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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE

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ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 17 OF THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE AND SECTION 141 OF CORPORATION CODE OF THE PHILIPPINES

1. 2. 3.	For the Year ended <u>December 31, 2023</u> SEC Identification Number <u>AS 094-8752</u> BIR Tax Identification No. <u>004-817-595</u>	
4	Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter	EVER- GOTESCO RESOURCES & HOLDINGS, INC.
5.	Philippines Province country code or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization	(SEC Use Only) Industry Classification Code:
7.		
	3/F Manila Real Residences 1129 J. Nativid Ermita Manila	dad Lopez St. 1000
-	Address of registrant's principal office	Postal Code
8.	8254- 1111 loc. 7177	
-	Issuers telephone number, including area	
9.	Former name, former address and former fisc Former Address: 12F Gotesco Corp. Center	
0.	Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 ar	nd 12 of the SRC, or Sec. and 8 of the RSA
	Title of Each Class	No. of Shares of Common and amount of debt outstanding
	Common Stock, ₱1.00 par value	5,000,000,000
	Amount of Debt as of December 31, 2023	₱674 Million
1.	Are any or all of these securities listed on a S Yes [✓] No []	tock Exchange?
	If yes, state the name of such stock exchange	e and the classes of
	securities listed therein: Philippine Stock Exe	change
2.	Indicate by check mark whether the registrant	::
	(a) Has filed all reports required to be fi	iled by Section 17 of the SRC and SRC Rule 17

Yes [✓] No []

thereunder or Section 11 of the RSA and RSA Rule 11(a)-1 thereunder, and Sections 26 and 141 of The Corporation Code of the Philippines during the preceding twelve (12)

months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such report);

	Yes [✓] No []
13.	Aggregate market value of voting stocks held by non-affiliate − ₱ 3,226,898,005
14.	Check whether the issuer has filed all documents and reports required to be filed by Section 17 of the Code subsequent to the distribution of securities under a plan confirmed by a court or the commission.
15.	Yes [✓] No [] There are no documents that are incorporated by reference in this SEC Form 17-A.

(b) Had been subject to such filing requirements for the past ninety (90) days.

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PART 1 - BUSINESS

ITEM 1. Description of Business.

(1) Business Development

The Company was registered with the Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on September 27, 1994 primarily to purchase, subscribe for, or otherwise acquire or exchange, or otherwise dispose of real and personal property of any kind of description, including shares of stock, and to do every act and thing covered generally by the denomination "holding company". The Company started its commercial operations on December 1, 1995.

The Company owns 100% of the outstanding capital stock of Gotesco Tyan Ming Development, Inc. (GTMDI).

On December 15, 2021, the Group acquired the net assets of Agriwave Inc. (formerly Agriwave Organic Inc.) and. Everwoods Management and Development Inc. (EMDI, formerly 3-J Development Corp.) to manage the agri- businesses and eco-agri tourism.

(2) Business of Issuer

(a) Description of Registrant Products

EGRHI used to build shopping malls and leased them out to commercial tenants. However, with the fierce competition and the pandemic that has severely affected the industry, the management has shifted its directions towards more resilient revenue sources. In 2022, the Company disclosed to the public the plans to engage in bamboo farming and production in its landholdings in Cebu. The project in Cebu, called Bambusay, will involve a Bamboo Park and a multitude of recreational facilities which will showcase activities that are sustainable and structures that will be working with nature.

During the second half of 2022, the Company has hired professionals from different fields for the master planning and the pre-feasibility studies of Project Bambusay. The masterplan was completed in December 2023.

As the Company further introspect on its strengths and analyze the prevailing market, it decided to pivot the focus to the attractions industry. While the tourism sector hit a downfall during the pandemic years, along with most industries, its potentials for higher growth trajectory remains. This strategic shift is guided by the Company's commitment to innovation and in giving unique and immersive entertainment as the Company seeks to explore new opportunities for revenue generation and market expansion.

In response to evolving market trends and changing consumer preferences, the Company shall spearhead a diverse array of location-based entertainment facilities and services, encompassing amusement parks, theme parks, family entertainment centers, and experiential learnings within the Philippines. Bamboo farming is still in the Masterplan of the business and will be strategically positioned in some parts of the lands in Cebu as part of its attractions and preservation of ecological

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balance. EGRHI believes that the attractions industry presents significant opportunities for revenue diversification and long-term growth which shall give funding for other future endeavors of the Company and reasonable returns to its shareholders.

Meanwhile, Agriwave Inc. is engaged in real estate and agricultural production.

On the other hand, Everwoods Management and Development Inc. is likewise engaged in real estate and operation of leisure facilities. It has signed a lease contract with Majestic Plus Holding Int'l. Inc. in January 2022 to operate the Forest Crest Nature Resort and is intended to position the 17-hectare leisure complex into an eco-tourism hub integrated with an appreciation of agricultural processes. EMDI temporarily assigned its management rights to Forest Crest Nature Hotel and Resort Inc. until 2024. During the assignment period, EMDI bills management fee to Forest Crest.

Competition

As Filipinos desire for more outdoor activities for good health, EGRHI is pursuing the attractions industry. The need for experiences that appeal to families looking to spend quality time together is driving the growth and health of the family entertainment sector. With an emphasis on experience spending and shifting consumer tastes, EGRHI has a great chance to take market share by providing distinctive and interesting attractions that appeal to a wide range of family demographics.

For Agriwave, there is a huge market for agricultural products, food being a basic necessity, which was highlighted when the pandemic struck. Sufficiency of food supply from within the local economy is seen as an advantage when shipments from offshore sources was constricted due to quarantine policies of many countries. This opens opportunities for bigger scale agro-industrial production which Agriwave will take advantage of.

Customers

EGRHI's target market includes families with children of all ages, from toddlers to teens, as well as extended family groups. EGRHI also aims to attract visitors and tourists who are looking for things to do while traveling and unique experiences.

Meanwhile, Agriwave sees the general public in the National Capital Region and those in CALABARZON as primary customers for agricultural produce.

Transactions with and/or dependence on related parties

The company and its subsidiaries had some cash advances from related parties as disclosed in the audited financial statements.

Patents, trademarks, licenses, franchises, concessions and royalty agreements.

During the past three years the Company and its subsidiaries had no transactions related to the above.

Need for any governmental approval of principal products or services

No principal product or services that the Company has introduced needed that governmental approval.

Effects of existing or probable governmental regulations on the business

Aside from the strict implementation of quarantine procedures in the past three years which has directly affected the generated revenues, the Company and its subsidiaries are not aware of any material effect of government regulations on their respective businesses.

Amount spent for research and development activities.

In preparation to the Company's development activities, the following studies were made on the lands owned by the Company in Malubog, Cebu City:

	Cost
Topographic Survey	₽ 850,000
Geohazard Study	400,000
Total	₽ 1,250,000

The geohazard study is still in progress as of December 31, 2023.

Cost and effects of compliance with environmental laws

EGRHI and its subsidiaries meet all government, environment, health and safety requirements.

Employees

EGRHI and subsidiaries have the following manpower under its payroll:

Executiv	<u>2023</u>	2022	2021
e	0	0	1
Manager	2	2	1
Officer	0	0	0
Rank and File	5	9	11
Total	7	11	13
Administrative	0	0	0
Operations	5	9	11
Finance and Accounting	2	2	2
Total	7	11	13

Employees of the Company and its subsidiaries have not formed nor are they subject to any collective bargaining agreements (CBA). Wage increases are based from the legislated wage orders or based on meritorious work performances.

(b) Additional Requirements as to Certain Issues or Issuers Debt Issues

EGRHI has been in business since 1995. Total consolidated net worth as of December 31, 2023 amounted to ₱3.08 billion. EGRHI does not engage in unsecured bonds or securities.

ITEM 2. Description of Property

Land

Land holdings of EGRHI and subsidiaries as of December 31, 2023 include:

- 1. Eleven (11) parcels of land owned by EGRHI with a total area of 796,275 square meters, more or less, situated in the barrios of Babag and Malubog, City of Cebu. These lots were acquired by EGRHI as settlement of its receivables from various affiliates in the latter part of 2021.
- 2. Two (2) parcels of land owned by GTMDI with a total area of 49,731 square meters, more or less, situated in the barrios of Babag and Malubog, City of Cebu. These lots were also acquired by GTMDI as partial settlement of its receivables from an affiliate in the latter part of 2021.

