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FIRST PACIFIC COMPANY LIMITED
第一太平有限公司

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INSIDE INFORMATION ANNOUNCEMENT

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Reference is made to the Company's announcements dated 13 August 2026 and 17 August 2026 in relation to PLDT's financial information (the "**Announcements**"). Unless otherwise defined, all capitalised terms referred to herein shall have the meanings ascribed to them as the Announcements.

The Company would like to further update Shareholders that PLDT has announced on the NYSE and the PSE that SyCip Gorres Velayo & Co. ("**SGV**"), a member firm of Ernst & Young Global Limited, notified PLDT on 31 October 2026 of its resignation as PLDT's independent registered public accounting firm as it has concluded that it was not independent at the time of the issuance of its opinions on PLDT's International Financial Reporting Standards financial statements and internal control over financial reporting for the year ended 31 December 2025, included in PLDT's annual report of Form 20-F filed with the United States Securities and Exchange Commission on 27 April 2026. On 2 November 2026, PLDT's Audit Committee accepted the resignation of SGV and appointed Isla Lipana & Co./PwC Philippines, a member firm of PricewaterhouseCoopers International Limited, as auditor for PLDT's financial statements under Philippine Financial Reporting Standards, effective 2 November 2026.

For further details, Shareholders of the Company should refer to PLDT's original filings submitted to the NYSE (www.nyse.com) and the PSE (www.pse.com.ph), as well as the Company's Overseas Regulatory Announcement dated 3 November 2026 published on the websites of the Company (www.firstpacific.com) and the HKEX (www.hkexnews.hk).

By Order of the Board
First Pacific Company Limited
Chiu Wing Man, Fiona
General Counsel and Company Secretary

Hong Kong, 3 November 2026

As at the date of this announcement, the board of Directors of the Company comprises the following Directors:

Executive Directors:
Manuel V. Pangilinan, *Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer*
Christopher H. Young

Non-executive Directors:
Anthoni Salim, *Chairman*
Benny S. Santoso
Axton Salim

Independent Non-executive Directors:
Prof. Edward K.Y. Chen, *GBS, CBE, JP*
Margaret Leung Ko May Yee, *SBS, JP*
Philip Fan Yan Hok
Madeleine Lee Suh Shin
Blair Chilton Pickerell