

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. December 22, 2008
Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
2. SEC Identification Number: PW-2 3. BIR Tax Identification No. 000-103-216
4. A. SORIANO CORPORATION
Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
5. Metro Manila, Philippines
Province, country or other jurisdiction of
incorporation
6. (SEC Use Only)
Industry Classification Code
7. 7/F Pacific Star Bldg., Gil J. Puyat Ave.
corner Makati Avenue, Makati City
Address of issuer's principal office
- 1200
Postal Code
8. 8190251
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 |
|---------------------|---|
| <u>Common</u> | <u>2,500,000,000</u> |
11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein: Item No. 9


Item 9. Other Event

Pursuant to A. Soriano Corporation's previous disclosure dated September 22, 2008 that it intends to declare a special cash dividend of **Ten Centavos (P0.10)** per share, said special cash dividend shall be payable on **February 2, 2009** to all stockholders of record as of **January 15, 2009**.

SIGNATURE

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.

A. SORIANO CORPORATION


ATTY. JOSHUA L. CASTRO
Corporate Information Officer

December 22, 2008