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I, Annabelle T. Abunda, Finance and Compliance Officer of Forum Pacific, Inc., with SEC registration number AS93000120 with principal office at 35th Flr. One Corporate Center, Doña Julia Vargas, cor. Meralco Ave., Ortigas Center, Pasig City, on oath state:

- 1) That on behalf of Forum Pacific, Inc., I have caused this Current Report SEC Form 17-C to be prepared;
- 2) That I read and understood its contents which are true and correct of my own personal knowledge and/or based on true records;
- 3) That the company, Forum Pacific, Inc., will comply with the requirements set forth in SEC Notice dated June 24, 2020 for a complete and official submission of reports and/or documents through electronic mail; and
- 4) That I fully aware that documents filed online which requires pre-evaluation and/or processing fee shall be considered complete and officially received only upon payment of a filing fee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereto set my hands this APR 04 2025 day of _____, 2025.



Annabelle T. Abunda
Affiant
TIN: 205-231-659

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NOTARY PUBLIC

FERDINAND D. AYAHAO
Notary Public

For and in Pasig City and the Municipality of Pateros
Appointment No. 96 (2024-2025) valid until 12/31/2025
MCLB Exemption No. VIII-BEP003234, until 04/14/28
Roll No. 46377; IBP LRN 02459; OR 535886; 06/21/2001
TIN 123-011-785; PTR 2831461AA; 01/03/25; Pasig City
U-5, G/F West Tower PSE, Exchange Road
Ortigas Center, Pasig City Tel. +632-86314090



April 4, 2025

SECURITIES EXCHANGE COMMISSION

7907 Makati Ave, Salcedo Village,
Bel-Air, Makati City 1209

Attention: Mr. Oliver O. Leonardo
Director, Markets and Securities Regulation Department

Atty. Rachel Esther J. Gumtang-Remalante
Director, Corporate Governance and Finance Department

THE PHILIPPINE STOCK EXCHANGE, INC.

6/F PSE Tower, 5th Avenue corner 28th Street,
Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City

Attention: Atty. Johanne Daniel M. Negre
Officer-in-Charge – Disclosure Department

PHILIPPINE DEALING AND EXCHANGE CORPORATION

29/F BDO Equitable Tower
8751 Paseo De Roxas, Makati City

Attention: Atty. Marie Rose M. Magallen-Lirio
Head – Issuer Compliance and Disclosure Department

Gentlemen:

In compliance with Section 17.1 (b) of the Securities Regulation Code and SRC Rule 17.1.1.1.3(b).2, Forum Pacific, Inc. (the "Company") hereby submits a copy of SEC Form 17-C regarding the Securities and Exchange Commission's (SEC) approval of the Amended By-Laws of the Corporation (*re: Amending Article II Section 1: changing the date of Annual Stockholders' Meeting from Every 3rd Monday of April to **Every 3rd Monday of July***).

Very truly yours,

FORUM PACIFIC, INC.


ANNABELLE T. ABUNDA
Compliance and Finance Officer

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SEC Registration No.

F O R U M P A C I F I C , I N C.

(Company's Full Name)

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A V E . , O R T I G A S C E N T E R , P A S I G C I T Y

(Business Address : No. Street City / Town / Province)

Amando J. Ponsaran, Jr.

Contact Person

(632) 8706-7888/ 8687-7536

Contact Tel. No./Fax No.

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Fiscal Year

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FORM TYPE

December 31

Mont
h Day
Annual Meeting

Secondary License Type, If Applicable

M S R D

Dept. Requiring this Doc.

Amended Articles Number/Section

857

Total No. of Stockholders

Total Amount of Borrowings

Domestic

Foreign

To be accomplished by SEC Personnel concerned

File Number

LCU

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Cashier

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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. **April 4, 2025**
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
2. SEC Identification Number **AS9000120**
3. BIR Identification No. **002-155-598-000**
4. **FORUM PACIFIC, INC.**
Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter
5. **Metro Manila, Philippines**
(Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)
6. **Not Applicable** (SEC use only)
Industry Classification Code
7. **35th Flr. One Corporate Centre, Doña Julia Vargas cor. Meralco Aves.,
Ortigas Center, Pasig City** **1605**
Address of principal office Postal Code
8. **Telephone No. 8706-7888**
Registrant's telephone number, including area code
9. **Not Applicable**
Former name, former address, and former fiscal year, if changed since last report.
10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the SRC or Section 4 and 8 of the RSA

Title of Each Class	Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding or Amount of Debt Outstanding
Common Shares- P1.00 par value	Issued and Outstanding - 1,838,943,246

11. Indicated the item numbers reported therein.

Item 9. Other Events:

Approval of the Amended By-Laws amending, ARTICLE II - Meetings Of Stockholders, Section 1. *Regular Meetings* - The regular meetings of stockholders, for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting, shall be held at the principal office on the **every 3rd Monday of July** of each year, if not a legal holiday, otherwise on the day following. The Board of Directors may provide, however, that the regular meeting shall be held at such other date and time as shall be specified in the notice of the meeting.

