagreements with Accountants on Accounting and Financial Disclosure

There have been no changes in or disagreements with accountants on accounting and financial disclosure.

DIRECTORS AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTORS

Please refer to the discussion on "Directors and Executive Officers" in the main body of the Information Statement.

CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

The Company has been monitoring compliance with SEC Memorandum Circular No. 6, Series of 2009, as well as other relevant SEC circulars and rules on good corporate governance. All directors, officers, and employees complied with all the leading practices and principles on good corporate governance as embodied in the Corporation's Manual. The Company complied with the appropriate performance self-rating assessment and performance evaluation system to determine and measure compliance with the Manual of Corporate Governance.

The Company is unaware of any non-compliance with or deviation from its Amended Manual of Corporate Governance during the previous year. The Company will continue to monitor compliance with the Revised Rules on Corporate Governance, and shall remain committed in ensuring the adoption of other systems and practices of good corporate governance to enhance its value to its shareholders.

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