



Manila North Tollways Corporation
(A Subsidiary of Metro Pacific Tollways Development Corporation)

Financial Statements
December 31, 2012 and 2011

and

Independent Auditors' Report

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INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

The Stockholders and the Board of Directors
Manila North Tollways Corporation

Report on the Financial Statements

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of Manila North Tollways Corporation (a subsidiary of Metro Pacific Tollways Development Corporation), which comprise the balance sheets as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, and the statements of income, statements of comprehensive income, statements of changes in equity and statements of cash flows for the years then ended, and a summary of significant accounting policies and other explanatory information.

Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Philippine Financial Reporting Standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditors' Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audits. We conducted our audits in accordance with Philippine Standards on Auditing. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.



Opinion

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Manila North Tollways Corporation as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, and its financial performance and its cash flows for the years then ended in accordance with Philippine Financial Reporting Standards.

Report on the Supplementary Information Required Under Revenue Regulations 19-2011 and 15-2010

Our audits were conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The supplementary information required under Revenue Regulations 19-2011 and 15-2010 in Notes 29 and 30 to the financial statements, respectively, is presented for purposes of filing with the Bureau of Internal Revenue and is not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information is the responsibility of management of Manila North Tollways Corporation. The information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in our audit of the basic financial statements. In our opinion, the information is fairly stated, in all material respects, in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

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MANILA NORTH TOLLWAYS CORPORATION
(A Subsidiary of Metro Pacific Tollways Development Corporation)
BALANCE SHEETS

	December 31	
	2012	2011
ASSETS		
Current Assets		
Cash and cash equivalents (Notes 6 and 26)	₱2,677,998,929	₱1,120,917,161
Receivables (Notes 7, 13 and 26)	163,690,915	100,785,557
Inventories - at cost (Note 13)	45,259,533	55,260,432
Advances to contractors and consultants (Note 13)	17,120,885	21,173,438
Due from related parties (Notes 13 and 26)	5,455,875	9,757,757
Input value-added tax (Notes 5 and 28)	32,360,079	42,059,750
Available-for-sale financial assets (Note 26)	53,003,500	-
Other current assets	81,236,337	61,227,753
Total Current Assets	3,076,126,053	1,411,181,848
Noncurrent Assets		
Service concession asset (Note 8)	15,184,223,470	15,556,734,023
Property and equipment (Note 9)	105,970,726	108,827,544
Intangible assets (Note 10)	13,918,628	12,709,316
Available-for-sale financial assets (Note 26)	587,312,500	577,721,750
Pension asset (Note 18)	20,024,566	-
Other noncurrent assets (Note 26)	52,111,524	53,610,941
Total Noncurrent Assets	15,963,561,414	16,309,603,574
	₱19,039,687,467	₱17,720,785,422
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY		
Current Liabilities		
Accounts payable and other current liabilities (Notes 11, 13 and 26)	₱1,342,802,981	₱1,060,064,844
Due to related parties (Notes 13 and 26)	-	521,510
Unearned toll revenue	-	10,584,590
Income tax payable	151,565,349	31,355,870
Dividends payable (Notes 13, 15 and 26)	834,720,000	37,740,000
Provisions (Note 12)	248,710,026	249,103,430
Current portion of long-term debt (Notes 14 and 26)	144,299,038	145,174,660
Total Current Liabilities	2,722,097,394	1,534,544,904
Noncurrent Liabilities		
Long-term debt - net of current portion (Notes 14 and 26)	8,761,669,286	8,905,442,780
Accrued retirement costs (Note 18)	-	10,646,909
Long-term incentive plan payable (Note 18)	32,414,200	-
Provisions (Note 12)	252,433,157	189,931,902
Deferred tax liabilities - net (Note 23)	376,513,313	325,841,056
Derivative liabilities (Note 26)	-	130,155,566
Total Noncurrent Liabilities	9,423,029,956	9,562,018,213
Equity (Note 15)		
Capital stock	1,776,000,000	1,776,000,000
Additional paid-in capital	3,749,711,168	3,749,711,168
Retained earnings	1,349,724,273	1,097,496,483
Other comprehensive income reserve (Note 26)	11,547,539	(4,624,495)
Other reserve (Note 19)	7,577,137	5,639,149
Total Equity	6,894,560,117	6,624,222,305
	₱19,039,687,467	₱17,720,785,422

See accompanying Notes to Financial Statements.



MANILA NORTH TOLLWAYS CORPORATION
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STATEMENTS OF INCOME

	Years Ended December 31	
	2012	2011
OPERATING REVENUES		
Toll fees (net of discounts amounting to ₱56,778,507 and ₱61,436,477 in 2012 and 2011, respectively)	₱6,784,126,258	₱6,464,946,010
Sales of magnetic cards	5,625	42,071
	6,784,131,883	6,464,988,081
COST OF SERVICES (Notes 8, 12, 13 and 16)	(2,767,072,303)	(2,854,496,993)
GROSS PROFIT	4,017,059,580	3,610,491,088
CONSTRUCTION REVENUE (Notes 5 and 8)	224,847,664	99,077,443
CONSTRUCTION COSTS (Notes 5 and 8)	(224,847,664)	(99,077,443)
GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES (Notes 9, 10, 12, 13, 17, 18 and 19)	(668,813,256)	(609,917,384)
INTEREST EXPENSE AND OTHER FINANCE COSTS (Notes 14 and 21)	(684,054,227)	(1,266,011,049)
INTEREST INCOME (Note 20)	116,601,837	143,196,501
FOREIGN EXCHANGE GAIN (LOSS) – Net	1,447,608	(10,740,591)
OTHER EXPENSE (Notes 22 and 26)	(45,020,915)	(94,636,391)
OTHER INCOME (Notes 13 and 22)	68,597,174	370,187,822
INCOME BEFORE INCOME TAX	2,805,817,801	2,142,569,996
PROVISION FOR INCOME TAX (Note 23)		
Current	804,888,626	550,825,446
Deferred	43,741,385	11,673,716
	848,630,011	562,499,162
NET INCOME	₱1,957,187,790	₱1,580,070,834

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MANILA NORTH TOLLWAYS CORPORATION
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STATEMENTS OF COMPREHENSIVE INCOME

	Years Ended December 31	
	2012	2011
NET INCOME	₱1,957,187,790	₱1,580,070,834
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME		
Net gain (loss) on cash flow hedges (Note 26)	10,508,656	(30,252,244)
Income tax effect (Note 23)	(3,152,597)	9,075,673
	7,356,059	(21,176,571)
Gain on available-for-sale financial assets (Note 26)	12,594,250	3,628,750
Income tax effect (Note 23)	(3,778,275)	(1,088,625)
	8,815,975	2,540,125
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE INCOME FOR THE YEAR, NET OF TAX	16,172,034	(18,636,446)
TOTAL COMPREHENSIVE INCOME	₱1,973,359,824	₱1,561,434,388

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MANILA NORTH TOLLWAYS CORPORATION
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STATEMENTS OF CHANGES IN EQUITY
FOR THE YEARS ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2012 AND 2011

	Capital Stock - ₱100 Par Value	Additional Paid-in Capital	Retained Earnings	Other Comprehensive Income Reserve	Other Reserve	Total Equity
At January 1, 2012	₱1,776,000,000	₱3,749,711,168	₱1,097,496,483	(₱4,624,495)	₱5,639,149	₱6,624,222,305
Cash dividends (Note 15)	–	–	(1,704,960,000)	–	–	(1,704,960,000)
Equity contribution - executive stock option plan (Note 19)	–	–	–	–	1,937,988	1,937,988
Net income	–	–	1,957,187,790	–	–	1,957,187,790
Other comprehensive income (Note 26)	–	–	–	16,172,034	–	16,172,034
Total comprehensive income for the year	–	–	1,957,187,790	16,172,034	–	1,973,359,824
At December 31, 2012	₱1,776,000,000	₱3,749,711,168	₱1,349,724,273	₱11,547,539	₱7,577,137	₱6,894,560,117
At January 1, 2011	₱1,776,000,000	₱3,749,711,168	₱1,027,025,649	₱14,011,951	₱–	₱6,566,748,768
Cash dividends (Note 15)	–	–	(1,509,600,000)	–	–	(1,509,600,000)
Equity contribution - executive stock option plan (Note 19)	–	–	–	–	5,639,149	5,639,149
Net income	–	–	1,580,070,834	–	–	1,580,070,834
Other comprehensive income (Note 26)	–	–	–	(18,636,446)	–	(18,636,446)
Total comprehensive income for the year	–	–	1,580,070,834	(18,636,446)	–	1,561,434,388
At December 31, 2011	₱1,776,000,000	₱3,749,711,168	₱1,097,496,483	(₱4,624,495)	₱5,639,149	₱6,624,222,305