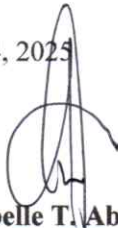
The Securities and Exchange Commission approved the above amendment dated March 20, 2025 and was released dated April 3, 2025.

Copy of the Certificate of Filing of Amended By-Laws is herein attached.

SIGNATURE

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

April 4, 2025

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Annabelle T. Abunda', written over a circular stamp or mark.

Annabelle T. Abunda
Finance and Compliance Officer



REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

The SEC Headquarters
7907 Makati Avenue, Salcedo Village,
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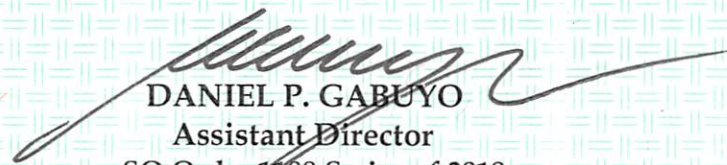
CERTIFICATE OF FILING AMENDED OF BY-LAWS

KNOW ALL PERSONS BY THESE PRESENTS:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY that the Amended By-Laws of
FORUM PACIFIC, INC.

copy annexed, adopted on May 2, 2024 by majority vote of the Board of Directors and on June 11, 2024 by the vote of the stockholders owning or representing at least two-thirds of the outstanding capital stock, and certified under oath by the Corporate Secretary and majority of the said Board was approved by the Commission on this date pursuant to the provisions of Section 47 of the Revised Corporation Code of the Philippines, Republic Act No. 11232, which took effect on February 23, 2019, and copies thereof are filed with the Commission.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have set my hand and caused the seal of this Commission to be affixed to this Certificate at The SEC Headquarters, 7907 Makati Avenue, Salcedo Village, Barangay Bel-Air, Makati City, 1209, Metro Manila, Philippines, this 20th day of March, Twenty Twenty Five.


DANIEL P. GABUYO
Assistant Director
SO Order 1188 Series of 2018

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Machine Validation:

VALID UNTIL: APRIL 24, 2025



Republic of the Philippines

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
The SEC Headquarters
7907 Makati Avenue, Salcedo Village,
Barangay Bel-Air, Makati City, 1209



PAYMENT ASSESSMENT FORM

No. 20250310-12406260

DATE 03/10/2025	RESPONSIBILITY CENTER CRMD
PAYOR: FORUM PACIFIC INC. PASIG CITY	

NATURE OF COLLECTION	QUANTITY	ACCOUNT CODE	AMOUNT
Amended By Laws		4020102000 (606)	1,000.00
Legal Research Fee (A0823)		2020105000 (131)	10.00
Documentary Stamp Tax	1	4010401000 (4010401)	30.00
---NOTHING FOLLOWS---			
TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE PAID			Php 1,040.00

Assessed by: bearceo	Amount in words: ONE THOUSAND FORTY PESOS AND 00/100
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PAYMENT OPTIONS

- Online payment thru eSPAYSEC at
 - <https://espaysec.sec.gov.ph>
- Over the Counter Payments at any LandBank branch nationwide **from 8:30 am up to 3:00 pm only**

BREAKDOWN SUMMARY

FUND ACCOUNT	AMOUNT	ACCOUNT #
SEC RCC Current Account	1,000.00	3752-2220-44
SEC BIR - DST	30.00	3752-2220-60
SEC BTR Account - LRF	10.00	3402-2319-20
TOTAL	Php 1,040.00	

NOTES:

- The Payment Assessment Form (PAF) is valid until APRIL 24, 2025.
- Accepted modes of payment at Landbank branches:
 - Cash
 - Manager's/Cashier's Check payable to the Securities and Exchange Commission
- For check payment, please prepare separate Manager's checks per fund account as indicated on the breakdown summary.
- For over the counter payment at LandBank:
 - Print 2 copies of PAF, 1 Client Copy, 1 LandBank copy
 - Accomplish the onColl Payment slip per fund account as indicated on the breakdown summary. Use the correct Fund Account and Account No. and provide the below information:
 - Reference Number 1 - PAF No.
 - Reference Number 2 - Name of Payor appearing on the PAF
 - Present OnColl Payment Slip, together with the PAF, to the LandBank Teller
- You may generate the electronic official receipt (eOR) by visiting <https://espaysec.sec.gov.ph/eor>
 - Payment thru ESPAYSEC – eOR available upon payment
 - LandBank OTC - eOR available within two (2) business days after the payment
- ANY ALTERATIONS WILL INVALIDATE THIS FORM

VALID UNTIL: APRIL 24, 2025



DIRECTORS' CERTIFICATE

We, the undersigned majority members of the ~~Board of Directors~~, the Chairman and the Corporate Secretary, we do hereby certify that the By-Laws of **FORUM PACIFIC, INC.** (the "Corporation"), was amended by an affirmative vote of the stockholders owning or representing at least two-thirds of the outstanding capital stock of the Corporation at a meeting held for that purpose via remote communication at 35th Floor One Corporate Center, Julia Vargas Avenue, Pasig City on **June 11, 2024**, amending the following provision of the By-Laws, such that it shall read as shown in the attached Amended By-Laws:


1. Article II – Meeting of Stockholders

Section 1 – Annual Meeting

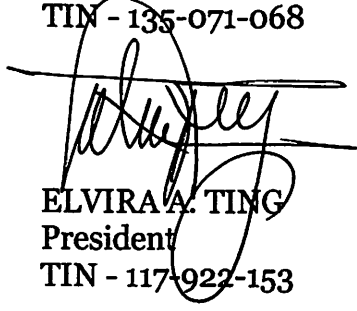
The abovementioned amendment was likewise approved by the Board of Directors at its meeting held on May 02, 2024.