Properties under lease agreements

Subsidiaries have the following lease agreements as of December 31, 2023:

- 1. A three-year contract of lease was entered into by EMDI commencing on December 16, 2021 for parcels of land together with building and improvements located at Km. 72, Nasugbu, Batangas, known as the Forest Crest Nature Hotel and Resort.
- 2. Agriwave Inc. also has existing contract of lease commencing on December 16, 2021 for parcels of land and improvements located at Km. 72, Nasugbu, Batangas.

ITEM 3. Legal Proceedings

Garnishment of Cash and Receivables - Bangko Sental ng Pilipinas (BSP) vs. Orient Commercial Banking Corporation

The Company and its subsidiary company together with other affiliated companies were served a "Notice of Garnishment on Lease/Rental Payments" issued by the Regional Trial Court of Manila Branch 1 2, 1 a s t January 27, 2000 in relation to a civil case complaint by the Bangko Sentral ng Pilipinas.

In summary, the BSP filed a case of sum of money against Orient Commercial Banking Corporation (OCBC) and other affiliate corporations of Gotesco. As a provisional remedy, BSP prayed for the granting of a writ of preliminary attachment against OCBC and other companies to which the Board of Directors of OCBC has substantial interest, including EGRHI and GTMDI, which the Court granted. OCBC, EGRHI, GTMDI and other companies filed a Petition for Certiorari with the Court of Appeals which ruled in favor of OCBC and other defendants. BSP filed a Petition before the Supreme Court, but before it could rule on it, the parties entered into a Compromise Agreement which was consequently, approved by the trial Court. Said Compromise Agreement has effectively lifted the writ of preliminary attachment and the whole obligation shall be settled on staggered basis.

BSP filed a motion for execution which was granted by the RTC. EGRHI et. al., filed a Motion for reconsideration but was denied.

EGRHI et. al., elevated the case to the Court of Appeals which was eventually denied with finality.

National Grid Corporation of the Philippines v. Ever-Gotesco Resources and Holdings, Inc. (EGRHI), et al. Special Civil Action No. R-CEB-22-0241-SC

For: Expropriation with Urgent Prayer for Issuance of Writ of Possession

On February 9, 2023, Summons with a copy of the Amended Complaint was served on the representatives of EGRHI on the matter of expropriation filed by the NGCP against the corporation and various named individuals. The properties involve some lands owned by EGRHI in Brgys. Malubog and Babag, Cebu City beside the Kang-Irag Golf Course.

NGCP contends that there is a need to construct a transmission system through the properties of EGRHI. It stated that the undertaking is for public use and it is part of the Cebu-Magdugo 230kV Transmission Line, a component of the Cebu-Negros-Panay 230kV Backbone Stage 3.

NGCP intends to expropriate portions of six (6) parcels land owned by EGRHI, which portions amount to 48,908 square meters.

The handling counsel for EGRHI filed a Motion for Extension of Time to File Answer. The motion was granted by the lower court, giving EGRHI until April 10, 2023 to file the necessary pleading.

In the answer of EGRHI, the Company admitted that the expropriation case is proper, however, EGRHI, interposed opposition to the proposed amount of just compensation by NGCP. NGCP has alleged that the compensation for the lands is at ₱54,369,000 which was based on the current zonal value of the lands. This amount was already paid to and received by EGRHI.

The case is still pending with the court.

ITEM 4. Submission of Matters to a Vote of Security Holders

The latest Stockholders' meeting was held on August 29, 2023. In that Stockholders' Meeting, the following were submitted to a vote by the majority Stockholders:

- a. Approval of the Minutes of the Annual Stockholders' Meeting held on September 2, 2022.
- b. Approval of the Audited Financial Statements of the Company as of December 31, 2022.
- c. Election of the members of the Board of Directors
- d. Appointment of External Auditors
- e. Approval and ratification of all acts of the Board of Directors, standing committees, and management since the last annual meeting
- f. Other matters

PART 11 - OPERATIONAL AND FINANCIAL INFORMATION

ITEM 5. Market Price of and Dividends on Registrant's Common Equity and Relate Stockholder Matters

(1) Market Information

The principal market of the Company's common equity is the Philippine Stock Exchange. Below are the quarterly stock prices for the 1ast three years:

	2023	}	202	2	2021	
Quarter	High	Low	High	Low	High	Low
First	0.255	0.241	0.365	0.250	0.124	0.081
Second	0.242	0.232	0.325	0.240	0.740	0.095
Third	0.285	0.275	0.320	0.245	0.580	0.265
Fourth	0.290	0.275	0.285	0.243	0.410	0.290

The last trading date during the year was on December 29, 2023 of which price per share was at ₱0.29.

(2) Holders

The number of stockholders of record as of December 31, 2023 was 5,577, Common shares outstanding as of the same date total 5 billion at ₱1 par value per share. Listed below are the top twenty (20) stockholders as of December 31, 2023:

Stockholders	No. of Shares Held	% of O/S
1. CONSOLIDATED VENTURES, INC	1,592,000,00	31.84%
2. PCD NOMINEE CORPORATION (FILIPINO)	1,368,087,46	27.36%
3. GOTESCO PROPERTIES, INC.	1,069,235,00	21.38%
4. JOEL TING GO	238,672,598	4.77%
5. JOSE C. GO	227,820,000	4.56%
6. GOTESCO INVESTMENTS, INC.	105,000,000	2.10%
7. PCCI SECURITIES BROKERS CORP.	78,125,000	1.56%
8. JOHANN TING GO	65,000,000	1.30%
9. JONATHAN TING GO	65,000,000	1.30%
10. PCD NOMINEE CORPORATION (FOREIGN)	24,706,850	0.49%
11. ERNESTO B. LIM	12,050,000	0.24%
12. LI CHIH-HUI	10,000,000	0.20%
13. ZHENG YUAN MING	8,000,000	0.16%
14. ANTONIO KAW	7,700,000	0.15%
15. WANG BI LING	7,000,000	0.14%
16. QUI YI MAN	5,300,000	0.11%
17. SOLAR SECURITIES, INC.	2,800,000	0.06%
18. MENDOZA ALBERTO &/OR JEANIE C.	2,710,000	0.05%
19. ROSALIND O. DY	2,700,000	0.05%
20. EVELYN GO	2,371,315	0.05%
OTHERS	105,721,777	2.11%

(3) Dividends

Dividend Policy - 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.

Covenants - Under the syndicated loan agreements signed with their respective lenders, the Company and its subsidiary -GTMDI, shall not declare or pay any dividend to their respective stockholders without the written consent of their respective syndicate lenders until the termination of commitments there under and the full payments of debt obligations and other amounts due them.

Declaration of Dividend - The Company and its subsidiaries have not declared any dividend since the start of its commercial operation including the current year.

(4) Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities

The Company and its subsidiary company did not have any sale of securities which were not registered under the RSA since its operation. Likewise, there were no sales of reacquired securities, as well as new issues, securities issued in exchange for property, services, or other securities and new securities resulting from the modification of outstanding securities.

Item 6. Management's Discussion and Analysis or Plan of Operations

1. Plan of Operations

For the next 12 months, the Company will continue its endeavor to become a leading player in the attractions industry. The management shall progress in the detailing of the development plans so as to start the construction by the last quarter of the year.

In the meantime, the management contract of EGRHI with the subsidiaries shall continue throughout 2024 to finance the necessary expenses of the Company.

Agriwave shall focus on contract growing of high value crops and orchids growing. Agriwave shall also explore on the possibilities of tissue culture production of plants.

2. Management Discussion and Analysis.

Year 2023 vs. Year 2022

Cause for Material Changes from Period to Period of the Income Statement

Total consolidated revenues in 2023 amounted to ₱11.6 Million while ₱10.3 Million in 2021. The 13% increase in management fee revenue from the hotel operations of Forest Crest Nature Hotel and Resort and from the sales of agricultural products indicate that the tourism industry and the economy, in general, is recovering from the pandemic.

Direct costs amounted to \$\mathbb{P}\$5.3 Million and \$\mathbb{P}\$3.5 million in 2023 and 2022, respectively, which can be attributed to the labor costs, professional fees, supplies used in the farm, cost of orchids and other overhead expenses incurred by Agriwave and EGRHI.

General and Administrative expenses increased by 217% or by ₱17.4 million from ₱8.03 million in 2022 to ₱25.4 million in 2023. The increase is mainly attributed to the ₱17.2 million allowance for doubtful accounts recognized in the books of Agriwave for the related party receivables. As of December 2023, the related party has no operations which triggered the recognition of allowance for doubtful accounts.