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MANILA NORTH TOLLWAYS CORPORATION
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STATEMENTS OF CASH FLOWS

	Years Ended December 31	
	2012	2011
CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES		
Income before income tax	₱2,805,817,801	₱2,142,569,996
Adjustments to reconcile income before income tax to net cash flows:		
Interest expense and other finance costs (Note 21)	684,054,227	1,266,011,049
Amortization of service concession asset (Notes 8 and 16)	597,358,217	592,987,123
Interest income (Note 20)	(116,601,837)	(143,196,501)
Mark-to-market loss on derivatives (Note 22)	44,844,434	94,636,391
Long-term incentive plan expense (Note 18)	32,414,200	–
Depreciation of property and equipment (Notes 9 and 17)	23,685,415	24,622,344
Provision for potential losses on claim for refund (Note 17)	11,060,341	8,640,240
Deferred toll revenue realized	(10,584,590)	(30,985,896)
Amortization of intangible assets (Notes 10 and 17)	7,547,442	6,902,591
Movements in:		
Provisions	62,107,851	5,001,671
Pension asset/Accrued retirement costs	(30,671,475)	9,773,295
Executive stock option plan expense (Note 19)	1,937,988	5,639,149
Loss (gain) on disposals of property and equipment (Note 9)	176,481	(348,613)
Reversal of allowance for potential losses on input value-added tax (Notes 5 and 22)	–	(288,052,966)
Unrealized foreign exchange gain – net	–	(165,345)
Working capital changes:		
Decrease (increase) in:		
Receivables	(59,872,406)	(35,973,429)
Inventories	10,000,899	(17,370,403)
Due from related parties	4,301,882	20,551,502
Advances to contractors and consultants	4,052,553	(13,112,023)
Input value-added tax (Notes 5 and 8)	9,699,671	(42,059,750)
Other current assets	(31,068,925)	2,482,837
Increase (decrease) in:		
Accounts payable and other current liabilities	109,826,024	475,928,881
Due to related parties	(521,510)	(9,420,837)
Unearned toll revenue	–	10,584,590
Income tax paid	(684,679,147)	(537,524,238)
Net cash flows provided by operating activities	3,474,885,536	3,548,121,658
CASH FLOWS FROM INVESTING ACTIVITIES		
Interest received	113,568,885	143,490,164
Acquisition of investment in bonds (Note 26)	(50,000,000)	(200,000,000)
Decrease (increase) in other noncurrent assets	1,499,417	(12,099,004)
Additions to:		
Service concession asset (Note 8)	(224,847,664)	(99,077,443)
Property and equipment (Note 9)	(26,869,924)	(31,265,798)
Intangible assets (Note 10)	(8,756,754)	(7,235,682)
Proceeds from:		
Sale of property and equipment (Note 9)	5,864,846	392,123
Maturity of investment in bonds (Note 26)	–	50,000,000
Net cash flows used in investing activities	(189,541,194)	(155,795,640)



	Years Ended December 31	
	2012	2011
CASH FLOWS FROM FINANCING ACTIVITIES		
Proceeds from loans (Note 14)	₱-	₱7,210,230,849
Payments of:		
Dividends (Note 15)	(907,980,000)	(1,653,544,800)
Interest	(653,180,267)	(1,117,259,877)
Loans	(167,102,307)	(7,498,803,399)
Debt issue costs (Note 14)	-	(150,032,833)
Swap termination costs (Notes 22 and 26)	-	(209,010,941)
Net cash flows used in financing activities	(1,728,262,574)	(3,418,421,001)
EFFECT OF EXCHANGE RATE CHANGES ON CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
	-	156,793
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	1,557,081,768	(25,938,190)
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT BEGINNING OF YEAR (Note 6)	1,120,917,161	1,146,855,351
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS AT END OF YEAR (Note 6)	₱2,677,998,929	₱1,120,917,161

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MANILA NORTH TOLLWAYS CORPORATION
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NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

1. Corporate Information

Manila North Tollways Corporation (“MNTC” or the “Company”) was incorporated in the Philippines and registered in the Philippine Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) on February 4, 1997. The Company’s primary purpose is to engage in, and carry on, a construction and contracting business, involving tollways, its facilities, interchanges and related works, including the operation and maintenance thereof, or otherwise engage in any work upon roads, bridges, buildings, and structures of all kinds.

The Company was established for the purpose of implementing the provisions of the Joint Venture Agreement (JVA) between Metro Pacific Tollways Development Corporation (MPTDC), then First Philippine Infrastructure Development Corporation (FPIDC), and the Philippine National Construction Corporation (PNCC) for the rehabilitation of the North Luzon Expressway (NLE) and the installation of the appropriate collection system therein referred to as the “Manila-North Expressway Project” or the “Project.”

The Project consists of three phases as follows:

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| Phase I | Rehabilitation and expansion of approximately 84 kilometers (km) of the existing NLE and an 8.8-km stretch of a Greenfield expressway |
| Phase II | Construction of the northern parts of the 17-km circumferential road C-5 which connects the current C-5 expressway to the NLE and the 5.85-km road from McArthur to Letre |
| Phase III | Construction of the 57-km Subic arm of the NLE to Subic Expressway |

MPTDC (then FPIDC), the Parent Company, was established by Benpres Holdings Corporation (BHC) and First Philippine Holdings Corporation (FPHC) to contract with the public sector. In May 2007, FPHC and BHC assigned all their shares in MPTDC to Metro Pacific Tollways Corporation (MPTC), then First Philippine Infrastructure, Inc. (FPII) in exchange for the shares of MPTC. Prior to the assignment of shares, MPTDC is 51.0% owned by FPHC. MPTDC and MPTC are Philippine corporations.

MPTDC (then FPIDC) is the assignee of BHC and FPHC of all their rights, interests and privileges, in relation to the construction, operation and maintenance of the Manila-Subic Expressways under a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) signed on February 8, 1994 by BHC and FPHC with PNCC, Subic Bay Metropolitan Authority (SBMA), Bases Conversion and Development Authority (BCDA), and several other governmental and non-governmental entities. The Manila-Subic Expressways shall connect the Subic and Clark Special Economic Zones to Metro Manila.

In accordance with the Memorandum of Agreement (MOA) dated March 6, 1995 among MPTDC (then FPIDC), SBMA and BCDA, MPTDC undertook the immediate construction of the SBMA - Tipo Road (Segment 7) that connects Tipo in Hermosa, Bataan to Subic. Under the MOA, SBMA authorized MPTDC to charge and collect a certain amount of entry fees from the motoring public for the use of Segment 7. On April 5, 1997, a Provisional Operating and Maintenance Agreement



was signed to initiate the collection process of Segment 7 under the terms and conditions of the Supplemental Toll Operation Agreement (STOA) as discussed in Note 2.

Also pursuant to the MOA, Segment 7 was integrated to and formed part of the JVA executed by PNCC and MPTDC (then FPIDC). Accordingly, MPTDC executed a Deed of Assignment and Conveyance on July 6, 2001, whereby MPTDC assigned, conveyed and transferred in favor of the Company all its rights, interests and privileges over Segment 7. On the same date, the Company and MPTDC entered into an Operation and Maintenance Agreement (S7 O&M) whereby the Company appointed MPTDC as the Operator of the Segment 7 toll road. On February 10, 2005, pursuant to the Operation and Maintenance Agreement (O&M) between the Company and Tollways Management Corporation (TMC), a 46.0% owned associate of MPTDC, TMC took over the operation and maintenance of Segment 7 from MPTDC (see Note 13).

The construction of Phase I was substantially completed in January 2005. On January 27, 2005, the Toll Regulatory Board (TRB) issued the Toll Operation Permit (TOP) for the operation and maintenance of Phase I consisting of Segments 1, 2, 3 and including Segment 7 in favor of MNTC. Thereafter, MNTC took over the NLE from PNCC and commenced its tollway operations on February 10, 2005.

On June 5, 2010, Segment 8.1, a portion of Phase II, which is a 2.7 km-road designed to link Mindanao Avenue to the NLE, had officially commenced tollway operation. The remaining portion of Phase II is under pre-construction works while Phase III of the Project has not yet been started as at February 20, 2013.