Arsenio A. Alfiler Jr.
ARSENIO A. ALFILER JR.
Corporate Secretary
Secretary of the Meeting
TIN – 108-640-743


ATTESTED BY:



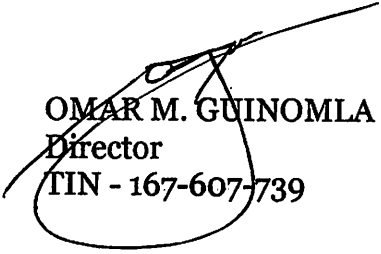
RUBEN D. TORRES
Chairman of the Board
Chairman of the Meeting
TIN - 135-071-068




ELVIRA A. TING
President
TIN - 117-922-153



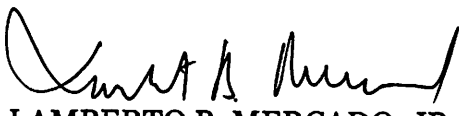
ARTHUR R. PONSARAN
Director
TIN - 127-640-176




OMAR M. GUINOMLA
Director
TIN - 167-607-739




SERGIO ANTONIO S. ORTIZ-LUIS
Director
TIN - 107-846-762



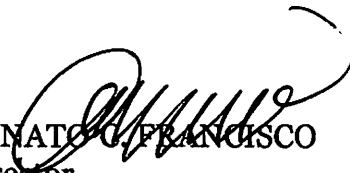
LAMBERTO B. MERCADO, JR.
Director
TIN - 136-012-428



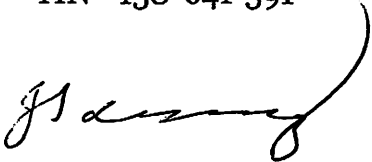
KENNETH T. GATCHALIAN
Director
TIN - 167-406-526




RICHARD L. RICARDO
Director
TIN - 140-853-860



RENATO C. FRANCISCO
Director
TIN - 138-641-391



JOSAIAS T. DELA CRUZ
Director
TIN - 123-365-209



ARISTEO R. CRUZ
Director
TIN - 108-672-299

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this _____ day of September 2024, affiant exhibiting to me their competent evidence of identity as follows:

Name	Competent Evidence of Identity	Issued by the
Ruben D. Torres	TIN - 135-071-068	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Kenneth T. Gatchalian	TIN - 167-406-526	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Elvira A. Ting	TIN - 117-922-153	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Arthur R. Ponsaran	TIN - 127-640-176	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Richard L. Ricardo	TIN - 140-853-860	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Omar M. Guinomla	TIN - 167-607-739	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Lamberto B. Mercado, Jr.	TIN - 136-012-428	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Sergio Antonio S. Ortiz-Luis	TIN - 107-846-762	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Renato C. Francisco	TIN - 138-641-391	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Josaias T. Dela Cruz	TIN - 123-365-209	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Aristeo R. Cruz	TIN - 108-672-299	Bureau of Internal Revenue
Amando J. Ponsaran, Jr.	TIN - 171-798-949	Bureau of Internal Revenue

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 TIN 123-011-785; PTR 1634583AA; 01/03/24; Pasig City
 Unit 5, West Tower PSE, Exchange Road
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AMENDED
BY - LAWS
OF
FORUM PACIFIC, INC.

ARTICLE I

SUBSCRIPTION, ISSUANCE AND TRANSFER OF SHARES

Section 1. *Subscriptions* - Subscribers to the capital stock of the Corporation shall pay to the Corporation the subscription value or price of the stock in accordance with the terms and conditions prescribed by the Board of Directors. Unpaid subscriptions shall not earn interest unless determined by the Board of Directors.

Section 2. *Certificates* - Each stockholder shall be entitled to one or more certificates for such fully paid stock subscription in his name in the Books of the Corporation. The certificates shall contain the matters required by law and the Articles of Incorporation. They shall be in such form and design as maybe determined by the Board of Directors and numbered consecutively. The certificates, which must be issued in consecutive order, shall bear the signature of the President, manually countersigned by the Secretary or Assistant Secretary, and sealed with the corporate seal.

Section 3. *Transfer of Shares* - Subject to the restrictions, terms and conditions contained in the Articles of Incorporation, shares may be transferred, sold, ceded, assigned or pledged by delivery of the certificates duly endorsed by the stockholder, his attorney-in-fact, or other legally authorized person. The transfer shall be valid and binding on the Corporation only upon record thereof in the Books of the Corporation, cancellation of the certificate surrendered to the Secretary, and issuance of a new certificate to the transferee. No shares of stock against which the Corporation holds any unpaid claim shall be transferable in the books of the Corporation.