A big amount of expenses of EGRHI is due to the fees of professionals hired by the group in preparation for the upcoming projects. The Agriwave farm has also conducted rehabilitation works.

On the other hand, interest expense decreased by 10% as a result of the compromise settlement of the Company's long outstanding loan with the lender bank from ₱2.7 million in 2022 to ₱2.5 million in 2023.

Other income is the gain in fair market value of the lands in Malubog, Cebu City. As the lands are booked as investment properties in EGRHI, the Company hires an independent appraiser each year- end to determine the updated fair market value of the property. The increase in the fair market value of the lands is 85 million in 2023 and \$551.6 million in 2022.

In 2023, the operations of the group resulted to a net income of ₱63 million, while net income for the year 2022 amounted to ₱547 million.

Cause for material Changes from Period to Period of the Balance Sheet

Aside from the preparations being conducted by the group for the finalization of details of the upcoming projects, EGRHI also points toward improving its working capital and cleaning up the balance sheet accounts. EGRHI started this exercise in 2021 through the Dacion En Pago transaction, and the application for Quasi- reorganization with the Securities and Exchange Commission in 2022.

The major changes in the balance sheet in 2023 are due to the transactions made to further improve the financial position of the Company. There were also material changes brought by the expropriation case filed by NGCP against EGRHI.

Current Assets

While the just compensation for the expropriation case is still being determined in the court, the NGCP has paid EGRHI the amount of \$\mathbb{P}\$54,369,000.

This amount financed the expenses of EGRHI and its subsidiaries.

The ₱8.5 million in cash and cash equivalents in 2023 is the remaining cash from the NGCP proceeds.

The ₱10 million receivables in 2023 represents the Management Fee Receivable of EGRHI and EMDI from Forest Crest Nature Resort and Hotel Inc.

Non-Current Assets

The fair market value of the Cebu lands increased by ₱84.6 million based on the appraisal report of an independent appraiser in December 2023. A minimal increase amounting to ₱133 thousand was recorded in the property and equipment due to the farm equipment purchased by Agriwave during the year.

EGRHI bought parcels of land in Malubog, Cebu City worth ₱ 9.8 million to be paid by EGRHI in 12 months starting June 2023 up to June 2024. The installment payments are initially recorded in the books as other current assets. Moreover, the advance payments made to the contractor of Agriwave for the construction of the drip irrigation is also booked in the books of Agriwave as other current assets. As a result, the other current assets increased by ₱15 million.

Current Liabilities

Accounts payable and other liabilities decreased by 95% or ₱531 million due to the assignment of the current liabilities to select stockholders.

Noncurrent Liabilities

The decrease in the bank loan resulted from the monthly payment in compliance to the Compromise Agreement with the lender bank.

The increase in Accounts Payable is the installment payable transactions paid by the Group in behalf of a related party.

The increase in the due to related parties is caused by the transfer of payables to the stockholders. All of the related parties agreed not to collect from EGRHI group until the Companies have the capacity to pay. Some of the stockholders shall convert the receivables from EGRHI group to "Deposit for Future Subscription".

An estimate of the provision is based on known information at of reporting period, net of any estimated amount that may be reimbursed to the Group. The amount of provision is being reassessed at least on an annual basis to consider new relevant information. Provisions amounted to ₱333.99 million and ₱347.21 million as at December 31, 2023 and 2022, respectively. Provisions are classified as noncurrent as the process of settlement of these liabilities may be made beyond 12 months.

The other noncurrent liabilities amounting to ₱54.4 million in 2023 represents the NGCP proceeds. The transaction is deemed as a forced sale transaction and since the just compensation is still being argued in the court, there is still no agreement and an arm's length sale transaction cannot be recorded yet. Instead, the NGCP proceeds are recorded as noncurrent liability which will be settled by EGRHI through a transfer of the land titles for the affected areas.

Stockholder's Equity

Total Equity decreased by ₱63 million. Total equity as of 2023 amounted to ₱3.08 billion.

FINANCIAL CONDITION

The working capital of the Company improved from negative ₱562.3 million to negative ₱19.9 million. The remaining liabilities shall be covered by the future operations of the group.

The current ratio increased from 0.02:1 in 2022 to 0.50:1 in 2023.

There are no material commitments in capital expenditures as of December 2023, other than those performed in the ordinary course of trade or business.

There are no other known trends, events, or uncertainties that have had or that are reasonably expected to have a material impact on the net sales, revenues or income from continuing operations.

The Group has no goods or services that are subject to seasonal changes, which might have a material effect on the financial condition or results of Group's operations.

Year 2022 vs. Year 2021

Cause for Material Changes from Period to Period of the Income Statement

Total consolidated revenues in 2022 amounted to ₱10.3 Million while ₱0.14 million in 2021. The increase during 2022 consists of the management fee revenue from the hotel operations of Forest Crest Nature Hotel and Resort and from the sales of agricultural products.

Direct costs amounted to \$\P\$3.5 Million and \$\P\$0.26 million in 2022 and 2021, respectively which can be attributed to the labor costs incurred by Agriwave and the security agency costs of EGRHI.

General and Administrative expenses increased by 194% or ₱5.3 million from ₱2.73 million in 2021 to ₱8.03 million in 2022. The increase is mainly attributed to the business permit of EGRHI, fees due to professionals hired by the group as well as the increase in the operating expenses of EGRHI and subsidiaries.

On the other hand, interest expense decreased by 62.5% as a result of the compromise settlement of the Company's long outstanding loan with the lender bank from ₱7.12 million in 2021 to ₱2.7 million in 2022.

Other income decreased from ₱2.16 billion in 2021 to 552 million in 2022. Other income in 2021 was due to the recovery of doubtful accounts amounting to ₱2.03 billion, gain on acquisition of property amounting to ₱23.6 million and gain on loan modification amounting to ₱258.99 million. Other income in 2022 was the gain in fair market value of the lands in Cebu, determined by an independent appraiser.

Year 2022 operations resulted to a net income of ₱547 million, while net income for the year 2021 amounted to ₱2.14 billion.

Cause for material Changes from Period to Period of the Balance Sheet

Current Assets

Current Assets increased by ₱5.2 million from ₱3.8 million in 2021 to ₱9 million in 2022 representing the cash and receivables derived from the operations.

Non-Current Assets

The fair market value of the Cebu lands increased by ₱551 million based on the appraisal report of an independent appraiser in December 2022. A minimal increase amounting to ₱11 thousand was recorded in property and equipment due to the purchase of equipment of Agriwave.

Current Liabilities

Current portion of bank loan to Land Bank decreased by 14% or ₱2.3 million from ₱16.3 million in 2021 to ₱13.9 million in 2022 due to the payment made in December 2022.

A compromise settlement of loan with the Land Bank of the Philippines resulting to a compromised amount of ₱73.0 million. Accordingly, portion of the loan amounting to ₱54.6 million was reclassified as non-current liability.

Accounts payable and other liabilities increased by 1.92% or ₱10.5 million due to the accrued expenses from operations of the companies and intercompany advances made to pay the second amortization to Land Bank and other material expenses of the Company like the settlement of Business Permit of EGRHI.

Noncurrent Liabilities

Total noncurrent liabilities increased by 2.17% or ₱1.17 million in 2022 due to the reclassification of bank loan from current to noncurrent.

Stockholder's Equity

Total Equity increased by ₱547 million mostly due to the gain on change of fair market value of the lands in Cebu.

FINANCIAL CONDITION

The operation of the subsidiaries coupled by the compromise settlement with the creditor bank resulted to the improvement in current ratio from 0.01:1 in 2021 to 0.02:1 in 2022. Moreover, debt to assets ratio also improved from 0.20:1 in 2021 to 0.17:1 in 2022.

There are no material commitments in capital expenditures to date other than those performed in the ordinary course of trade or business.

There are no other known trends, events, or uncertainties that have had or that are reasonably expected to have a material impact on the net sales, revenues or income from continuing operations.

The Group has no goods or services that are subject to seasonal changes, which might have a material effect on the financial condition or results of Group's operations.

Year 2021 vs. Year 2020

Cause for Material Changes from Period to Period of the Income Statement

Total consolidated revenues in 2021 amounted to ₱0.14 million while nil in 2020. The increase during 2021 consists of the revenue of the new subsidiary during the last half of December 2021. Direct costs amounted to ₱0.26 million and nil in 2021 and 2020, respectively which can also be attributed to the costs incurred by the subsidiary.