On November 13, 2008, FPHC and BHC sold, assigned and transferred all their respective rights, title and interest in and to the issued and outstanding capital stock of MPTC (then FPPI) to Metro Pacific Investments Corporation (MPIC) resulting to MPIC having 99.8% equity ownership in MPTC.

MPIC is a publicly listed Philippine corporation and is 59.0% owned by Metro Pacific Holdings, Inc. (MPHI). MPHI is a Philippine corporation whose stockholders are Enterprise Investment Holdings, Inc. (EIH) (60.0%), Intalink B.V. (26.7%) and First Pacific International Limited (13.3%). First Pacific Company Limited (FPC), a company incorporated in Bermuda and listed in Hong Kong, through its subsidiaries, holds 40.0% equity interest in EIH and an investment financing, which under Hong Kong Generally Accepted Accounting Principles require FPC to account for the results and assets and liabilities of EIH and its subsidiaries as FPC group companies in Hong Kong.

The registered office address of the Company is NLEX Compound, Balintawak, Caloocan City.

The financial statements as at and for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 were authorized for issuance by the Company's Board of Directors (BOD) on February 20, 2013, as reviewed and recommended for approval by the Audit Committee.

2. The Supplemental Toll Operation Agreement for the Manila-North Expressway

PNCC is the franchise holder for the construction, operation and maintenance of toll facilities in the North and South Luzon Tollways and the Metro Manila Expressway by virtue of Presidential Decree (PD) No. 1113 issued on March 31, 1977, as amended by PD No. 1894 issued on December 22, 1983. PNCC has an existing Toll Operation Agreement (TOA) with the Government of the Republic of the Philippines (ROP), by and through the TRB.



Pursuant to the JVA entered into by PNCC and MPTDC (then FPIDC) on August 29, 1995, PNCC assigned its rights, interests and privileges under its franchise to construct, operate and maintain toll facilities in the NLE in favor of MNTC, including the design, funding and rehabilitation of the NLE, and installation of the appropriate collection system therein. MPTDC (then FPIDC) in turn assigned all its rights, interests and privileges to the Binictican-Bo. Tipo road project, as defined in the MOU dated March 6, 1995, to MNTC, which assumed all the rights and obligations as necessary and integral part of the Project. The assignment of PNCC's usufructuary rights, interests and privileges under its franchise, to the extent of the portion pertaining to the NLE, was approved by the then President of the ROP. On October 10, 1995, the Department of Justice issued Opinion No. 102, Series of 1995, affirming the authority of the TRB to grant authority to operate a toll facility and to issue the necessary Toll Operation Certificate (TOC) in favor of PNCC and its joint venture partner, as reiterated and affirmed by the then Secretary of Justice in his letter to the then Secretary of Public Works and Highways dated November 24, 1995, for the proper and orderly construction, operation and maintenance of the NLE as a toll road during the service concession period.

In April 1998, the ROP (Grantor), acting by and through the TRB, PNCC (Franchisee) and MNTC (Concessionaire) executed the STOA for the Manila-North Expressway, whereby the ROP granted MNTC the rights, obligations and privileges including the authority to finance, design, construct, operate and maintain the project roads as toll roads (the "Concession") commencing upon the date the STOA comes into effect until December 31, 2030 or 30 years after the issuance of the TOP for the last completed phase, whichever is earlier, unless further extended pursuant to the STOA.

The PNCC franchise expired on May 1, 2007. Pursuant to the STOA, the TRB issued the necessary TOC for the NLE in order to allow the continuation of the Concession. As further discussed in Note 13, the Company pays a certain amount to PNCC.

Also, under the STOA, MNTC shall pay for the Grantor's project overhead expenses based on certain percentages of total construction costs or of periodic maintenance works on the project roads. Fees billed by TRB amounted to nil and ₱3.1 million in 2012 and 2011, respectively.

Upon expiry of the service concession period, MNTC shall hand-over the project roads to the Grantor without cost, free from any and all liens and encumbrances and fully operational and in good working condition, including any and all existing land required, works, toll road facilities and equipment found therein directly related to and in connection with the operation of the toll road facilities.

In October 2008, in consideration of the construction of Segment 8.1, TRB approved the Company's proposal to extend the service concession term for Phase I and Segment 8.1 of the Project until December 31, 2037, subject to certain conditions.

From 2007 to 2010, the Company obtained TRB's approval for certain amendments to the STOA for the Manila-North Expressway Project which includes (a) the integration of Segment 10 into Phase II - July 2007; (b) amendment of adjustment formula for the Authorized Toll Rate (ATR) by removing the foreign exchange factor - July 2008; (c) adoption of an integrated operations period for Phase 1 and Segment 8.1 and extension of the concession period until December 31, 2037 - October 2008; and (d) modification of alignments of Phase II Segments 9 and 10 - February 2010.



3. Basis of Preparation and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies

Basis of Preparation

The financial statements have been prepared on a historical cost basis, except for the derivative financial instruments and available-for-sale (AFS) financial assets which are measured at fair value. The financial statements are presented in Philippine peso, which is the Company's functional and presentation currency.

Statement of Compliance

The financial statements have been prepared in compliance with Philippine Financial Reporting Standards (PFRS).

Changes in Accounting Policies and Disclosures

The accounting policies adopted are consistent with those of the previous financial year except for the following amended PFRS which were effective beginning January 1, 2012.

- PFRS 7, "Financial Instruments: Disclosures - Transfers of Financial Assets" (Amendments) — The amendments require additional disclosures about financial assets that have been transferred but not derecognized to enhance the understanding of the relationship between those assets that have not been derecognized and their associated liabilities. In addition, the amendments require disclosures about continuing involvement in derecognized assets to enable users of financial statements to evaluate the nature of, and risks associated with, the entity's continuing involvement in those derecognized assets. The Company does not have any assets with these characteristics so there has been no effect on the presentation of its financial statements. The amendments have no impact on the Company's financial position or performance.
- Philippine Accounting Standard (PAS) 12, "Income Taxes - Deferred Tax: Recovery of Underlying Assets" (Amendment) — This amendment to PAS 12 clarifies the determination of deferred tax on investment property measured at fair value. The amendment introduces a rebuttable presumption that the carrying amount of investment property measured using the fair value model in PAS 40, "Investment Property", will be recovered through sale and, accordingly, requires that any related deferred tax should be measured on a 'sale' basis. The presumption is rebutted if the investment property is depreciable and it is held within a business model whose objective is to consume substantially all of the economic benefits in the investment property over time ('use' basis), rather than through sale. Furthermore, the amendment introduces the requirement that deferred tax on non-depreciable assets measured using the revaluation model in PAS 16, "Property, Plant and Equipment", always be measured on a sale basis of the asset. The amendment has no impact on the Company's financial position or performance as the Company has no investment property and non-depreciable assets measured using revaluation model.

Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand and in banks and short-term deposits with original maturities of three months or less from date of acquisition and are subject to an insignificant risk of changes in value.



Financial Assets and Liabilities

Initial Recognition and Measurement

The Company recognizes a financial asset or a financial liability when it becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the instrument. Financial assets are classified as financial assets at fair value through profit or loss (FVPL), loans and receivables, held-to-maturity (HTM) investments, AFS financial assets, or as derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge, as appropriate. The Company determines the classification of its financial assets at initial recognition and, where allowed and appropriate, re-evaluates this designation at each financial year-end.

All financial assets are recognized initially at fair value plus transaction costs, except in the case of financial assets recorded at FVPL.

All regular way purchases and sales of financial assets and liabilities are recognized on the trade date, which is the date that the Company commits to purchase the asset. Regular way purchases or sales are purchases or sales of financial assets that require delivery of assets within the period generally established by regulation or convention in the marketplace.

Financial liabilities are classified as financial liabilities at FVPL, loans and borrowings, or as derivatives designated as hedging instruments in an effective hedge, as appropriate. Financial liabilities are recognized initially at fair value and in the case of loans and borrowings, inclusive of directly attributable transaction costs. The Company determines the classification of its financial liabilities at initial recognition.

Subsequent Measurement

The subsequent measurement of financial assets and liabilities depends on their classification as described below:

a. Financial Assets and Liabilities at FVPL

Financial assets or liabilities at FVPL include financial assets and liabilities held for trading and those designated upon initial recognition as at FVPL.

