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SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

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

1.	August 31, 2023
	Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

- 2. SEC Identification Number: ASO94-002733 3. BIR Tax Identification No. 003-921-057
- 4. EAST WEST BANKING CORPORATION

Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter

- 5. **Metro Manila, Philippines**Province, country, or other jurisdiction of incorporation
- (SEC Use Only)
 Industry Classification Code:
- 7. The Beaufort, 5th Avenue corner 23rd Sts., Bonifacio Global City, Taguig

 Address of principal office

 Postal Code
- 8. (632) 8575-3888

Issuer's telephone number, including area code

9. N/A

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the SRC or Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA

Title of Each Class

Number of Shares of Common Stock
Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding
2,249,975,411

Common

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein: Item no .9 Other Events

Please be informed that the Board of Directors of the Bank, in its regular meeting today, August 31, 2023, approved the following:

- a.) Resignation of Mr. Francis Nathaniel C. Gotianun, Director of the Bank, effective September 1, 2023, due to personal reason.
- b.) Approved the request of the Bank's Treasury Group to inform the BSP, SEC, and PSE of its intention to issue up to Php30.0 Billion bonds via staggered program over a period of five (5) years. The Bank intends to use the proceeds of the issuance to support asset growth, diversify funding sources, and re-finance maturing liabilities, as well as for other general funding purposes.

SIGNATURES

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

EAST WEST BANKING CORPORATION

(Issuer)

August 31, 2023 (Date)

ATTY. BENEDICTO M. VALERIO, JR. Corporate Secretary

(Signature and Title)