General and Administrative expenses increased by 24% or ₱0.54 million from ₱2.2 million in 2020 to ₱2.73 million in 2021. The increase is mainly attributed to the fees incurred for engaging professional services of third parties as well as the operating expenses of the subsidiary.

On the other hand, interest expense decreased by 41% as a result of the compromise settlement of the Company's long outstanding loan with the lender bank from ₱12 million in 2020 to ₱7.12 million in 2021.

Other income increased by ₱1.89 billion from ₱262.7 million in 2020 to ₱2.16 billion in 2021. The increase can be attributed to the recovery of doubtful accounts amounting to ₱2.03 billion, gain on acquisition of property amounting to ₱23.6 million and gain on loan modification amounting to ₱258.99 million in 2021.

Net income amounted to ₱2.14 billion and ₱248.48 million in 2021 and 2020, respectively.

Cause for material Changes from Period to Period of the Balance Sheet

Current Assets

Current Assets increased by ₱2.6 million from ₱1.2 million in 2020 to ₱3.8 million in 2021 representing the cash position of the new subsidiaries.

Non-Current Assets

Receivables decreased by 100% or ₱1.6 billion due to the recovery of outstanding receivables from affiliates thru *dacion en pago*. Consequently, the investment properties increased by ₱3.08 billion representing the value of properties received.

Current Liabilities

Current portion of bank loans decreased by 67% or ₱33.8 million from ₱50 million in 2020 to ₱16.3 million in 2021 due to the compromise settlement of loan with the Land Bank of the Philippines resulting to a compromised amount of ₱73.0 million. Accordingly, portion of the loan amounting to ₱53.4 million was reclassified as non-current liability.

Accounts payable and other liabilities also decreased by 55% or ₱680.5 million due to the extinguishment of payables from affiliate amounting to ₱443.5 million as part of the settlement thru real properties as well as the reversal of accrued interest on loans amounting to ₱258.9 million.

Total current liabilities decreased by 56% from ₱1.3 billion in 2020 to ₱0.56 billion in 2021.

Noncurrent Liabilities

Total noncurrent liabilities increased by 100% or ₱53.4 million in 2021 due the reclassification of bank loan from current to noncurrent.

Stockholder's Equity

Total Equity increased by ₱2.14 billion representing the net income generated during the year.

FINANCIAL CONDITION

The Company's effort in recovering its receivables coupled by the compromise settlement with the creditor bank resulted to the improvement in current ratio from 0:1 in 2020 to 0.01:1 in 2021. Moreover, debt to assets ratio also improved from 0.80:1 in 2020 to 0.20:1 in 2021.

There are no material commitments in capital expenditures to date other than those performed in the ordinary course of trade or business.

Other than government policies on quarantine procedures due to the pandemic, there are no other known trends, events, or uncertainties that have had or that are reasonably expected to have a material impact on the net sales, revenues or income from continuing operations.

The Group has no goods or services that are subject to seasonal changes, which might have a material effect on the financial condition or results of Group's operations.

Basis of Preparation

The consolidated financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis except for investment properties which are carried at fair value, and are presented in Philippine peso (Peso), which is the Group's functional and presentation currency. All values are rounded to the nearest peso, except when otherwise indicated.

Statement of Compliance

The financial statements are prepared in accordance with Philippine Financial Reporting Standards (PFRSs). The term PFRSs includes all applicable PFRSs, Philippine Accounting Standards (PAS) and interpretations issued by the Philippine Interpretations Committee and International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee (IFRIC) which have been approved by the Philippine Financial Reporting Standards Council (FRSC) and adopted by the Philippine SEC.

Basis of Consolidation

The consolidated financial statements comprise the financial statements of the Parent Company and its subsidiaries as at December 31, 2023 and 2022 and for each of the three years in the period ended December 31, 2023.

As at December 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021, the Parent Company's ownership over the foregoing subsidiaries and their respective nature of business are as follows:

	Country of	Nature of	Percentage of
	Incorporation	Business	ownership
GTMDI	Philippines	Mall operations	100%
EMDI	Philippines	Eco-tourism	100%
Agriwave	Philippines	Agriculture	100%

Subsidiaries are all entities over which the Parent Company or its subsidiary has control.

The consolidated financial statements are prepared using uniform accounting policies for like transactions and other events in similar circumstances. Adjustments, where necessary, are made to ensure consistency with the policies adopted by the Group.

The financial statements of the subsidiaries are prepared for the same end of reporting period as the Parent Company.

Inter-company transactions, balances and unrealized gains on transactions between group companies are eliminated. Unrealized losses are also eliminated but are considered as an impairment indicator of the assets transferred.

Changes in Accounting Policies and Disclosures

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year except that the Group has adopted the following new pronouncements starting January 1, 2023. The Group has not early adopted any standard, interpretation or amendment that has been issued but not yet effective. Unless otherwise indicated, the adoption of these pronouncements did not have any significant impact on the Group's financial position or performance.

• Amendments to Philippine Accounting Standard (PAS) 1, *Presentation of Financial Statements*, and PFRS Practice Statement 2, *Disclosure of Accounting Policies*

The amendments provide guidance and examples to help entities apply materiality judgements to accounting policy disclosures. The amendments aim to help entities provide accounting policy disclosures that are more useful by:

o Replacing the requirement for entities to disclose their 'significant' accounting policies with a requirement to disclose their 'material' accounting policies, and

o Adding guidance on how entities apply the concept of materiality in making decisions about accounting policy disclosures

The amendments to the Practice Statement provide non-mandatory guidance.

- Amendments to PAS 8, Accounting Policies, Changes in Accounting Estimates and Errors, Definition of Accounting Estimates
- Amendments to PAS 12, *Income Taxes*, *Deferred Tax related to Assets and Liabilities arising from a Single Transaction*
- Amendments to PAS 12, International Tax Reform Pillar Two Model Rules

New Accounting Standards, Interpretation and Amendments to Existing Standards

Pronouncements issued but not yet effective are listed below. The Group intends to adopt the following pronouncements when they become effective. Adoption of these pronouncements is not expected to have a significant impact on the Group's consolidated financial statements unless otherwise indicated.

Effective beginning on or after January 1, 2024

- Amendments to PAS 1, Classification of Liabilities as Current or Non-current
- Amendments to PFRS 16, Leases, Lease Liability in a Sale and Leaseback
- Amendments to PAS 7, *Statement of Cash Flows*, and PFRS 7, *Financial Instruments*, *Disclosures: Supplier Finance Arrangements*

Effective beginning on or after January 1, 2025

- PFRS 17, *Insurance Contracts*
- Amendments to PAS 21, The Effect of Changes in Foreign Exchange Rates, Lack of Exchangeability

Deferred effectivity

• Amendments to PFRS 10, Consolidated Financial Statements, and PAS 28, Sale or Contribution of Assets between an Investor and its Associate or Joint Venture

Material Accounting Policies

The significant accounting policies that have been used in the preparation of the consolidated financial statements are summarized below. These accounting policies have been consistently applied to all the years presented, unless otherwise stated.

Financial Instruments

Initial recognition and measurement

A financial instrument is any contract that gives rise to financial asset of one entity and a financial liability or equity instrument of another entity.

Financial assets are classified, at initial recognition, and subsequently measured at amortized cost, FVTOCI and FVTPL.

The classification of financial assets at initial recognition depends on the financial asset's contractual cash flow characteristics and the Group's business model for managing them. With the exception of trade receivables that do not contain significant financing component or for which the Group has applied the practical expedient, the Group initially measures a financial asset at fair value plus, in the case of a financial asset not at FVTPL, transaction costs.

In order for a financial asset to be classified and measured at amortized cost or FVTOCI, it needs to give rise to cash flows that are SPPI on the principal amount outstanding. This assessment is referred to as the SPPI test and is performed at an instrument level.

The Group's business model for managing financial assets refers to how it manages its financial assets in order to generate cash flows. The business model determines whether cash flows will result from collecting contractual cash flows, selling the financial assets, or both.

