# 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)

Sep 7, 2020

2. SEC Identification Number

15-A

3. BIR Tax Identification No.

000-290-538

4. Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter

Roxas Holdings, Inc.

5. Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation

Metro Manila

- 6. Industry Classification Code(SEC Use Only)
- 7. Address of principal office

14th Floor Net One Center 26th corner 3rd Avenue, Bonifacio Global City, Taguig City Postal Code

1634

8. Issuer's telephone number, including area code

87717800 to 05

9. Former name or former address, if changed since last report

n.a.

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	1,547,935,799	

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein

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# PSE Disclosure Form 4-1 - Acquisition or Disposition of Assets References: SRC Rule 17 (SEC Form 17-C) and Section 4.4 of the Revised Disclosure Rules

#### Subject of the Disclosure

The Philippine Competition Commission (PCC) approves the sale of Roxas Holdings, Inc. sugar mill and ethanol plant in La Carlota City, Negros Occidental and RHI's investment properties consisting of shares in Najalin Agri-Ventures, Inc. (the "Proposed Sale Transaction").

#### Background/Description of the Disclosure

On June 4, 2020, RHI disclosed the Proposed Sale Transaction between the RHI Group (RHI and its wholly-owned subsidiaries, Central Azucarera de La Carlota, Inc. and Roxol Bioenergy Corporation) and Universal Robina Corporation.

One of the conditions precedent for the closing of the transaction is the approval by the PCC.

The parties were notified of the PCC approval which stated that "the Commission finds that the proposed acquisition by URC of assets in La Carlota and Roxol, and shares in Najalin will not likely result in substantial lessening of competition in the markets for the provision of sugar cane milling services and tolling services in Negros Island, as well as the national markets for bioethanol, the sale of raw sugar sold in wholesale, and the sale of molasses to traders."

Following the above favorable PCC decision, the parties to the transaction shall aim to secure the other closing conditions, as may be applicable, and shall work towards closing the asset sale transaction at the soonest possible time.

Date of Approval by Board of Directors	ТВА
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Rationale for the transaction including the benefits which are expected to be accrued to the Issuer as a result of the transaction

The RHI Group will use the proceeds of the Proposed Sale Transaction to prepay all long-term debt and reduce short-term debt to levels sufficient for its working capital needs. The sale of the La Carlota assets will allow RHI to refocus its resources on rebuilding its Nasugbu sugar milling and refining facilities, among others.

# Details of the acquisition or disposition

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Date	TBA

### **Description of the Transaction**

Under the terms of the Proposed Sale Transaction, URC will acquire all buildings, improvements, machineries and equipment, laboratory equipment, as well as the land on which these plant and buildings are located and investment properties that are necessary for the continuing operations of the mill and ethanol plants located at La Carlota City, Negros Occidental (the "Assets")

#### Manner

#### Asset Purchase

#### Description of the assets involved

As stated above, the Assets subject of the Proposed Sale Transaction comprise of all the buildings, improvements, machineries and equipment, laboratory equipment, as well as the land on which the aforementioned assets of CACI and RBC are located, and investment properties that are necessary for the continuing operations of the plants.

#### Terms and conditions of the transaction

Nature and amount of consideration given or received

**TBA** 

Principle followed in determining the amount of consideration

The amount of the consideration shall represent a fair market value for the plant and equipment, as well as the building and land, and investment shares, comprising the Assets to be purchased.

Terms of payment

**TBA** 

Conditions precedent to closing of the transaction, if any

The consummation of the Proposed Sale Transaction is subject to the parties being able to secure the requisite regulatory approvals, corporate approvals, and other third party consents. More particularly, these conditions precedent to closing the Proposed Sale Transaction include the requisite approval from the Philippine Competition Commission, and required lender consents.

Any other salient terms

None

#### Identity of the person(s) from whom the assets were acquired or to whom they were sold

Name	Nature of any material relationship with the Issuer, their directors/ officers, or any of their affiliates	
Universal Robina Corporation	None	

#### Effect(s) on the business, financial condition and operations of the Issuer, if any

The paring down of existing debts is expected to result in a stronger balance sheet for the RHI Group, and in capacity to rebuild its operations in Nasugbu, Batangas

Other Relevant Information

none

### If the transaction being reported is an acquisition, kindly submit the following additional information:

Source(s) of funds

N.A.

If any asset so acquired by the issuer or its subsidiaries constituted plant, equipment or other physical property, state the nature of the business in which the assets were used by the persons from whom acquired and whether the issuer intends to continue such use or intends to devote the assets to other purposes, indicating such other purposes

N.A.

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