A financial asset is classified as held for trading if they are acquired for the purpose of selling in the near term. Derivatives, including separated embedded derivatives, are also classified as held for trading unless they are designated as effective hedging instruments or a financial guarantee contract. Gains or losses on investments held for trading are recognized in the statement of income. Interest earned or incurred is recognized as the interest accrues and dividend income is recorded when the right of payment has been established.

Financial instruments may be designated as at FVPL by management on initial recognition when any of the following criteria are met:

- the designation eliminates or significantly reduces the inconsistent treatment that would otherwise arise from measuring the assets or recognizing gains or losses on them on a different basis;
- the assets or liabilities are part of financial assets or financial liabilities, or both financial assets and liabilities, which are managed and their performance is evaluated on a fair value basis, in accordance with a documented risk management or investment strategy; or



- the financial instrument contains an embedded derivative, unless the embedded derivative does not significantly modify the cash flows or it is clear, with little or no analysis, that it would not be separately recorded.

Assets and liabilities classified under this category are carried at fair value in the balance sheet, with any gains or losses being recognized in the statement of income.

The Company accounts for its derivative transactions (including embedded derivatives) under this category with fair value changes being reported directly to statement of income, except when the derivative is treated as an effective accounting hedge, in which case the fair value change is either reported in the statement of income with the corresponding adjustment from the hedged transaction (fair value hedge) or deferred in equity (cash flow hedge) under “Other comprehensive income reserve” account.

As at December 31, 2012, there are no financial assets and liabilities at FVPL. As at December 31, 2011, the Company has outstanding interest rate swaps classified as financial assets and liabilities at FVPL (see Note 26).

b. Loans and Receivables

Loans and receivables are non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments that are not quoted in an active market. After initial measurement, loans and receivables are subsequently carried at amortized cost using the effective interest method less any allowance on impairment. Amortized cost is calculated by taking into account any discount or premium on acquisition and includes fees that are integral part of the effective interest rate and transaction costs. Gains and losses are recognized in the statement of income when the loans and receivables are derecognized or impaired, as well as through the amortization process. Loans and receivables are included in current assets if maturity is within 12 months from the balance sheet date. Otherwise, these are classified as noncurrent assets.

Loans and receivables include cash and cash equivalents, receivables (excluding advances to officers and employees), due from related parties, and refundable deposits (included in “Other noncurrent assets” account in the balance sheet) (see Notes 6, 7, 13 and 26).

c. HTM Investments

HTM investments are quoted non-derivative financial assets with fixed or determinable payments and fixed maturities wherein the Company has the positive intention and ability to hold to maturity. Investments intended to be held for an undefined period are not included in this classification. Where the Company sells other than an insignificant amount of HTM investments, the entire category would be tainted and reclassified as AFS financial assets. Other long-term investments that are intended to be HTM, such as bonds, are subsequently measured at amortized cost. This cost is computed as the amount initially recognized minus principal repayments, plus or minus the cumulative amortization, using the effective interest method, of any difference between the initially recognized amount and the maturity amount, less allowance for impairment. This calculation includes fees paid or received between parties to the contract that are an integral part of the effective interest rate, transaction costs and all other premiums and discounts. Gains and losses are recognized in the statement of income when the investments are derecognized or impaired, as well as through the amortization process. Assets under this category are classified as current assets if maturity is within 12 months from the balance sheet date and as noncurrent assets if maturity date is more than a year from the balance sheet date.



The Company has investments in fixed rate retail treasury bonds of the ROP that were previously classified as HTM investments. As further discussed in Note 26, in view of the pretermination of the HTM investments, the fixed rate retail treasury bonds were reclassified to AFS financial assets in 2010 and continue to be presented as such as at December 31, 2012 and 2011.

d. AFS Financial Assets

AFS financial assets are non-derivative financial assets that are designated as AFS or are not classified in any of the three preceding categories. AFS financial assets include equity and debt instruments. Equity investments classified as AFS are those, which are neither classified as held for trading nor designated at FVPL. Debt instruments in this category are those which are intended to be held for an indefinite period of time and which may be sold in response to needs for liquidity or in response to changes in the market conditions.

After initial recognition, AFS financial assets are measured at fair value with unrealized gains or losses being recognized as other comprehensive income in "Other comprehensive income reserve" account, net of related deferred tax until the investment is derecognized or until the investment is determined to be impaired at which time the cumulative gain or loss previously reported in equity is included in the statement of income. Interest earned on the investments is reported as interest income using the effective interest method. These financial assets are classified as noncurrent assets unless the intention is to dispose such assets within 12 months from the balance sheet date.

As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, the Company's AFS financial assets consist of investments in fixed rate retail treasury bonds of the ROP (see Note 26).

e. Loans and Borrowings

All loans and borrowings are initially recognized at fair value of the consideration received less directly attributable transaction costs (referred to herein as "debt issue costs"). After initial recognition, interest bearing loans and borrowings are subsequently measured at amortized cost using the effective interest method.

Debt issue costs are amortized over the life of the debt instrument using the effective interest method. Debt issue costs are netted against the related loans and borrowings allocated correspondingly between the current and noncurrent portion.

Gains and losses are recognized in the statement of income when the liabilities are derecognized, as well as through the amortization process.

This category includes accounts payable and other current liabilities, due to related parties, dividends payable and long-term debt (see Notes 11, 13, 14, 15 and 26).

Offsetting Financial Instruments

Financial assets and financial liabilities are offset and the net amount is reported in the balance sheet, if and only if, there is a currently enforceable legal right to offset the recognized amounts and there is an intention to settle on a net basis, or to realize the asset and settle the liability simultaneously.



Fair Value of Financial Instruments

The fair value of financial instruments that are traded in active markets at balance sheet date is determined by reference to quoted market prices or dealer price quotations (bid price for long positions and ask price for short positions), without any deduction for transaction costs. When current bid prices are not available, the price of the most recent transaction provides evidence of the current fair value as long as there has not been a significant change in economic circumstances since the time of the transaction.

For financial instruments not traded in an active market, the fair value is determined using appropriate valuation techniques. Such techniques may include:

- Using recent arm's length market transactions;
- Reference to the current fair value of another instrument that is substantially the same; and
- A discounted cash flow analysis or other valuation models.

Fair Value Hierarchy

The Company uses the following hierarchy for determining and disclosing the fair value of financial instruments by valuation technique:

- Level 1: quoted (unadjusted) prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;
- Level 2: other techniques for which all inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value are observable, either directly or indirectly; and
- Level 3: techniques which use inputs which have a significant effect on the recorded fair value that are not based on observable market data.

'Day 1' Profit or Loss

Where the transaction price in a non-active market is different from the fair value of other observable current market transactions in the same instrument or based on a valuation technique whose variables include only data from observable market, the Company recognizes the difference between the transaction price and fair value (a 'Day 1' profit or loss) in the statement of income unless it qualifies for recognition as some other type of asset. In cases where data used is not observable, the difference between the transaction price and model value is only recognized in the statement of income when the inputs become observable or when the instrument is derecognized. For each transaction, the Company determines the appropriate method of recognizing the 'Day 1' profit or loss amount.

Impairment of Financial Assets

The Company assesses at each balance sheet date whether a financial asset or group of financial assets is impaired. A financial asset or a group of financial assets is deemed to be impaired if, and only if, there is objective evidence of impairment as a result of one or more events that has occurred after the initial recognition of the asset (an incurred "loss event") and that loss event has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset or the group of financial assets that can be reliably estimated. Evidence of impairment may include indications that the debtors or a group of debtors is experiencing significant financial difficulty, default or delinquency in interest or principal payments, the probability that they will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganization and where observable data indicate that there is a measurable decrease in the estimated future cash flows, such as changes in arrears or economic conditions that correlate with defaults.



a. Assets carried at amortized cost

The Company first assesses whether objective evidence of impairment exists individually for financial assets that are individually significant, and individually or collectively for financial assets that are not individually significant. If it is determined that no objective evidence of impairment exists for an individually assessed financial asset, whether significant or not, the asset is included in a group of financial assets with similar credit risk characteristics and that group of financial assets is collectively assessed for impairment. Assets that are individually assessed for impairment and for which an impairment loss is or continues to be recognized are not included in a collective assessment of impairment.

If there is objective evidence that an impairment loss on loans and receivables and HTM investments carried at amortized cost has been incurred, the amount of the loss is measured as the difference between the asset's carrying amount and the present value of estimated future cash flows (excluding future credit losses that have not been incurred) discounted at the financial asset's original effective interest rate (i.e., the effective interest rate computed at initial recognition).