All certificates surrendered for transfer shall be stamped "Canceled" on the face thereof, together with the date of cancellation, and attached to the corresponding stub in the certificate book.

Section 4. *Lost Certificates* - In case any certificate for the capital stock of the Corporation is lost, stolen, or destroyed, a new certificate may be issued in lieu thereof in accordance with the procedure prescribed by law, or applicable provision of the Corporation Code.

Section 5. *Fractional Shares* - No certificate shall be issued evidencing ownership of a fractional part of a share.

ARTICLE II

MEETINGS OF STOCKHOLDERS

Section 1. Regular Meetings - The regular meetings of stockholders, for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such business as may properly come before the meeting, shall be held at the principal office on the **every 3rd Monday of July** of each year, if not a legal holiday, otherwise on the day following. The Board of Directors may provide, however, that the regular meeting shall be held at such other date and time as shall be specified in the notice of the meeting. (As amended a meeting of the Board of Directors held on **May 2, 2024** and stockholders' meeting held on **June 11, 2024**)

Section 2. Special Meeting - Special meetings of stockholders, for any purpose or purposes, may at any time be called by any of the following: (a) Board of Directors, at its own instance, or at the written request of stockholders representing a majority of the subscribed capital stock entitled to vote; (b) Chairman, or in his absence, the Vice-Chairman, of the Board of Directors; or (c) President.

Section 3. Place of Meeting - Stockholders' meetings, whether regular or special, shall be held at the principal office of the Corporation or at any place designated by the Board of Directors in the city or municipality where the principal office of the Corporation is located.

Section 4. Notice of Meeting - Notices for regular or special meetings of stockholders may be sent by the Secretary by personal delivery or by mailing the notice at least two (2) weeks prior to the date of the meeting to each stockholder of record at his last known post office address or by publishing the notice in a newspaper of national circulation. The notice shall state the place, date and hour of the meeting, and the purpose or purposes for which the meeting is called. In case of special meetings, only matters stated in the notice can be the subject of motions or deliberations at such meeting, but may be waived, expressly or impliedly by any stockholder, in person, or by proxy, before or after the meeting.

When the meeting of stockholders is adjourned to another time or place, it shall not be necessary to give any notice of the adjourned meeting if the time and place to which the meeting is adjourned are announced at the meeting at which the adjournment is taken. At the reconvened meeting, any business may be transacted that might have been transacted on the original date of the meeting.

Section 5. Quorum - Unless otherwise provided by law, in all regular or special meetings of stockholders, a majority of the outstanding capital stock must be present or represented in order to constitute a quorum. If no quorum is constituted, the meeting shall be adjourned until the requisite amount of stock shall be present.

Section 6. Conduct of Business - Meetings of the stockholders shall be presided over by the Chairman of the Board, or in his absence the Vice-Chairman of the Board, or in his absence, the President, or if none of the foregoing is in office and present and acting, by a chairman to be chosen by the stockholders. The Secretary or in his absence, the Assistant Secretary, shall act as Secretary of every meeting, but if neither the Secretary nor Assistant Secretary is present, the Chairman of the meeting shall appoint a secretary of the meeting.

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The Chairman of the meeting may adjourn the meeting from time to time, without notice other than announced at the meeting.

Section 7. *Manner of Voting* - At all meetings of stockholders, a stockholder may vote in person or by proxy executed in writing by the stockholders or his duly authorized attorney-in-fact. Unless otherwise provided in the proxy, it shall be valid only for the meeting at which it has been presented to the secretary.

All proxies must be in the hands of the secretary not later than ten (10) days before the time set for the meeting. Such proxies filed with the Secretary may be revoked by the stockholders either in an instrument in writing duly presented and recorded with the Secretary at least three (3) days prior to a scheduled meeting or by their personal presence at the meeting. The decision of the secretary on the validity of proxies shall be final and binding until set aside by a court of competent jurisdiction.

Section 8. *Closing of Transfer Books or Fixing of Record Date* - For the purpose of determining the stockholders entitled to notice of, or to vote at, any meeting of stockholders or any adjournment thereof, or to receive payment of any dividend, or of making a determination of stockholders for any other proper purpose, the Board of Directors may provide that the Stock and Transfer Books be closed for a stated period, but not to exceed, in any case, twenty five (25) days. If the Stock and Transfer Books be closed for the purpose of determining stockholders entitled to notice of, or to vote at, a meeting of stockholders, such Books shall be closed for at least ten (10) working days immediately preceding such meeting. In lieu of closing the stock and transfer books, the Board of Directors may fix in advance a date as the record date for any such determination of stockholders. Such date shall in no case be more than twenty five (25) days prior to the date on which the particular action requiring such determination of stockholders is to be taken, except in instances where applicable rules and regulations provide otherwise. (As amended at the meeting of the Board of Directors and stockholders held on December 16, 2004)

ARTICLE III

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Section 1. *Powers of the Board* - Unless otherwise provided by law, the corporate powers of the Corporation shall be exercised, all business conducted and all property of the Corporation controlled and held by the Board of Directors to be elected by and from among the stockholders. Without prejudice to such general powers and such other powers as may be granted by law, the Board of Directors shall have the following powers:

- a) From time to time, to make and change rules and regulations not inconsistent with these by-laws, for the management of the Corporation's business and affairs;
- b) To purchase, receive, take or otherwise acquire in any lawful manner, for and in the name of the Corporation, any and all properties, rights, interest or privileges, including securities and bonds of other corporations, as the transaction of the business of the Corporation may reasonably or necessarily require, for such consideration and upon such terms and conditions as the Board may deem proper or convenient.

