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

6.

1. May 25, 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 1634 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 ClassNumber of Shares of Common Stock
Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding
2,249,975,411

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, approved the appointment of Atty. Lourdes A. Ona – Head of Legal Services Division as the Bank's Assistant Corporate Secretary effective June 1, 2023.

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)

May 25, 2023 (Date)

Atty. Benedicto M. Valerio, Jr. Corporate Secretary (Signature and Title)