

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

SEC FORM 17-C

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

1. Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
Jul 27, 2018
2. SEC Identification Number
52412
3. BIR Tax Identification No.
000-156-011
4. Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
BELLE CORPORATION
5. Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation
METRO MANILA, PHILIPPINES
6. Industry Classification Code(SEC Use Only)
7. Address of principal office
5/F Tower A, Two ECom Center, Palm Coast Avenue, MOA Complex, Pasay City
Postal Code
1300
8. Issuer's telephone number, including area code
02-6628888
9. Former name or former address, if changed since last report
n/a
10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the SRC or Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA

Title of Each Class	Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding
Common Stock	10,498,679,857
11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein
item 9

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PSE Disclosure Form 4-31 - Press Release
References: SRC Rule 17 (SEC Form 17-C)
Section 4.4 of the Revised Disclosure Rules

Subject of the Disclosure

Belle Corporation net income up 11% for six months 2018

Background/Description of the Disclosure

BELLE CORPORATION

PRESS RELEASE

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(Pasay City, Philippines) Belle Corporation continued its growth momentum in 2018. Belle's consolidated net income reached Php 1.96 billion for the first six months of 2018, up 11% compared to Php 1.77 billion achieved in the same period in 2017. Excluding capital gains from sales of non-core investments and extraordinary items, Belle's recurring net income of Php 2.08 billion for the current period was about 26% higher than the Php 1.66 billion reached for the 2017 period.

Through its subsidiary, Premium Leisure Corporation (PLC), the Company's earnings before interest, taxes, depreciation and amortization (EBITDA) from its income share in the gaming operations of City of Dreams Manila increased by 42% to Php 1.34 billion for the first six months of 2018, from Php 945 million for the comparable 2017 period. PLC has an operating agreement with the Philippine affiliate of Melco Resorts and Entertainment Limited (Melco) that accords PLC a share of gaming revenues or earnings at City of Dreams Manila.

Belle also realized increased EBITDA from its real estate businesses of Php 1.19 billion for the first six months of 2018, an 11% increase from approximately Php 1.07 billion for the 2017 period. A significant portion of this real estate-related EBITDA (Php 1.02 billion) was derived from Belle's lease of the land and buildings comprising City of Dreams Manila to Melco, with the balance coming from sales of real estate products and property management activities at its Tagaytay Highlands and Midlands residential and leisure complexes south of Metro Manila.

About Belle Corporation

Belle is a developer of tourism and leisure destinations in the Philippines. Its principal asset is the City of Dreams Manila in PAGCOR Entertainment City by Manila Bay, which is being leased on a long-term basis to Melco. In addition to lease income, Belle is accorded a share in revenues or earnings from City of Dreams Manila's gaming operations through the operating agreement between PLC and Melco. Belle also owns approximately one hectare of presently undeveloped land across from the City of Dreams Manila site.

South of Metro Manila, Belle owns significant real estate assets and develops premium residential resort projects around Tagaytay City. Among its exclusive destinations are the club and golf facilities and residential communities of Tagaytay Highlands and Tagaytay Midlands, as well as a further 800 hectares intended for future development.

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Other Relevant Information

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Province, country or other jurisdiction of
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6. _____ (SEC Use Only)
Industry Classification Code
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Mall of Asia Complex, Pasay City
Address of principal office
- _____ 1300
Postal Code
8. (632) 662-8888
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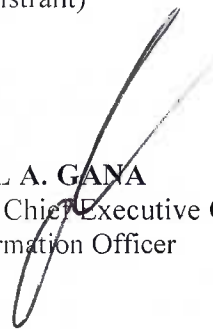
SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Regulation Code, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

BELLE CORPORATION
(Registrant)

By:

MANUEL A. GANA
President and Chief Executive Officer
Chief Information Officer



Date: 27 July 2018