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- c) To invest the funds of the Corporation in another corporation or business or for any other purpose other than those for which the corporation was organized, whenever in the judgment of the Board of Directors, the interests of the Corporation would thereby be promoted, subject to such stockholders' approval as may be required by law.
- d) To incur such indebtedness as the Board may deem necessary and, for such purpose, to make and issue evidence of such indebtedness including, without limitation, notes, deeds of trust, instruments, bonds, debentures, or securities, subject to such stockholders' approval as may be required by law, and/or pledge, mortgage, or otherwise encumber all or part of the properties and rights of the corporation;
- e) To guarantee, for and in behalf of the Corporation, obligations of other corporations or entities in which it has lawful interest;
- f) To make provisions of the discharge of the obligations of the Corporation as they mature, including payment therefor in property, or in stocks, bonds, debentures, or other securities of the Corporation lawfully issued for the purpose.
- g) To impose conditions, as the Board may deem convenient, subject to the limitations prescribed by law, regarding the transfer of shares issued in total or partial payment of debts contracted or properties acquired by, or services rendered to the corporation;
- h) To sell, lease, exchange, assign, transfer or otherwise dispose of any property, real or personal, belonging to the Corporation whenever in the Board's judgment, the corporation's interest would thereby be promoted;
- i) To establish pension, retirement, bonus, profit-sharing, or other types of incentives/compensation plans for the employees, including officers and directors of the Corporation and determine the persons to participate in any such plans and the amount of their respective participations;
- j) To prosecute, maintain, defend, compromise or abandon any lawsuit in which the Corporation or its officers are either plaintiffs or defendants in connection with the business of the Corporation, and likewise, to grant installments for the payments or settlements of whatsoever debts or payments made to the Corporation;
- k) To delegate, from time to time, any of the powers of the Board which may lawfully be delegated in the course of the current business or businesses of the Corporation to any standing or special committee or to any officer or agent and to appoint any persons to be agents of the Corporation with such powers (including the power to sub-delegate), and upon such terms, as may be deemed fit;

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- 1) To implement these by-laws and to act on any matter not covered by these By-Laws, provided such matter does not require the approval or consent of the stockholders under any existing law, rules or regulation.

Section 2. *Election and Term* - The Board of Directors shall be elected during each regular meeting of stockholders and shall hold office for one (1) year and until their successors are elected and qualified.

Section 3. *Vacancies* - Any vacancy occurring in the Board of Directors other than by removal by the stockholders or by expiration of term, may be filled by the vote of at least a majority of the remaining directors, if still constituting a quorum; otherwise, the vacancy must be filled by the stockholders at a regular or at any special meeting of stockholders called for the purpose. A director so elected to fill a vacancy shall be elected only for the unexpired term of his predecessor in office.

Any directorship to be filled by reason of an increase in the number of directors shall be filled only by an election at a regular or at a special meeting of stockholders duly called for the purpose, or in the same meeting authorizing the increase of directors if so stated in the notice of the meeting.

The vacancy resulting from the removal of a director by the stockholders in the manner provided by law may be filled by election at the same meeting of stockholders without further notice, or at any regular or at any special meeting of stockholders called for the purpose, after giving notice as prescribed in these by-laws.

Section 4. *Meetings* - Regular meetings of the Board of Directors shall be held on the third Monday of each month or on such dates and at such times and places as the Chairman of the Board, or in his absence, the President, or upon the request of a majority of the directors and shall be held at such places as may be designated in the notice.

Section 5. *Notice* - Notice of the regular or special meeting of the Board, specifying the date, time and place of the meeting shall be communicated by the Secretary to each director personally, or by telephone, telex, telegram, facsimile transmission or by written or oral message. A director may waive this requirement, either expressly or impliedly.

Section 6. *Quorum* - A majority of the number of directors as fixed in the Articles of Incorporation shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of corporate business, and every decision of at least a majority of the directors present at a meeting at which there is a quorum shall be valid as a corporate act, except for the election of officers which shall require the vote of a majority of all the members of the Board.

Section 7. *Conduct of the Meetings* - Meetings of the Board of Directors shall be presided over by the Chairman of the Board, or in his absence, the Vice-Chairman of the Board, or in his absence, the President, or if none of the foregoing is in office and present and acting, by any other director chosen by the Board. The Secretary, or in his absence, the Assistant Secretary, shall act as secretary of every meeting, but if neither the Secretary nor an Assistant Secretary is present, the Chairman of the meeting shall appoint a secretary of the meeting.