Subsequent measurement

For purposes of subsequent measurement, financial assets are classified in four categories:

- Financial assets at amortized cost (debt instruments)
- Financial assets at FVTOCI with recycling of cumulative gains and losses (debt instruments)
- Financial assets designated at FVTOCI with no recycling of cumulative gains and losses upon derecognition (equity instruments)
- Financial assets at FVTPL

The Group has no financial assets at FVTOCI with recycling of cumulative gains and losses (debt instruments), financial assets designated at FVTOCI with no recycling of cumulative gains and losses upon derecognition (equity instruments) and financial assets at FVTPL.

Financial assets at amortized cost (debt instruments)

This category is most relevant to the Group. The Group measures financial assets at amortized cost if both of the following conditions are met:

- The financial asset is held within a business model with the objective to hold financial assets in order to collect contractual cash flows, and
- The contractual terms of the financial asset give rise on specified dates to cash flows that are SPPI on the principal amount outstanding

Financial assets at amortized cost are subsequently measured using the effective interest (EIR) method and are subject to impairment. Gains and losses are recognized in profit or loss when the asset is derecognized, modified or impaired.

The Group's financial assets at amortized cost include cash, trade receivables and other receivables as at December 31, 2023 and 2022.

Impairment of financial assets

The Group recognizes an allowance for ECL for all debt instruments not held at fair value through profit or loss. ECLs are based on the difference between the contractual cash flows due in accordance with the contract and all the cash flows that the Group expects to receive, discounted at an approximation of the original effective interest rate. The expected cash flows will include cash flows from the sale of collateral held or other credit enhancements that are integral to the contractual terms.

For trade and other receivables, ECLs are recognized in two stages. For credit exposures for which there has not been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, ECLs are provided for credit losses that result from default events that are possible within the 12 months (a 12-month ECL). For those credit exposures for which there has been a significant increase in credit risk since initial recognition, a loss allowance is required for credit losses expected over the remaining life of the exposure, irrespective of timing of the default (a lifetime ECL).

The Group considers trade receivables in default when contractual payments are 90 days past due. However, in certain cases, the Group may also consider a financial asset to be in default when internal or external information indicates that the Group is unlikely to receive the outstanding contractual amounts in full before taking into account any credit enhancements held by the Group. A financial asset is written off when there is no reasonable expectation of recovering the contractual cash flows.

For cash, the Group applies the low credit risk simplification. The probability of default and loss given defaults are publicly available and are considered to be low credit risk investments. It is the Group's policy to measure ECLs on such instruments on a 12-month basis.

However, when there has been a significant increase in credit risk since origination, the allowance will be based on the lifetime ECL. To estimate the ECL, the Group uses the ratings published by a reputable rating agency.

Financial liabilities at amortized cost

This category pertain to financial liabilities that are not held for trading and are not designated at FVTPL upon the inception of the liability. These include liabilities arising from operating (e.g., trade and other payables, except statutory payables) and financing (e.g., short and long-term borrowings) activities.

Financial liabilities are recognized initially at fair value, net of transaction costs incurred. Financial liabilities are subsequently stated at amortized cost using the effective interest method; any difference between the initial carrying amount of the financial liabilities and the redemption value is recognized in profit or loss over the contractual terms of the borrowings using the effective interest rate method.

Borrowings are classified as current liabilities unless the Group has an unconditional right to defer settlement of the liability for at least 12 months after the end of reporting year.

Trade and other payables are recognized in the year in which the related money, goods or services are received or when a legally enforceable claim against the Group is established. These are measured at amortized cost, which is normally equal to the nominal amount.

Derecognition of financial assets and liabilities

Financial assets. A financial asset (or, where applicable a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is derecognized when:

- the rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired; or
- the Group retains the right to receive cash flows from the asset, but has assumed an obligation to pay them in full without material delay to a third party under a 'pass-through' arrangement; or,
- the Group has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset and either (a) has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

Where the Group has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset and has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset nor transferred control of the asset, the asset is recognized to the extent of the Group's continuing involvement in the asset. Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of the original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Group could be required to repay.

Financial liabilities

A financial liability is derecognized when the obligation under the liability is discharged, cancelled or has expired.

Where an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as a derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability, and the difference in the respective carrying amounts is recognized in profit or loss.

Offsetting financial instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset, and the net amount reported in the consolidated balance sheet if, and only if, there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously. The Group assesses that it has a currently enforceable right of offset if the right is not contingent on a future event and is legally enforceable in the normal course of business, event of default, and event of insolvency or bankruptcy of the Group and all of the counterparties.

Value-added tax (VAT)

Revenues, expenses, and assets are recognized net of the amount of VAT, if applicable.

When VAT from sales of goods and/or services (output VAT) exceeds VAT passed on from purchases of goods or services (input VAT), the excess is recognized as payable in the consolidated balance sheet. When VAT passed on from purchases of goods or services (input VAT) exceeds VAT from sales of goods and/or services (output VAT), the excess is recognized as an asset in the consolidated balance sheet to the extent of the recoverable amount.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment are stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment in value. The initial cost of property and equipment consists of its purchase price, including import duties, taxes, and any costs directly attributable in bringing the asset to its working condition and location for its intended use. Expenditures incurred after the property and equipment have been put into operation, such as repairs and maintenance costs, are recognized in profit or loss in the period the costs are incurred. In situations where it can be clearly demonstrated that the expenditures have resulted in an increase in the future economic benefits expected to be obtained from the use of an item of property and equipment beyond its originally assessed standard of performance, the expenditures are capitalized as additional cost of the property and equipment.

Depreciation is calculated using the straight-line method over the estimated useful lives of two years. Depreciation commences once the assets are available for use. It ceases at the earlier of the date that it is classified as held for sale and the date the asset is derecognized.

The useful lives and depreciation method are reviewed periodically to ensure that the periods and method of depreciation are consistent with the expected pattern of economic benefits from items of property and equipment. When assets are sold or retired, the cost and the related accumulated depreciation and any impairment in value are eliminated from the accounts. Any gain or loss resulting from the disposal is recognized in profit or loss.

Investment Properties

Investment properties, consisting of parcels of land that are held either to earn rentals or for capital appreciation or both and that are not occupied by the entities in the Group.

Investment properties are measured initially at cost, including transaction costs. Subsequent to initial recognition, investment property is stated at fair value. Gains or losses arising from changes in fair value of investment properties are included in profit or loss in the year in which these arise.

The fair value of investment property is the price at which the property could be exchanged between knowledgeable, willing parties in an arm's-length transaction. Fair value specifically excludes an estimated price inflated or deflated by special terms or circumstances such as typical financing, sale and leaseback arrangements, special considerations or concessions granted by anyone associated with the sale. The fair value of investment property should reflect market conditions at the end of the reporting year.

Derecognition of an investment property will be triggered by a change in use, by sale or disposal. Gain or loss arising on disposal is calculated as the difference between any disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the related asset and is recognized in profit or loss in the period of derecognition. Transfers are made to investment property when, and only when, there is change in use, evidenced by cessation of owner-occupation, commencement of an operating lease to another party or completion of construction or development. Transfers are made from investment property when, and only when, there is a change in use, evidenced by commencement of owner occupation or commencement of development with a view to sale.

Revenue Recognition

Revenue from contracts with customers is recognized when control of the goods or services are transferred to the customer at an amount that reflects the consideration to which the Group expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods and services ("transaction price"). The Group has generally concluded that it is principal in its revenue arrangements because it typically controls the goods and services before transferring them to the customer.

Sale of goods

Sales of goods represent amounts received and receivable from third parties for goods supplied to the customers. Sales are recognized when control of the goods has transferred to the customer, which is mainly upon delivery and acceptance by the customer.

Management fee

Management fee is recognized as revenue when the related service is rendered.

Expenses and Other Charges

General and administrative expenses include costs of administering the business, which are recognized as incurred.

Income Taxes

Current income tax

Current income tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authorities. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the end of reporting period.

Deferred income tax

Deferred income tax is provided, using the balance sheet liability method, on all temporary differences at the end of reporting period date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes.

Provisions and Contingencies

Provisions are recognized when the Group has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligations and the amount of obligation can be reliably estimated.

Capital Stock

The proceeds from the issuance of ordinary or common shares are presented in equity as capital stock to the extent of the par value of the issued and outstanding shares and any excess of the proceeds over the par value of shares issued, less any incremental costs directly attributable to the issuance, net of tax, is presented in equity as "Additional paid-in capital".

Retained Earnings (Deficit)

Retained Earnings (Deficit) represent the cumulative balance of periodic total comprehensive income or loss, dividend distributions, correction of prior year's errors, effect of changes in accounting policy and other capital adjustments. A "deficit" is not an asset but a deduction from equity.