The carrying amount of the asset is reduced through the use of an allowance account and the amount of the loss is recognized in the statement of income. Interest income continues to be accrued using the rate of interest used to discount the future cash flows for the purpose of measuring the impairment loss. The interest income is recorded as part of finance income in the statement of income. The assets together with the associated allowance are written off when there is no realistic prospect of future recovery and all collateral has been realized or has been transferred to the Company. If a write-off is later recovered, any amount formerly charged is credited to the statement of income.

If, in a subsequent period, the amount of the impairment loss decreases and the decrease can be related objectively to an event occurring after the impairment was recognized, the previously recognized impairment loss is reversed. Any subsequent reversal of an impairment loss is recognized in the statement of income, to the extent that the carrying value of the asset does not exceed its amortized cost at the reversal date.

b. AFS financial assets

In the case of equity investments classified as AFS financial assets, objective evidence would include a significant or prolonged decline in the fair value of the investment below its cost. Where there is evidence of impairment, the cumulative loss (measured as the difference between the acquisition cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that investment previously recognized in the statement of income) is removed from other comprehensive income (OCI) and recognized in the statement of income. Impairment losses on equity investments are not reversed through the statement of income; increases in their fair value after impairment are recognized directly in OCI.

In the case of debt instruments classified as AFS financial assets, impairment is assessed based on the same criteria as financial assets carried at amortized cost. However, the amount recorded for impairment is the cumulative loss measured as the difference between the amortized cost and the current fair value, less any impairment loss on that investment previously recognized in the statement of income.



Future interest income continues to be accrued based on the reduced carrying amount of the asset, using the rate of interest used to discount future cash flows for the purpose of measuring impairment loss. Such accrual is recorded as part of “Interest income” in the statement of income. If, in subsequent year, the fair value of a debt instrument increases and the increase can be objectively related to an event occurring after the impairment loss was recognized in the statement of income, the impairment loss is reversed through the statement of income.

Derecognition of Financial Assets and Liabilities

A financial asset (or, where applicable a part of a financial asset or part of a group of similar financial assets) is derecognized when:

- the rights to receive cash flows from the asset have expired;
- the Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from the asset or has assumed an obligation to pay the received cash flows in full without material delay to a third party under a ‘pass through’ arrangement; and either (a) the Company has transferred substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, or (b) the Company has neither transferred nor retained substantially all the risks and rewards of the asset, but has transferred control of the asset.

When the Company has transferred its rights to receive cash flows from an asset or has entered into a pass-through arrangement, it evaluates if and to what extent it has retained the risks and rewards of ownership. When it has neither transferred nor retained substantially all of the risks and rewards of the asset nor transferred control of the asset, the asset is recognized to the extent of the Company’s continuing involvement in the asset. In that case, the Company also recognizes an associated liability. The transferred asset and the associated liability are measured on a basis that reflects the rights and obligations that the Company has retained.

Continuing involvement that takes the form of a guarantee over the transferred asset is measured at the lower of original carrying amount of the asset and the maximum amount of consideration that the Company could be required to repay.

A financial liability is derecognized when the obligation under the liability is discharged or cancelled or has expired.

When an existing financial liability is replaced by another from the same lender on substantially different terms, or the terms of an existing liability are substantially modified, such an exchange or modification is treated as a derecognition of the original liability and the recognition of a new liability, and the difference in the respective carrying amounts of a financial liability (or part of a financial liability) extinguished or transferred to another party and the consideration paid, including any non-cash assets transferred or liabilities assumed, shall be recognized in the statement of income.

Derivatives and Hedge Accounting

Freestanding Derivatives. The Company uses derivative financial instruments, such as currency forward contracts and interest rate swaps, to hedge its foreign currency risks and interest rate risks, respectively. Such derivative financial instruments are initially recognized at fair value on the date on which a derivative contract is entered into and are subsequently remeasured at fair value. Derivatives are carried as financial assets when the fair value is positive and as financial liabilities when the fair value is negative.



For the purpose of hedge accounting, hedges are classified primarily either as (a) a hedge of the fair value of an asset, liability or a firm commitment (fair value hedge); or (b) a hedge of the exposure to variability in cash flows attributable to an asset or liability or a forecasted transaction (cash flow hedge); or (c) hedge of a net investment in a foreign operation. The Company designated and accounted for certain derivatives under cash flow hedges. The Company did not designate any of its derivatives as fair value hedges or hedges of a net investment in a foreign operation.

At the inception of a hedge relationship, the Company formally designates and documents the hedge relationship to which the Company wishes to apply hedge accounting and the risk management objective and strategy for undertaking the hedge. The documentation includes identification of the hedging instrument, the hedged item or transaction, the nature of the risk being hedged and how the entity will assess the hedging instrument's effectiveness in offsetting the exposure to changes in the hedged item's fair value or cash flows attributable to the hedged risk. Such hedges are assessed on an ongoing basis to determine that they actually have been highly effective throughout the financial reporting periods for which they were designated.

In cash flow hedges, changes in the fair value of a hedging instrument that qualifies as highly effective cash flow hedge are included in equity under "Other comprehensive income reserve" account, net of related deferred tax. The ineffective portion is immediately recognized in the statement of income.

If the hedged cash flow results in the recognition of an asset or a liability, gains and losses initially recognized in equity are transferred from equity to statement of income in the same period or periods during which the hedged forecasted transaction or recognized asset or liability affect the statement of income.

When the hedge ceases to be highly effective, hedge accounting is discontinued prospectively. In this case, the cumulative gain or loss on the hedging instrument that has been reported directly in equity is retained in equity until the forecasted transaction occurs. When the forecasted transaction is no longer expected to occur, any net cumulative gain or loss previously reported in equity is charged against the statement of income.

For derivatives that are not designated as effective accounting hedges, any gains or losses arising from changes in fair value of derivatives are recognized directly in the statement of income.

Embedded Derivatives. Embedded derivatives are bifurcated when the entire hybrid contracts (composed of the host contract and the embedded derivative) are not accounted for at FVPL, the economic risks of the embedded derivatives are not closely related to those of their respective host contracts, and a separate instrument with the same terms as the embedded derivative would meet the definition of a derivative.

Only where the following conditions are met should an embedded derivative be separated from the host contract and accounted for separately:

- a. the economic characteristics and risks of the embedded derivative are not closely related to those of the host contract;
- b. a separate instrument with the same terms as the embedded derivative would meet the definition of a derivative; and
- c. the hybrid (combined) instrument is not measured at fair value with changes in fair value recognized in profit or loss.



Embedded derivatives that are bifurcated from the host contracts are accounted for as financial assets at FVPL. Changes in fair values are recognized in the statement of income. Derivatives are carried as assets when the fair value is positive and as liabilities when the fair value is negative.

The Company assesses whether an embedded derivative is required to be separated from the host contract and accounted for as a derivative when the entity first becomes a party to the contract. Subsequent reassessment is prohibited unless there is a change in the terms of the contract that significantly modifies the cash flows that otherwise would be required under the contract, in which case reassessment is required. The Company determines whether a modification to cash flows is significant by considering the extent to which the expected future cash flows associated with the embedded derivative, the host contract or both have changed and whether the change is significant relative to the previously expected cash flows on the contract.

Current Versus Noncurrent Classification. Derivative instruments that are not designated as effective hedging instrument are classified as current or noncurrent or separated into a current and noncurrent portion based on an assessment of the facts and circumstances (i.e., the underlying contracted cash flows).

- When the Company will hold a derivative as an economic hedge (and does not apply hedge accounting) for a period beyond 12 months after the balance sheet date, the derivative is classified as noncurrent (or separated into current and noncurrent portions) consistent with the classification of the underlying item.
- Embedded derivatives that are not closely related to the host contract are classified consistent with the cash flows of the host contract.
- Derivative instruments that are designated as, and are effective hedging instruments, are classified consistent with the classification of the underlying hedged item. The derivative instrument is separated into a current portion and noncurrent portion only if a reliable allocation can be made.

Inventories

Inventories, which consist of magnetic cards and spare parts, are valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value (NRV). Cost includes purchase cost and import duties and is determined primarily on a first-in, first-out method. For magnetic cards, NRV is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less estimated costs necessary to make the sale. NRV for spare parts is the current replacement cost.