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Section 8. *Compensation* - By resolution of the Board, each director shall receive a reasonable per diem allowance for his attendance at each meeting of the Board. as compensation, the Board may allocate and receive an amount of not more than ten percent (10%) of the net income before income tax of the corporation during the preceding year, such compensation shall be determined and apportioned among the directors in such manner as the Board may deem proper, subject to the approval of stockholders representing at least a majority of the outstanding capital stock at a regular or special meeting of the stockholders.

Section 9. *Executive Committee* - The Board may create an executive committee of such number as the Board shall determine who shall hold office for one (1) year and/or until their respective successors shall be designated, provided that the majority of the executive committee shall be members of the Board. The executive committee shall adopt its own rules of procedure, and shall keep regular minutes of its proceedings. The executive committee shall, during the intervals between the meetings of the Board, possess and may exercise powers of the Board which can lawfully be delegated in the management and direction of the affairs of the corporation in all cases in which specific directions shall have not been given by the Board. All actions by the executive committee shall be reported to the Board at its meeting next succeeding such action, and shall be subject to revision and alteration by the Board, provided that no rights of third parties shall be affected by any such revision or alteration. (As amended at the meeting of the Board of Directors and stockholders held on December 16, 2004)

Section 10. *Audit Committee* - The Board is authorized to create an Audit Committee, composed of at least three (3) directors, at least one (1) of whom shall be an independent director. Each member of the Audit Committee shall have adequate understanding, at least, or competence at most, of the company's financial management systems and environment. The Audit Committee shall have the functions, powers and authorities as may be prescribed by the Board, or as provided in the Corporation's Manual of Corporate Governance, and as may be prescribed by applicable law and regulations. (As amended at the meeting of the Board of Directors and stockholders held on December 16, 2004)

Section 11. *Nominations Committee* - The Board is authorized to create a Nominations Committee composed of at least three (3) directors, one (1) of whom shall be an independent director. The Nomination Committee shall review and evaluate the qualifications of all persons nominated as Director.

The Nominations Committee shall conduct nominations and pre-screen the qualifications of candidates of independent directors in accordance with the Securities Regulation Code and such other rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Securities and Exchange Commission. It shall prescribe screening policies and parameters in the review of the qualifications of nominees for independent director/s. The Nominations Committee shall adopt procedures for the nomination, election and termination and or cessation of independent directors in conformity with law and applicable regulations.

The Nominations Committee shall have such other functions, powers and authorities as may be prescribed by the Board, and as may be prescribed by applicable law and regulations. (As amended at the meeting of the Board of Directors and stockholders held on December 16, 2004)

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Section 12. Compensation Committee – The Board is authorized to create a Compensation Committee composed of at least three (3) directors, one (1) of whom shall be an independent director. The Compensation Committee shall establish a formal and transparent procedure for developing a policy on executive remuneration and for fixing the remuneration packages of directors, and corporate officers, senior management, key personnel ensuring that compensation is consistent with the Corporation's culture, strategy and control environment. (As amended at the meeting of the Board of Directors and stockholders held on December 16, 2004)

Section 13. Other Board Committees – The Board may create such other board committees as it may consider necessary or advisable for the proper conduct and operation of the affairs of the corporation. The Board shall prescribe their respective powers and duties. Said committees shall be composed of such members and shall be of such number as the Board may determine. The Board may appoint non-directors as committee members, provided that the majority composition of any Board Committee shall be members of the board. The members of any committee created and appointed by the Board may be removed at any time by the Board and any vacancies in any such committee/s shall be filled by the Board. (As amended at the meeting of the Board of Directors and stockholders held on December 16, 2004)

ARTICLE IV

OFFICERS

Section 1. *Election/Appointment* - Immediately after their election, the Board of Directors shall formally organize by electing the Chairman, the President, the Treasurer, and the Secretary. At said meeting, the Board may also appoint a Vice-Chairman, an Executive Vice-President, a Manager, one or more Vice-Presidents, Assistant Vice- Presidents, Assistant Treasurer and Assistant Secretary, all of whom need not be directors of the corporation and who shall referred to as by-laws officers. The Board may, from time to time, appoint such other officers as it may determine to be necessary or proper. Any two (2) or more positions may be held concurrently by the same person, except that no one shall act as President and Treasurer or Secretary at the same time.

Section 2. *Chairman of the Board* - The Chairman of the Board of Directors shall preside at the meetings of the directors and the stockholders. He shall also exercise such powers and perform such duties as the Board of Directors may assign to him.

Section 3. *Vice-Chairman* - If a Vice-Chairman of the Board is appointed, he shall preside at the meetings of the directors and of the stockholders, in the absence of the Chairman. He shall exercise such powers and perform such duties and functions as the Board of Directors may, from time to time, assign to him.