Basic/Diluted Earnings (Loss) Per Share

Basic earnings (loss) per share is computed by dividing net income (loss) for the year by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year.

Diluted earnings (loss) per share is calculated by dividing the income (loss) for the year attributable to stockholders by the weighted average number of shares outstanding during the year, excluding treasury shares and adjusted for the effects of all potential dilutive shares, if any.

In determining both the basic and diluted earnings (loss) per share, the effect of stock dividends, if any, is accounted for retroactively.

Segment Information

In the last half of December 2021, the Group started its agricultural production business. In January 2022, the Group commenced its eco-tourism business operations. Management monitors the operating results of the Group for the purpose of making decisions about resource allocation and performance assessment.

FIVE (5) KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

The table below and the profit and loss determinants, earnings/loss per share and liquidity position set forth the comparative key performance indicators of the Company and its majority-owned subsidiaries.

	End-December 2022	End-December 2022
Current Ratio	0.50:1.00	0.02:1.00
Debt to Assets Ratio	0.18:1.00	0.17:1.00
Net Profit Ratio	545%	5300%
Return on Equity	2%	18%
Return on Assets ³	0.02%	15%

Manner of calculating the above indicators is as follows:

Current Ratio <u>Current Assets</u>

Current Liabilities

Debt to Assets Ratio Total Liabilities

Total Assets

Net Profit Ratio Net income for the period

Net revenues for the period

Return on equity Net Income

Total Equity

Return on Assets <u>Net Income</u>

Total Assets

The key operating performance indicators which remain to be the profit and loss determinants, earnings/losses per share and liquidity position of the Company and its wholly owned subsidiaries are discussed hereunder.

1. Revenue – Consist of revenue of subsidiaries

FOR THE YEAR (In Million Pesos)

	2023	2022	2021
Rental Income	-	-	_
Cinema Ticket Sales	-	-	-
Agro- business revenue	11.6	10.25	138.52
Other Income	84.9	552.6	2,155.28
Total	96.6	561.8	2,293.80

2. Cost Effective Measures - During the year ended 2023, the Company has been able to control and manage costs to minimum effective levels.

2023 (in million Pesos)

	Agro- Business	M all	Cine ma	Total
Revenues	11.59	-	-	11.59
Direct Cost	(5.5)	-	-	(5.5)
General and administrative expenses	(25.5)		-	(25.5)
Interest expense		(2.5)	-	(2.5)
Other income (charges)	84.9		-	84.9
¤ Total	65.69	(2.5)	-	63.2

2022 (in million Pesos)

	Agro- Business	M all	Cine ma	Total
Revenues	10.25	-	-	10.25
Direct Cost	(3.52)	-	-	(3.52)
General and administrative expenses	(8.03)		-	(8.03)
Interest expense		(2.75)	-	(2.75)
Other income (charges)	551.21		-	551.21
¤ Total	549.91	(2.75)	-	546.71

3. Net Operating Profit – The Company's total revenue less the direct cost & expenses and General & Administrative expenses.

	FOR THE YEAR <u>(in</u> <u>million Pesos)</u>				
	2023	2022	2021		
Income	11.59	10.25	0.14		
Income (Loss) from operation	63.2	546.71	2,858.2		
Percentage	n/a	n/a	n/a		

- 4. Earnings Per Share Earnings/ (Loss) per share for the year 2023 is ₱0.01, ₱0.11 in 2022 and ₱0.428 in 2021. The earnings per share is calculated by dividing the Net Income by the weighted number of shares outstanding. There were no factors that would have dilutive effects on the Earnings per share.
- 5. Liquidity Position Current ratio is 0.50:1, 0.02:1, and 0.01:1 as of December 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021 respectively.

ITEM 7. Financial Statements

The consolidated financial statement and schedules listed in the accompanying index to Financial Statements and Supplementary Schedules are filed as part of the SEC Form 17A. This part will be accomplished together with the audited Financial Statements.

ITEM 8. Information on Independent Accountant and Other Related Matters

The principal accountants and external auditors of the Company is the accounting firm of SyCip Gorres Velayo & Co (SGV & Co).

Pursuant to SRC Rule 68, Paragraph 3(b) (iv) Memorandum Circular No. 8, on Series of 2003 (Rotation of External Auditors), the Company has engaged SGV & Co. as external auditor for 2023 with Shane Dave D. Tanguin as the Partner In-charge.

The audit and audit-related fees amounted to ₱450,000.00 in 2023, ₱400,000.00 in 2022, ₱380,000.00 in 2021.

The engagement of the external auditors was favorably endorsed by the Audit Committee to the Board of Directors and ultimately submitted for approval of the stockholders.

The Company's management has no changes in or disagreements with Accountants on Accounting and Financial disclosure.

PART 111 - CONTROL AND COMPENSATION

INFORMATION

ITEM 9. Directors, Executive Officers, Promoters and Control Persons of the Issuer

As of December 31, 2023, the members of the Board of Directors and the incumbent executive officers are as follows:

Office Office	<u>Name</u>	Age
Chairman and President	Joel T. Go	51
Director, Treasurer	Evelyn C. Go	69
Director	Lourdes Go-Ortiga	66
Director	Edgardo C. Manda	75
Director	Caesar R. Certeza	53
Independent Director	Christian Grant Yu Tomas	46
Independent Director	Marietta Fondevilla	68
Corporate Secretary	Christine P. Base	52

(1) Board of Directors

JOEL T. GO, Filipino, was born on January 25, 1973, is a graduate in Bachelor of Science in Electronics & Communications Engineering from De La Salle University. He is the first child of the three children of Mr. Jose C. Go. His work experiences are with the family businesses and at present he is the Chairman and President of Ever Plus Superstore, Inc. and Ever Commonwealth Center, Inc. He is also President and Director of United Doctors Service Corp. and Majestic Plus Holdings Intl. Inc. Mr. Joel T. Go was elected Director of the Company on December 18, 2008 and as President from 2014-2021. On December 16, 2021, Mr. Joel Go was elected as Chairman of the Company.

EVELYN C. GO, Filipino, was born on December 23, 1954. She is a graduate from the Philippine School of Business Administration with a degree in Business Management. Ms. Go started her practical business training at an early age covering various positions and aspects of the Go Tong family business enterprises. She is currently President/Chief Operating Officer of Gotesco Tyan Ming Development, Inc., and Director of Ever Commonwealth Center, Inc. and Ever Plus Superstore, Inc. Ms. Go has been the Treasurer and Director of the Company since 1995.

LOURDES G. ORTIGA, Filipino, was born on September 28, 1957, and is a Fine Arts Major in Interior Design graduate from the University of Santo Tomas. Ms. Ortiga is presently Director and Corporate Secretary of Gotesco Tyan Ming Development, Inc., Ever Commonwealth Center, Inc., Gotesco Properties, Inc., Ever Shoppers, Inc., Gusset Realty & Development, Corp. and Revere Realty and Development, Corp. Ms. Ortiga is also a Director of Ever Emporium, Inc., and Ever Plus Superstore, Inc. Ms. Ortiga has been Director of the Company from 1998 up to the present.

EDGARDO C. MANDA, Filipino, born on July 8, 1948. He is a graduate of Business Administration and was recognized as one of the Most Outstanding Alumni of University of the East, Manila. He is also an alumnus of International Network for Bamboo and Rattan in Beijing, China and has attended various bamboo forums in China, Indonesia, Vietnam and India. He is an advocate of bamboo and its role in rehabilitating watersheds and mined out areas. He is the President of Philippine Bamboo Foundation, Inc from 2010 to present, a member of the Philippine Bamboo Industry Development Council and an Exemplar Awardee for Environment in 2014 and 2015. He served the government as an Assistant Secretary and Deputy Chief of Staff in 1998 to 2001, a General Manager in Manila International Airport Authority in 2001- 2004, a General Manager in Laguna Lake Development

Authority in 2005- 2010 and an Undersecretary in 2004- 2005. His private sector affiliations were: Assistant Vice President for Welding Industries of the Philippines, Manager in Security Bank & Trust Company, and Manager in First Philippine Holdings Corporation.