Advances to Contractors and Consultants

Advances to contractors and consultants represent the advance payments for mobilization of the contractors and consultants. These are stated at costs less any impairment in value. These are progressively reduced upon receipt of the equivalent amount of services rendered by the contractors and consultants.

Service Concession Arrangement

The Company accounts for its concession arrangement under the intangible asset model as it receives the right (license) to charge users of public service.

In addition, the Company recognizes and measures construction revenue in accordance with PAS 11, "Construction Contracts," and PAS 18, "Revenue," for the services it performs.



When the Company provides construction or upgrade services, the consideration received or receivable by the Company is recognized at its fair value.

The Company also recognizes its contractual obligations to restore the toll roads to a specified level of serviceability in accordance with PAS 37, "Provisions, Contingent Liabilities and Contingent Assets," as the obligations arise which is as a consequence of the use of the toll roads and therefore it is proportional to the number of vehicles using the toll roads and increasing in measurable annual increments.

Service Concession Asset. The service concession asset is recognized initially at the fair value of the construction services. Following initial recognition, the service concession asset is carried at cost less accumulated amortization and any impairment losses.

Service concession asset is amortized using the straight-line method over the term of the service concession. The amortization period and method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life is reviewed at least each financial period. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the service concession asset is accounted for by changing the amortization period or method, as appropriate, and are treated as changes in accounting estimates. The amortization expense is recognized under the "Cost of services" account in the statement of income.

The service concession asset will be derecognized upon turnover to the Grantor. There will be no gain or loss upon derecognition as the service concession asset which is expected to be fully amortized by then, will be handed over to the Grantor with no consideration.

Property and Equipment

Property and equipment is stated at cost less accumulated depreciation and any impairment in value. The cost of property and equipment consists of its purchase price and any costs directly attributable to bringing the asset to the location and condition necessary for it to be capable of operating in the manner intended by management. Cost also includes the cost of replacing the part of such property and equipment when the recognition criteria are met.

Expenditures incurred after the property and equipment have been put into operation, such as repairs and maintenance, are normally recognized as expense in the period such costs are incurred. In situations where it can be clearly demonstrated that the expenditures have resulted in an increase in the future economic benefits expected to be obtained from the use of an item of property and equipment beyond its originally assessed standard of performance, the expenditures are capitalized as additional cost of the property and equipment.

An item of property and equipment is derecognized upon disposal or when no future economic benefits are expected from its use or disposal. Any gain or loss arising on derecognition of the asset (calculated as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the item) is included in the statement of income in the year the item is derecognized.

Depreciation commences once the property and equipment are available for use and is calculated on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the asset.

Fully depreciated property and equipment are retained in the accounts until they are no longer in use and no further depreciation is charged to the statement of income.

The assets' residual values, useful lives and method of depreciation are reviewed at each financial year-end, and adjusted prospectively, if appropriate.



Intangible Assets (Software Costs)

The Company's intangible assets pertain to various computer software used in administration and operations. Intangible assets acquired separately are measured on initial recognition at cost. Following initial recognition, intangible assets are carried at cost less any accumulated amortization and accumulated impairment losses. Internally generated intangible assets, excluding capitalized development costs, are not capitalized and expenditure is reflected in profit and loss in the period in which the expenditure is incurred.

Intangible assets with finite lives are amortized over the useful economic life and assessed for impairment whenever there is an indication that the intangible asset may be impaired. The amortization period and the amortization method for an intangible asset with a finite useful life are reviewed at least at the end of each balance sheet date. Changes in the expected useful life or the expected pattern of consumption of future economic benefits embodied in the asset are considered to modify the amortization period or method, as appropriate, and are treated as changes in accounting estimates. The amortization expense on intangible assets with finite lives is recognized in the statement of income as the expense category that is consistent with the function of the intangible assets.

Gains or losses arising from derecognition of an intangible asset are measured as the difference between the net disposal proceeds and the carrying amount of the asset and are recognized in the statement of income when the asset is derecognized.

Impairment of Nonfinancial Assets

The Company assesses at each balance sheet date whether there is an indication that an asset may be impaired. If any such indication exists, or when annual impairment testing for an asset is required, the Company makes an estimate of the asset's recoverable amount. An asset's recoverable amount is the higher of an asset's or cash-generating unit's fair value less costs to sell and its value in use and is determined for an individual asset, unless the asset does not generate cash inflows that are largely independent of those from other assets or groups of assets. When the carrying amount of an asset exceeds its recoverable amount, the asset is considered impaired and is written down to its recoverable amount. In assessing value in use, the estimated future cash flows are discounted to their present value using a pre-tax discount rate that reflects current market assessments of the time value of money and the risks specific to the asset. In determining fair value less costs to sell, recent market transactions are taken into account, if available. If no such transactions can be identified, an appropriate valuation model is used. These calculations are corroborated by valuation multiples or other available fair value indicators. Impairment losses are recognized in the statement of income in those expense categories consistent with the function of the impaired asset.

An assessment is made at each balance sheet date as to whether there is any indication that previously recognized impairment losses may no longer exist or may have decreased. If such indication exists, the recoverable amount is estimated. A previously recognized impairment loss is reversed only if there has been a change in the estimates used to determine the asset's recoverable amount since the last impairment loss was recognized. If that is the case, the carrying amount of the asset is increased to its recoverable amount. That increased amount cannot exceed the carrying amount that would have been determined, net of depreciation or amortization, had no impairment loss been recognized for the asset in prior years. Such reversal is recognized in the statement of income. After such a reversal, the depreciation and amortization charges are adjusted in future periods to allocate the asset's revised carrying amount, less any residual value, on a systematic basis over its remaining useful life.



Provisions

Provisions are recognized when the Company has a present obligation (legal or constructive) as a result of a past event, it is probable that an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits will be required to settle the obligation and a reliable estimate can be made of the amount of the obligation. Where the Company expects some or all of a provision to be reimbursed, the reimbursement is recognized as a separate asset but only when the reimbursement is virtually certain. The expense relating to any provision is presented in the statement of income, net of any reimbursement. If the effect of the time value of money is material, provisions are discounted using a current pre-tax rate that reflects, where appropriate, the risks specific to the liability. Where discounting is used, the increase in the provision due to the passage of time is recognized as interest expense.

Equity

Capital stock is measured at par value for all shares issued. Incremental costs incurred directly attributable to the issuance of new shares are shown in equity as deduction from proceeds, net of tax. Proceeds and/or fair value of considerations received in excess of par value, if any, are recognized as additional paid-in capital.

Retained earnings represent the accumulated earnings net of dividends declared.

Other comprehensive income reserve comprise items of income and expense, including recycling to profit and loss, that are not recognized in the statement of income as required or permitted by other PFRS.

Other reserve comprise the contribution from MPIC in relation to its executive stock option plan granted to MNTC employees accounted for as equity-settled share-based payment transactions.

Revenue Recognition

Revenue is recognized to the extent that it is probable that the economic benefits will flow to the Company and the amount of the revenue can be measured reliably, regardless of when the payment is made. Revenue is measured at fair value of the consideration received or receivable, taking into account contractually defined terms of payment, excluding value-added tax (VAT), discounts and rebates. The Company assesses its revenue arrangement against specific criteria in order to determine if it is acting as principal or agent. The Company has concluded that it is acting as principal in all of its revenue arrangements.

The following specific criteria must also be met before revenue is recognized:

Revenue from toll fees is recognized upon the sale of toll tickets. Toll fees received in advance, through transponders or magnetic cards, are recognized as income upon the holders' availment of the toll road services, net of sales discounts. The unused portion of toll fees received in advance is reflected as "Unearned toll revenue" in the balance sheet.

Revenue from sale of magnetic cards is recognized when the significant risks and rewards of ownership of the goods have passed to the buyer, normally upon delivery.

Construction revenue and costs are recognized by reference to the stage of completion of the contract activity at the balance sheet date. When it is probable that total contract costs will exceed total contract revenue, the expected loss is recognized as an expense immediately.



Income from utility facility contracts, toll service facilities (TSF) and advertising, included in “Other income” account in the statement of income, are recognized in accordance with the terms of the agreement.

Interest income is recognized as the interest accrues using the effective interest method.

Other income is recognized when there is an incidental economic benefit, other than the usual business operations, that will flow to the Company through an increase in asset or reduction in liability that can be measured reliably. This includes refunds from lenders and other income.