Section 4. *President* - The President, who shall be a director, shall be the Chief Executive Officer of the corporation and shall also have administration and direction of the day-to-day business affairs of the corporation. He shall exercise the following functions:

- a) To preside at the meetings of the Board of Directors and of the stockholders in the absence of the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of the Board of Directors;

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- b) To initiate and develop corporate objectives and policies and formulate long range projects, plans and programs for the approval of the Board of Directors, including those for executive training, development and compensation;
- c) To have general supervision and management of the business affairs and property of the corporation;
- d) To ensure that the administrative and operational policies of the Corporation are carried out under his supervision and control;
- e) Subject to restrictions imposed by law, to appoint remove, suspend or discipline employees of the corporation, prescribe their duties, and determine their salaries;
- f) To oversee the preparation of the budgets and the statements of accounts of the corporation;
- g) To prepare such statements and reports of the corporation as may be required of him by law;
- h) To represent the corporation at legal proceedings whether judicial, administrative or otherwise and to delegate this power to any person as he may deem fit;
- i) To execute on behalf of the corporation all contracts, agreements and other instruments affecting the interests of the Corporation which require the approval of the Board of Directors;
- j) To make reports to the Board of Directors and stockholders;
- k) To sign certificates of stock;
- l) To perform such other duties as are incident to his office or are entrusted to him by the Board of Directors;

The President may assign the exercise or performance of any of the foregoing powers, duties and functions to any other officer(s), subject always to his supervision and control.

Section 5. *The Executive Vice-President* - In the absence or disability of the President, and if an Executive Vice-President is appointed and is qualified, the Executive Vice-President shall act in his place, exercise his powers and perform such duties as the by-laws provide. The Executive Vice-President shall also exercise such powers and perform such duties as the Board or the President may assign to him.

Section 6. *The Manager/Vice-President(s)* - If a Manager or one or more Vice-Presidents are appointed, he/they shall have such powers and shall perform such duties as may from time to time be assigned to him/them by the Board of Directors or by the President.

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Section 7. *The Secretary* - The Secretary must be a resident and a citizen of the Philippines. He shall be the custodian of and shall maintain the corporate books and record and shall be the recorder of the Corporation's formal actions and transactions. He shall have the following specific powers and duties:

- a) To record or see to the proper recording of the minutes and transactions of all meetings of the directors and the stockholders and to maintain minute books of such meetings in the form and manner required by law.
- b) To keep or cause to be kept record books showing the details required by law with respect to the stock certificates of the corporation, including ledgers and transfer books showing all shares of the corporation subscribed, issued and transferred.
- c) To keep the corporate seal and affix it to all papers and documents requiring a seal, and to attest by his signature all corporate documents requiring the same;
- d) To attend to the giving and serving of all notices of the Corporation required by law or these by-laws to be given;
- e) To certify to such corporate acts, countersign corporate documents or certificates, and make reports or statements as may be required of him by law or by government rules and regulations;
- f) To act as the inspector at the election of directors and, as such, to determine the number of shares of stock outstanding and entitled to vote, the shares of stock represented at the meeting, the existence of a quorum, the validity and effect of proxies, and to receive votes, ballots or consents, hear and determine all challenges and questions arising in connection with the right to vote, count and tabulate all votes, ballots or consents, determine the result, and do such acts as are proper to conduct the election or vote. The Secretary may assign the exercise or performance of any or all of the foregoing duties, powers and functions to any other person or persons, subject always to his supervision and control;
- g) To perform such other duties as are incident to his office or as may be assigned to him by the Board of Directors or the President.

Section 8. *The Assistant Secretary* - In the absence or disability of the Secretary, the Assistant Secretary shall act in his place and perform his duties. The Secretary may, subject always to his supervision and control, delegate any or all of his powers, duties and functions to the Assistant Secretary. The Assistant Secretary shall also perform such other duties as may, from time to time, be assigned to him by the Board of Directors or the President.

Section 9. *The Treasurer* - The Treasurer of the corporation shall be its chief fiscal officer and the custodian of its funds, securities and property. The Treasurer shall have the following duties:

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- a) To keep full and accurate accounts of receipts and disbursements in the Books of the Corporation;
- b) To have custody of, and be responsible for, all the funds, securities and bonds of the Corporation;
- c) To deposit in the name and to the credit of the Corporation, in such banks as may be designated from time to time by the Board of Directors, all the moneys, funds, securities, bonds and similar valuable effects belonging to the corporation which may come under his control;
- d) To render an annual statement showing the financial condition of the Corporation and such other financial reports as the Board of Directors, the Chairman, or the President may, from time to time require;
- e) To prepare such financial reports, statements, certifications and other documents which may, from time to time, be required by government rules and regulations and to submit the same to the proper government agencies;
- f) To exercise such powers and perform such duties and functions as may be assigned to him by the President.

Section 10. *The Assistant Treasurer* - In the absence of the Treasurer, the Assistant Treasurer shall act in his place and perform his duties. The Treasurer may, at his request or in his disability, delegate any or all of his powers, duties and functions to the Assistant Treasurer. The Assistant Treasurer shall also perform such other duties as may from time to time be assigned to him by the President.

Section 11. *Term of Office* - The term of office of all officers shall be for a period of one (1) year and until their successors are duly elected and qualified. Such officers may however be sooner removed for cause.

Section 12. *Vacancies* - If any of the offices becomes vacant by reason of death, resignation, failure to qualify, disqualification or for any other cause, the Board of Directors, by majority vote may elect a successor who shall hold office for the unexpired term.