CAESAR R. CERTEZA, Filipino, was born on April 20, 1971, graduated from Ateneo De Manila University School of Law with a degree of Juris Doctor in 1995. He also graduated as Magna Cum Laude in Bachelor of Arts – Major in Economics in University of Santo Tomas in 1991. He passed the Philippine Bar Examination in 1995. He is currently the Corporate Legal Counsel in Metropolitan Medical Center. He became lawyer of CRCerteza Law Office in 2007-2011. A Partner in Halili Certeza Matibag Law Office 2000- 2007. Legal Officer I of NGL Pacific, Ltd., 1998-2000. Associate Lawyer of Sebastian Liganor Galinato and Tierra Law Offices 1995-1998. He is a Legal Apprentice in Bautista Picazo Buyco Tan and Fider Law during summer of 1993 and 1994. Atty. Certeza is also an Instructor I in University of Santo Tomas – Faculty of Arts and Letters in school year 1991 to 1998 and a Member of The Fraternal Order of Utopia and Integrated Bar of The Philippines. Atty. Certeza was elected as director of the Company during the December 16, 2021 annual stockholders meeting.

CHRISTIAN GRANT YU TOMAS, Filipino, was born on June 17, 1977, is the Head of the Legal Department, Tyche Consulting Ltd. Phils Regional Operating Headquarters. Previously, he worked as Legal Counsel of Alphaland Corporation; Executive Assistant, Commission on Elections, Office of Commissioner Larrazabal; and Associate, ZAMORA POBLADOR VASQUEZ & BRETAÑA LAW OFFICES. He is a graduate of Ateneo De Manila University School of Law with a Degree of Juris Doctor in 2004. He passed the Bar Examination in 2004. He graduated from De La Salle University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Applied Economics in 1999. Atty. Tomas has been an independent director since 2014.

MARIETTA M. FONDEVILLA, Filipino, was born in January 1956, graduated from University of the Philippines- Diliman with a degree of Bachelor of Science in Statistics in 1976. She was the Executive Vice President of the Development Bank of the Philippines (DBP) from February 2018 until her retirement in July 2021. Prior to that, she held various senior positions in DBP since 2011. From 2008-2010, she was a Consultant in Roxas and Company. She was President of EnviroVentures (Phil.) Inc. from 2000 to 2008 and the Senior Vice President for Finance and Administration of Armstrong Holdings Inc. from 1998- 2000.

CHRISTINE P. BASE, Filipino, is currently a Securities, Corporate and Tax Lawyer at Pacis and Reyes, Attorneys and the Managing Director of Legisforum, she is a Director and the Corporate Secretary of various companies like Anchor Land Holdings Inc., Araneta Properties Inc. and Asiasec Equities Inc. She was an Auditor and a Tax Lawyer at Sycip, Gorres, Velayo & Co. She graduated at Ateneo de Manila University School of Law with a degree of Juris Doctor and passed the Bar Examination in 1997. Ms. Base is also a Certified Public Accountant, graduated from De La Salle University with a Bachelor of Science Degree in Commerce Major in Accounting.

(2) Significant Employee

No particular individual employee who is not an executive officer can be singularly identified as making significant contribution to the business, because the strength of the Company lies in the cooperative efforts of all officers, staff and employees of the organization.

(3) Family Relationships

Mr. Joel T. Go is a nephew of Evelyn Go and Lourdes Go. All other directors and officers have no family relationships in any civil degree either by consanguinity or affinity.

(4) Involvement in Certain Legal Proceedings

To the best of the Group's knowledge and upon due inquiry, none of the Group's directors, nominees for election as director, executive officer or control person has in the past five (5) years:

- a) Any bankruptcy petition filed by or against any business of which such person was a general partner or executive officer either at the time of the bankruptcy or within two years prior to that time;
- b) Any conviction by final judgement, in a criminal proceeding, domestic or foreign, or being subject to a pending criminal proceeding, domestic or foreign, excluding traffic violations and other minor offenses;
- c) Been subjected/being subject to any order, judgment, or decree, not subsequently reversed, suspended or vacated, of any court or competent jurisdiction, domestic or foreign, permanently or temporarily enjoining, barring, suspending or otherwise limiting his involvement in any type of business, securities, commodities or banking activities; and
- d) Been found by a domestic or foreign court of competent jurisdiction (in a civil action), the commission or comparable foreign body, or a domestic or foreign exchange or other organized trading market or self-regulatory organization, to have violated a securities or commodities law or regulation, and the judgment has not been reversed, suspended, or vacated.

ITEM 10. Executive Compensation

(1) General Compensation of Executive Officers

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 thereof.

(2) Summary Compensation Table

The following table summarizes the names and aggregate compensation paid or accrued during the last two years and to be paid in the ensuing year to the Company's Chief Executive Officer and other officers.

I. Officers and Directors as a Group

		20)23			2022			2021	
Name	Position	Salary	Bonus	Others	Salary	Bonus	Others	Salary	Bon	Others
Joel T. Go	Chairman and President									
Evelyn C. Go	Director									
Lourdes G. Ortiga	Director									
Christian Grant Yu Tomas	Director	₱ 96,000			₱ 96,000			₱ 180,000		
Edgardo Manda	Director	₱ 96,000			₱ 32,000					
Marietta Fondevilla	Director	₱ 32,000								
Caesar Certeza	Director	₱ 32,000								
TOTAL		₱256,000			₱ 128,000		_	₱ 180,000	·	•

Since December 1, 1995 up to the present, the directors (except for the Independent Directors) and some of the Executive officers of EGRHI did not receive any compensation from the Company. These executives (President and Treasurer) acted their positions at EGRHI in their concurrent capacities in other affiliates.

(3) Compensation of Directors

By resolution of the Board, each director shall receive a per diem allowance of P5, 000.00 for his attendance at each meeting of the Board. As compensation, the Board shall receive and allocate an amount of not more than ten percent (10%) of the net income before income tax of the company 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. For the last three years, the directors didn't draw any salaries or bonuses from the company and there are no accruals for Director's per diem

Since December 1, 1995 up to the present, the directors (except for the Independent Directors) and some of the Executive officers of EVER didn't receive any per diem nor compensation from the company. These executives (President, Treasurer, and Corporate Secretary) acted their positions at EVER in their concurrent capacities at Gotesco Properties, Inc.

The Independent Directors are given a monthly honorarium of ₱15,000.00 each from 2013 up to March 31, 2021 for every regular and special board meeting actual attended. On April 1, 2021 the monthly honorarium was reduced to ₱8,000.00 each.

The Company and the Executive Officers are not involved in any of the following transactions:

- a. standard arrangement and any other material arrangement;
- b. employment contract (between the registrant and named executive officers);
- c. compensatory plan or arrangement;
- d. outstanding warrants or options;
- e. Adjustments or amendments on the price of stock warrants or options.

(4) Employment Contracts and Termination of Employment and Change-in-Control Arrangements

There were no termination of employment and change in control arrangement and warrants, options outstanding and re-pricing held by the CEO and named executive officers and all other officers and directors for the past three years.

(5) Warrants and Options Outstanding: Re-pricing

There are no known outstanding warrants or options held by the Company's named executive officers, and other officers and directors as a group.

ITEM 11. Security Ownership of Certain Beneficial Owners and Management

a. Security Ownership of Certain Record and Beneficial Owners

As of December 31, 2023, EGRHI knows of no one who beneficially owns in excess of 5% of EGRHI's common stock except as set forth in the table below:

Title of Class	Name	Address	Name of Beneficial Owner and Relationship with Record Owner	Citizenship	No. of Shares	%
Common	Consolidated Ventures, Inc.	Matapang cor. Progreso St., Quiapo, Manila	Consolidated Ventures, Inc.	FILIPINO	1,592,000,000	31.84%
Common	PCD Nominee Corporation (Filipino)	37F Enterprise Tower 1, Ayala Avenue, Makati City	PCD Nominee Corporation (Filipino)	FILIPINO	1,368,087,460	27.36%
Common	Gotesco Properties, Inc.	12/F Ever-Gotesco Corporate Center 1958 C.M.	Gotesco Properties, Inc.	FILIPINO	1,069,235,000	21.38%

There is no individual, record or beneficial owner of more than 5% of the shares of stocks under PCD Nominee Corp. as of December 31, 2023.