Cost and Expenses Recognition

Cost and expenses are decreases in economic benefits during the accounting period in the form of outflows or decrease of assets or incurrence of liabilities that result in decrease in equity, other than those relating to distributions to equity participants. Cost of services, general and administrative expenses and interest expense and other finance costs are recognized in the statement of income in the period these are incurred.

Operating Lease

The determination of whether an arrangement is, or contains a lease, is based on the substance of the arrangement at inception date of whether the fulfillment of the arrangement is dependent on the use of a specific asset or assets or the arrangement conveys a right to use the asset.

A reassessment is made after inception of the lease only if one of the following applies:

- a. there is a change in contractual terms, other than a renewal or extension of the arrangement;
- b. a renewal option is exercised or extension granted, unless the term of the renewal or extension was initially included in the lease term;
- c. there is a change in the determination of whether fulfillment is dependent on a specified asset;
or
- d. there is a substantial change to the asset.

Where a reassessment is made, lease accounting shall commence or cease from the date when the change in circumstances gave rise to the reassessment for scenarios (a), (c) or (d) and at the date of renewal or extension period for scenario (b).

Company as Lessee. Operating lease payments are recognized as an expense in the statement of income on a straight-line basis over the term of the lease.

Foreign Currency-denominated Transactions and Translations

The Company determines its own functional currency and items included in the financial statements are measured using that functional currency. The Company has determined its functional currency to be the Philippine peso. Transactions in foreign currencies are initially recorded in the functional currency rate ruling at the date of the transaction. Monetary assets and liabilities denominated in foreign currencies are retranslated at the functional currency closing exchange rate at balance sheet date. All differences are taken to the statement of income with the exception of differences on foreign currency borrowings that are regarded as adjustments to interest cost, and are capitalized as part of the cost of the service concession asset during the construction period.

Borrowing Costs

Borrowing costs are capitalized as part of service concession asset if they are directly attributable to the acquisition and construction of the Project. Capitalization of borrowing costs commences when the activities to prepare for the construction of the Project are in progress and expenditures



and borrowing costs are being incurred, until the assets are ready for their intended use. If the resulting carrying amount of the asset exceeds its recoverable amount, an impairment loss is recorded.

Borrowing costs include interest charges, amortization of debt issue costs and other costs incurred in connection with the borrowing of funds, including exchange differences arising from foreign currency borrowings used to finance the Project, to the extent that they are regarded as adjustments to interest cost.

All other borrowing costs are expensed in the period they are incurred.

Retirement Costs

The Company has a defined benefit retirement plan. The cost of providing benefits under the defined benefit plan is determined using the projected unit credit method. Retirement cost includes current service cost, interest cost, expected return on plan assets, amortization of unrecognized past service costs, recognition of actuarial gains or losses and effect of any curtailments or settlements. Actuarial gains and losses are recognized as income or expense when the net cumulative unrecognized actuarial gains and losses for the plan at the end of the previous reporting year exceeded 10% of the higher of the defined benefit obligation and the fair value of plan assets at that date. These gains or losses are recognized over the expected average remaining working lives of the employees participating in the plan.

The past service cost is recognized as an expense on a straight-line basis over the average period until the benefits become vested. If the benefits are already vested immediately following the introduction of, or changes to, a retirement plan, past service cost is recognized immediately.

The accrued retirement cost is the aggregate of the present value of the retirement obligation and actuarial gains and losses not recognized reduced by past service cost not yet recognized and the fair value of plan assets out of which the obligations are to be settled directly. If such aggregate is negative, the asset is measured at the lower of such aggregate or the aggregate of cumulative unrecognized net actuarial losses and past service cost and the present value of any economic benefits available in the form of refunds from the plan or reductions in the future contributions to the plan. Plan assets are assets that are held by a long-term employee benefit fund. Plan assets are not available to the creditors of the Company, nor can they be paid directly to the Company. Fair value is based on market price information and, in the case of quoted securities, it is the published bid price.

If the asset is measured at the aggregate of cumulative unrecognized net actuarial losses and past service cost and the present value of any economic benefits available in the form of refunds from the plan or reductions in the future contributions to the plan, net actuarial losses of the current period and past service cost of the current period are recognized immediately to the extent that they exceed any reduction in the present value of those economic benefits. If there is no change or an increase in the present value of the economic benefits, the entire net actuarial losses of the current period and past service cost of the current period are recognized immediately. Similarly, net actuarial gains of the current period after the deduction of past service cost of the current period exceeding any increase in the present value of the economic benefits stated above are recognized immediately if the asset is measured at the aggregate of cumulative unrecognized net actuarial losses and past service cost and the present value of any economic benefits available in the form of refunds from the plan or reductions in the future contributions to the plan. If there is no change or decrease in the present value of the economic benefits, the entire net actuarial gains of the current period after the deduction of past service cost of the current period are recognized immediately.



A settlement occurs when an entity enters into a transaction that eliminates all further legal or constructive obligation for part or all of the benefits provided under a defined benefit plan, for example, when a lump sum cash payment is made to, or on behalf of, plan participants in exchange for their rights to receive specified post-employment benefits. Gains or losses on settlement of a defined benefit plan are recognized when the settlement occurs. The gains or losses on a settlement comprise: (a) any resulting change in the present value of the defined benefit obligation; (b) any resulting change in fair value of plan assets; and (c) any related actuarial gains and losses and past service cost that had not previously been recognized.

Share-based Payment

MPIC has an Executive Stock Option Plan (ESOP) for eligible executives to receive remuneration in the form of share-based payment transactions, whereby executives render services in exchange for the share option.

Executives of the Company are granted rights to equity instruments of MPIC as consideration for the services provided to the Company.

The Company shall measure the services received from its employees in accordance with the requirements applicable to equity-settled share-based payment transactions, with a corresponding increase recognized in equity as a contribution from MPIC, provided that the share-based arrangement is accounted for as equity-settled in the consolidated financial statements of MPIC.

A parent grants rights to its equity instruments to the employees of its subsidiaries, conditional upon the completion of continuing service with the group for a specified period. An employee of one subsidiary may transfer employment to another subsidiary during the specified vesting period without the employee's rights to equity instruments of the parent under the original share-based payment arrangement being affected. Each subsidiary shall measure the services received from the employee by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date those rights to equity instruments were originally granted by the parent, and the proportion of the vesting period served by the employee with each subsidiary.

Such an employee may fail to satisfy a vesting condition other than a market condition after transferring between group entities. In this case, each subsidiary shall adjust the amount previously recognized in respect of the services received from the employee. Hence, no amount is recognized on a cumulative basis for the services received from that employee in the financial statements of any subsidiary if the rights to the equity instruments granted by the parent do not vest because of an employee's failure to meet a vesting condition other than a market condition.

Where the terms of an equity-settled transaction award are modified, the minimum expense recognized is the expense as if the terms had not been modified, if the original terms of the award are met. An additional expense is recognized for any modification that increases the total fair value of the share-based payment transaction, or is otherwise beneficial to the employee as measured at the date of modification.

Long-term Employee Benefits

MPTC has long-term incentive plan (LTIP) which grants cash incentives to eligible key executives of MPTC and its subsidiaries, including the Company. Liability under the LTIP is determined using the projected unit credit method. Employee benefit costs include current service costs, interest cost, actuarial gains and loss and past service costs. Past service costs and actuarial gains and losses are recognized immediately.



The liability under LTIP comprise the present value of the defined benefit obligation (using discount rate based on government bonds) vested at the balance sheet date.

Income Taxes

Current Tax. Current tax assets and liabilities for the current and prior periods are measured at the amount expected to be recovered from or paid to the taxation authority. The tax rates and tax laws used to compute the amount are those that are enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Deferred Tax. Deferred tax is provided, using the balance sheet liability method, on all temporary differences at the balance sheet date between the tax bases of assets and liabilities and their carrying amounts for financial reporting purposes.

Deferred tax liabilities are recognized for all taxable temporary differences. Deferred tax assets are recognized for all deductible temporary differences. Deferred tax, however, is not recognized when it arises from the initial recognition of an asset or liability in a transaction that is not a business combination and, at the time of the transaction, affects neither the accounting profit nor taxable income or loss.

The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each balance sheet date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable income will be available to allow all or part of the deferred tax assets to be utilized.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are measured at the tax rates that are expected to apply to the year when the asset is realized or the liability is settled, based on tax rate and tax laws that have been enacted or substantively enacted at the balance sheet date.

Current and deferred tax assets and liabilities relating to items recognized directly in equity are recognized in equity and not in the statement of income.