Section 13. *Compensation* - The By-laws officers shall receive such remuneration as the Board of Directors may determine. All other officers shall receive such remuneration as the Board of Directors may determine upon recommendation of the President. A director shall not be precluded from serving the corporation in any other capacity as an officer, agent or otherwise, and receiving compensation therefore.

ARTICLE V

INDEMNIFICATION OF DIRECTORS AND OFFICERS

Section 1. The Corporation shall indemnify every director or officer, his heirs, executors and administrators against all costs and expenses reasonably incurred by such person in connection with any civil, criminal, administrative or investigative action, suit or proceeding (other than an action by the corporation) to which he may be, or is, made a party

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by reason of his being or having been a director or officer of the corporation, except in relation to matters as to which he shall be finally adjudged in such action, suit or proceeding to be liable for negligence or misconduct.

In the event of a settlement or compromise, indemnification shall be provided only in connection with such matters covered by the settlement as to which the Corporation is advised by counsel that the person to be indemnified did not commit a breach of duty as such director or officer. The amount payable by way of indemnity shall be determined and paid only pursuant to a resolution adopted by a majority of the members of the Board of Directors.

The costs and expenses incurred in defending the aforementioned action, suit or proceeding may be paid by the corporation in advance of the final disposition of such action, suit or proceeding as authorized in the manner provided for in the preceding paragraph upon receipt of an undertaking by or on behalf of the director or officer to repay such amount unless it shall ultimately be determined that he is entitled to be indemnified by the corporation as authorized in this Article.

ARTICLE VI

OFFICES

Section 1. *Offices* - The principal office of the Corporation shall be located in METRO MANILA, Philippines. The corporation may have such other branch offices, either within or outside the Philippines as the Board of Directors may designate or as the business of the corporation may, from time to time, require.

ARTICLE VII

AUDIT OF BOOKS, FISCAL YEAR AND DIVIDENDS

Section 1. *External Auditors* - At the regular stockholders' meeting, the external auditor or auditors of the corporation for the ensuing year shall be appointed. The external auditor or auditors shall examine, verify and report on the earnings and expenses of the corporation and shall certify the remuneration of the external auditor or auditors as determined by the Board of Directors.

Section 2. *Fiscal Year* - The fiscal year of the Corporation shall begin on the first day of January and end on the last day of December of each year.

Section 3. *Dividends* - Dividends shall be declared and paid out of the unrestricted retained earnings which shall be payable in cash, property, or stock to all stockholders on the basis of outstanding stock held by them, as often and at such times as the Board of Directors may determine and in accordance with law and applicable rules and regulations.

ARTICLE VIII

AMENDMENTS

Section 1. These By-laws may be amended or repealed by the affirmative vote of at least a majority of the Board of Directors and the stockholders representing a majority of the outstanding capital stock at any stockholders' meeting called for that purpose. However, the power to amend, modify, repeal or adopt new by-laws may be delegated to the Board of Directors by the affirmative vote of stockholders representing not less than two-thirds of the outstanding capital stock, provided, however, that any such delegation of powers to the Board of Directors to amend, repeal or adopt new by-laws may be revoked only by the vote of the stockholders representing a majority of the outstanding capital stock at a regular or special meeting.

ARTICLE IX

SEAL

Section 1. Form and Inscription –The corporate seal shall be determined by the Board of Directors.

The foregoing by-laws were adopted by all the stockholders of the Corporation on the 29th day of December 1992 at the principal office of the Corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, We, the undersigned stockholders present at said meeting and voting thereat in favor of the adoption of said by-laws, have hereunto subscribed our names this 29th day of December 1992 at Makati, Metro Manila.

(SGD) SIXTO S. OROSA III

(SGD) EDWARD F. DURKEE

(SGD) JOSUE A. CAMBA, JR

(SGD) RUBEN M. GAN

(SGD) ARTHUR R. PONSARAN

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SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

I, **ARSENIO A. ALFILER, JR.**, of legal age, Filipino and with office address at 31st Floor, Unit 3104 Antel Global Corporate Center, Julia Vargas Avenue, Pasig City, after having been duly sworn to in accordance with laws, do hereby depose and say that:

1. I am the duly elected and qualified Corporate Secretary of **FORUM PACIFIC INC.**, a corporation organized and existing under and by virtue of the laws of the Philippines, with registered address at 35th Floor One Corporate Center, Julia Vargas Avenue, Pasig City;
2. To the best of my knowledge, no action, or proceeding has been filed or is pending before any Court involving an intra-corporate dispute and/or claim by any person or group against the Board of Directors, individual directors and/or major corporate officers of the Corporation as its duly elected and/or appointed directors or officers or vice versa; AND
3. I am executing this affidavit in compliance with the requirement of the Securities and Exchange Commission in the amendment of the Articles of Incorporation of the Corporation.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto set our hands this OCT 02 2024 day of PASIG CITY 2024, at _____ City, Philippines.

arsenio a. alfiler, jr.
ARSENIO A. ALFILER, JR.
Corporate Secretary
TIN - 108-640-743

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this OCT 02 2024 in PASIG CITY, affiant exhibiting to me her TIN 108-640-743 issued by the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

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