

# SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

## SEC FORM 17-C

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

1. Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)  
Jan 9, 2024
2. SEC Identification Number  
34001
3. BIR Tax Identification No.  
000-708-174-000
4. Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter  
BDO Unibank, Inc.
5. Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation  
Metro Manila
6. Industry Classification Code(SEC Use Only)
7. Address of principal office  
BDO Corporate Center, 7899 Makati Ave., Makati City  
Postal Code  
0726
8. Issuer's telephone number, including area code  
(632) 8840-7000 / 8702-6000
9. Former name or former address, if changed since last report  
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10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the SRC or Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA

Title of Each Class	Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding
Common	5,268,357,304
Preferred	618,000,000

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein  
Item 9 - Other Events

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**BDO Unibank, Inc.**  
**BDO**

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

**Subject of the Disclosure**

Press Release - BDO launches second ASEAN Sustainability Bonds issue

**Background/Description of the Disclosure**

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Please be informed that BDO will be releasing to the press the attached statement, entitled "BDO launches second ASEAN Sustainability Bonds issue".

Thank you.

**Other Relevant Information**

Please see attachment.

**Filed on behalf by:**

<b>Name</b>	Elmer Serrano
<b>Designation</b>	Corporate Information Officer

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**Item 9**

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The net proceeds of the latest issuance will be used to diversify the Bank's funding sources, and finance and/or refinance eligible assets as defined in the Bank's Sustainable Finance Framework.

The proposed issuance has a tenor of one-and-a-half (1.5) years and bear a coupon rate of 6.025% per annum. The minimum investment amount is PHP500,000, with additional increments of PHP100,000 thereafter. The offer period will run from January 9 to 22, 2024, while the issue, settlement, and listing date will be on January 29, 2024.

BDO reserves the right to amend the terms and the timing of the issuance as it deems necessary.

Standard Chartered Bank is the Sole Arranger of the proposed issuance, with BDO Unibank, Inc. and Standard Chartered Bank as the Selling Agents, and BDO Capital & Investment Corporation as the Financial Advisor.

BDO will be releasing to the press the attached statement, entitled "*BDO launches second ASEAN Sustainability Bonds issue.*"


Thank you.

### 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.

**BDO Unibank, Inc.**  
Issuer

Date: January 09, 2024  
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**ELMER B. SERRANO**  
Corporate Information Officer



9 January 2024

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*THE BONDS ARE SECURITIES EXEMPT FROM REGISTRATION UNDER SECTION 9.1(e) OF THE SECURITIES REGULATION CODE (“SRC”) AND AS SUCH WILL NOT BE REGISTERED UNDER THE SRC.*

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## About BDO

BDO is a full-service universal bank which provides a wide range of corporate and retail banking services such as traditional loan and deposit products, treasury, trust banking, investment banking, private banking, rural banking and microfinance, cash management, leasing and finance, remittance, insurance, cash cards, credit cards, and online and non-online stock brokerage services.

BDO has the country's largest distribution network, with over 1,700 operating branches and more than 4,700 ATMs nationwide. It also has 16 international offices (including full-service branches in Hong Kong and Singapore) in Asia, Europe, North America and the Middle East.

The Bank also offers digital banking solutions to make banking easier, faster, and more secure for its clients.

BDO ranked as the largest bank in terms of total assets, loans, deposits, capital and trust funds under management based on published statements of condition as of 30 September 2023. For more information, please visit [www.bdo.com.ph](http://www.bdo.com.ph).