Mr. Joel T. Go is a natural person who have voting power over shares of Gotesco Properties, Inc., as approved by the Board of Directors.

b) Security Ownership of Management

Title of Class	Name	Position	Record of Beneficial Ownership	Nature of Beneficial Ownership	Citizenship	%
Common	Joel T. Go	Chairman	238,672,598	Direct	Filipino	4.77%
Common	Evelyn C. Go	Treasurer	2,371,315	Direct	Filipino	0.05%
Common	Lourdes G. Ortiga	Director	81	Direct	Filipino	0.00%
Common	Edgardo Manda	Director	1,000	Direct	Filipino	0.00%
Common	Caesar Certeza	Director	1,000	Direct	Filipino	0.00%
Common	Christian Grant Yu Thomas	Independent Director	1	Direct	Filipino	0.00%
Common	Marietta Fondevilla	Independent Director	1000	Direct	Filipino	0.00%
	Christine P. Base	Corporate Secretary			Filipino	
			241,046,995			4.82%

c) Voting Trust Holders

EGRHI is not a party to any voting trust. No stockholder of the Company holds more than

10% of its outstanding capital stock through a voting trust or other similar agreements.

d) Changes in Control

As of December 31, 2023, there are no arrangements which may result in a change in control of the Company.

ITEM 12. Certain Relationships and Related transactions

		Amount/Volume		Outstanding R	eceivable (Payable)		
	Nature of transactions	2023	2022	2023	2022	Terms	Condition
Receivables							
Stockholder	Advances to	2,405,048	-	2,405,048.45	-	Payable on demand; non-interest bearing	Unsecured; fully impaired
Stockholders							
Trade and other payables	Payable to	78,410,999	(916,552)	(1,636,667)	(80,047,666)	Payable on demand; non-interest bearing	Unsecured
Noncurrent liabilities							
Consolidated Ventures, Inc.	Payable to	(32,975,807)		(32,975,807)	-	-do-	-do-
Others	Payable to	(122,885,361)	-	(122,885,361)	-	-do-	-do-
		(77,450,168)	(916,552)	(157,497,834)	(80,047,666)		
Associated company							
Receivables							
Metropolitan Medical Center	Advances to	-	-	353,591,678	353,591,678	Payable on demand; non-interest bearing	Unsecured
Gotesco Properties, Inc.	Advances to	-	-	250,916,294	250,916,294	-do-	-do-
Gotesco Land, Inc.	Advances to	-	-	152,043,858	152,043,858	-do-	-do-
Pricewide, Inc.	Advances to	13,485,996	-	143,642,674	130,156,678	-do-	-do-
Others	Advances to	13,786,857	118,032	36,816,447	23,029,590	-do-	-do-
		27,272,853	118,032	937,010,951	909,738,098		
Trade Payables							
Superfriend Holdings, Inc.	Payable to	20,507,701	-	-	(20,507,701)	Payable on demand; non-interest bearing	Unsecured

Pricewide, Inc.	Payable to	16,298,177	(7,379,025)	(500)	(16,298,677)	-do-	-do-
Majestic Plus Holdings International, Inc.	Payable to	(9,360,606)	-	0.00	-	-do-	-do-
GMCC United Development, Inc.	Payable to	4,000,000	-	-	(4,000,000)	-do-	-do-
Others	Payable to	4,218,626	(330,086)	(254,581)	(4,473,206)	-do-	-do-
		35,663,897	(7,709,111)	(255,081)	(45,279,584)		
Noncurrent liabilities							
Superfriend Holdings, Inc.	Payable to	(20,507,701)	-	(20,507,701)	-	Payable on demand; non-interest bearing	Unsecured
Pricewide, Inc.	Payable to	(11,267,764)	-	(11,267,764)	-	-do-	-do-
Majestic Plus Holdings International, Inc.	Payable to	(9,360,606)	-	(9,360,606)	-	-do-	-do-
GMCC United Development, Inc.	Payable to	(4,000,000)	-	(4,000,000)	-	-do-	-do-
Others	Payable to	(4,218,621)	-	(4,218,621)	-	-do-	-do-
		(49,354,692)	_	(49,354,692)	-		

PART IV - CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

ITEM 13. Corporate Governance

The Group adheres to and adopts the principles and practices of good governance as embodied in its Revised Manual on Corporate Governance. Monitoring and compliance with SEC Memorandum Circulars and Code of Ethics have been undertaken to ensure good corporate governance and management practices.

PART V - EXHIBITS AND

SCHEDULE ITEM 13. Integrated Annual Corporate

Governance Report

This was deleted pursuant to SEC Memorandum Circular No. 5 Series of 2013

ITEM 14. Exhibits and Reports on SEC 17-C

- a) Exhibits See accompanying Index to Exhibits
- b) Reports on SEC Form 17-C

During the year, the Company had filed one (1) report on Form 17-C, to

wit.:

Date of Report	Nature of Items Reported
February 17, 2023	Change in Directors and/ or Officers (Resignation of
	Mr. Antonio Tiu)
May 2, 2023	Material Information/ Transactions (Approval of the
	Audited Financial Report 2022, Annual Report with
	Sustainability Report)
July 5, 2023	Notice of Annual or Special Stockholders' Meeting
July 26, 2023	Notice of Annual or Special Stockholders' Meeting
July 31, 2023	Notice of Annual or Special Stockholders' Meeting
August 20, 2023	Material Information/ Transactions (Approval of the
	Quarterly Report 2 nd Quarter)
August 31, 2023	Results of Annual or Special Stockholders' Meeting
September 1, 2023	Results of Organizational Meeting of Boards of
_	Directors
September 1, 2023	Results of Annual or Special Stockholder's Meeting

ITEM 15. Sustainability Report

See attached Sustainability Report.

SIGNATURES

City of Manila on -MAY 1 3 2024 By: Date: May 13, 2024							
JOEL T. GO Date: May 13, 2024							
JOEL T. GO							
Chairman and President							
Date: May 13, 2024							
EVELYN C. GO Treasurer							
Date: May 13, 2024							
ELIZA FRANCIA DE LA TORRE Accounting and Finance Manager							
Date: May 13, 2024							
CHRISTINE P. BASE Corporate Secretary							
Subscribed and sworn to me this MAV 1day of 10% 2024 affiants exhibiting to me their							
Subscribed and sworn to me this MAY 1 day of 2024 affiants exhibiting to me their Passport / SSS/PRC/ IBP as follows:							
NAME PPN / DLN DATE OF ISSUE PLACE OF ISSUE							
Joel T. Go P7197432B valid until 07/13/2031 DFA NCR South							
Evelyn C. Go 03-2937284-6 lifetime validity Manila Eliza Francia de la Torre 0143494 valid until 09/09/2025 Manila							
Eliza Francia de la Torre 0143494 valid until 09/09/2025 Manila Christine P. Base IBP 08661 lifetime validity Albay							
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Book. No							
Series of 2024 UNTIL APRIL 14, 2025							

SUPPLEMENTARY SCHEDULES TO SEC FORM 17-A

Consolidated Financial Statements

Statement of Management's Responsibility for the Consolidated Financial Statements Independent Auditor's Report

Consolidated Balances Sheets as of December 31, 2023 and 2022

Consolidated Statements of Income for the years ended December 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021

Consolidated statements of Changes in Equity for the years ended December 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021

Consolidated statements of Changes in Equity for the years ended December 31, 2023, 2022 and 2021

Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows for the years ended December 31, 2021, 2020 and 2019 Notes to Consolidated Financial Statements

Independent Auditors' Report on Supplementary Schedules

Supplementary Schedules

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A.	Financial Assets*	N/A	
В.	Amounts Receivable from Directors, Officers, Employees, Related		
	Parties and Principal Stockholders (Other than Related Parties)		
C.	Accounts Receivable from Related Parties Which are Eliminated		
	During the Consolidation of Financial Statements	N/A	
D.	Intangible Assets - Other Assets*	N/A	
E.	Long-Term Debt	N/A	
F.	Indebtedness to Related Parties (Long-Term Loans from Related	Λ	V/A
G.	Guarantees of Securities of other	N/A	

- H. Issuers* Capital Stock
- I. List of Philippine Financial Reporting Standards (PFRSs) effective as at December 31, 2023 and List of New and Amended Standards and Interpretations and Improvements to PFRS that became effective as at January 1, 2024
 N/A
- J. Map Showing the Relationships Between and Among the Company, Its Parent Company, Subsidiaries and Associates
- K. Supplementary Schedule of Retained Earnings Available for Dividend Declaration

^{*} These schedules, which are required by Section 17.2 of SRC Rule 68.1, have been omitted because they are either not required, not applicable or the information required to be presented is included in the Company's consolidated financial statements or the notes to c