Deferred tax assets and deferred tax liabilities are offset if a legally enforceable right exists to set off current tax assets against current tax liabilities and the deferred tax relate to the same taxable entity and the same taxation authority.

Value-added Tax

Revenues, expenses and assets are recognized net of the amount of VAT except:

- a. Where the VAT incurred on a purchase of assets or services is not recoverable from the taxation authority, in which case the VAT is recognized as part of the cost of acquisition of the asset or as part of the expense item as applicable.
- b. Receivables and payables that are stated with the amount of VAT included.

The net amount of VAT recoverable from, or payable to, the taxation authority is included as input value-added tax or as part of payables in the balance sheet.

Contingencies

Contingent liabilities are not recognized in the financial statements but are disclosed unless the possibility of an outflow of resources embodying economic benefits is remote. Contingent assets are not recognized in the financial statements but disclosed when an inflow of economic benefits is probable.



Events After the Balance Sheet Date

Post year-end events that provide additional information about the Company's financial position at the balance sheet date (adjusting events), if any, are reflected in the financial statements. Post year-end events that are not adjusting events are disclosed in the notes to financial statements when material.

4. Future Changes in Accounting Policies

The Company has not applied the following PFRS, Philippine Interpretations and amendments to existing standards which are not yet effective as at December 31, 2012:

- PFRS 7, "Financial Instruments: Disclosures – Offsetting Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities" (Amendments) (retrospectively applied for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013) — These amendments require an entity to disclose information about rights of set-off and related arrangements (such as collateral agreements). The new disclosures are required for all recognized financial instruments that are set off in accordance with PAS 32. These disclosures also apply to recognized financial instruments that are subject to an enforceable master netting arrangement or 'similar agreement', irrespective of whether they are set-off in accordance with PAS 32. The amendments require entities to disclose, in a tabular format unless another format is more appropriate, the following minimum quantitative information. This is presented separately for financial assets and financial liabilities recognized at the end of the reporting period:
 - a. The gross amounts of those recognized financial assets and recognized financial liabilities;
 - b. The amounts that are set off in accordance with the criteria in PAS 32 when determining the net amounts presented in the statement of financial position;
 - c. The net amounts presented in the statement of financial position;
 - d. The amounts subject to an enforceable master netting arrangement or similar agreement that are not otherwise included in (b) above, including:
 - i. Amounts related to recognized financial instruments that do not meet some or all of the offsetting criteria in PAS 32; and
 - ii. Amounts related to financial collateral (including cash collateral); and
 - e. The net amount after deducting the amounts in (d) from the amounts in (c) above.

The amendments to PFRS 7 affect disclosures only and have no impact on the Company's financial position or performance.

- PFRS 9, "Financial Instruments" (effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2015) — PFRS 9, as issued, reflects the first phase of the work on the replacement of PAS 39 and applies to classification and measurement of financial assets and financial liabilities as defined in PAS 39. Work on impairment of financial instruments and hedge accounting is still ongoing, with a view to replacing PAS 39 in its entirety. PFRS 9 requires all financial assets to be measured at fair value at initial recognition. A debt financial asset may, if the fair value option (FVO) is not invoked, be subsequently measured at amortized cost if it is held within a business model that has the objective to hold the assets to collect the contractual cash flows and its contractual terms give rise, on specified dates, to cash flows that are solely payments of principal and interest on the principal outstanding. All other debt instruments are subsequently measured at fair value through profit or loss. All equity financial assets are measured at fair value either through OCI or profit or loss. Equity financial assets held for trading must be measured at fair value through profit or loss. For FVO liabilities, the amount of change in the fair value of a liability that is attributable to changes in credit risk must be



presented in OCI. The remainder of the change in fair value is presented in profit or loss, unless presentation of the fair value change in respect of the liability's credit risk in OCI would create or enlarge an accounting mismatch in profit or loss. All other PAS 39 classification and measurement requirements for financial liabilities have been carried forward into PFRS 9, including the embedded derivative separation rules and the criteria for using the FVO. The adoption of the first phase of PFRS 9 will have an effect on the classification and measurement of the Company's financial assets, but will potentially have no impact on classification and measurements of financial liabilities. The Company will quantify the effect of this standard in conjunction with the other phases, when issued, to present a comprehensive picture.

- PFRS 10, "Consolidated Financial Statements" (effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013) — PFRS 10 replaces the portion of PAS 27, "Consolidated and Separate Financial Statements", that addresses the accounting for consolidated financial statements. It also includes the issues raised in Standing Interpretations Committee Interpretation (SIC) 12, "Consolidation - Special Purpose Entities". PFRS 10 establishes a single control model that applies to all entities including special purpose entities. The changes introduced by PFRS 10 will require management to exercise significant judgment to determine which entities are controlled, and therefore, are required to be consolidated by a parent, compared with the requirements that were in PAS 27. This standard will have no impact on the Company's financial position and performance.
- PFRS 11, "Joint Arrangements" (effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013) — PFRS 11 replaces PAS 31, "Interests in Joint Ventures" and SIC 13, "Jointly-controlled Entities - Non-monetary Contributions by Venturers". PFRS 11 removes the option to account for jointly controlled entities (JCEs) using proportionate consolidation. Instead, JCEs that meet the definition of a joint venture must be accounted for using the equity method. This standard will have no impact on the Company's financial position or performance.
- PFRS 12, "Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities" (effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013) — PFRS 12 includes all of the disclosures that were previously in PAS 27 related to consolidated financial statements, as well as all of the disclosures that were previously included in PAS 31 and PAS 28, "Investments in Associates". These disclosures relate to an entity's interests in subsidiaries, joint arrangements, associates and structured entities. A number of new disclosures are also required. The adoption of PFRS 12 will have no impact on the Company's financial position or performance.
- PFRS 13, "Fair Value Measurement" (effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013) — PFRS 13 establishes a single source of guidance under PFRSs for all fair value measurements. PFRS 13 does not change when an entity is required to use fair value, but rather provides guidance on how to measure fair value under PFRS when fair value is required or permitted. This standard should be applied prospectively as of the beginning of the annual period in which it is initially applied. Its disclosure requirements need not be applied in comparative information provided for periods before initial application of PFRS 13. The Company does not anticipate that the adoption of this standard will have a significant impact on its financial position and performance.
- PAS 1, "Financial Statement Presentation - Presentation of Items of Other Comprehensive Income" (effective for annual periods beginning on or after July 1, 2012) — The amendments to PAS 1 change the grouping of items presented in OCI. Items that can be reclassified (or "recycled") to profit or loss at a future point in time (for example, upon derecognition or settlement) will be presented separately from items that will never be recycled. The



amendments affect presentation only and have no impact on the Company's financial position or performance. The amendments will be applied retrospectively and will result to the modification of the presentation of items of OCI.

- PAS 19, "Employee Benefits" (Revised) (effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013) — These amendments range from fundamental changes such as removing the corridor mechanism and the concept of expected returns on plan assets to simple clarifications and re-wording. The revised standard also requires new disclosures such as, among others, a sensitivity analysis for each significant actuarial assumption, information on asset-liability matching strategies, duration of the defined benefit obligation, and disaggregation of plan assets by nature and risk.

The Company reviewed its existing employee benefits and determined that the amended standard has significant impact on its accounting for retirement benefits. The Company obtained the services of an external actuary to compute the impact to the financial statements upon adoption of the standard. The effects are detailed below:

	As at December 31, 2012	As at January 1, 2012
Increase (decrease) in:		
<u>Balance sheet</u>		
Pension asset	(₱3,137,538)	₱–
Accrued retirement cost	–	37,286,305
Deferred tax liability - net	(941,261)	(11,185,892)
Other comprehensive income	21,754,018	–
Retained earnings	(23,950,295)	(26,100,413)
	<u>2012</u>	
<u>Statement of income</u>		
Provision for retirement benefits	(₱3,071,598)	
Income tax effects	921,480	
Net income	2,150,118	
	<u>2012</u>	
<u>Statement of comprehensive income</u>		
Remeasurement of pension asset	₱31,077,169	
Income tax effects	(9,323,151)	
Other comprehensive income	21,754,018	

- PAS 27, "Separate Financial Statements" (as revised in 2011) (effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013) — As a consequence of the new PFRS 10, "Consolidated Financial Statements" and PFRS 12, "Disclosure of Interests in Other Entities", what remains of PAS 27 is limited to accounting for subsidiaries, jointly controlled entities, and associates in separate financial statements. This amendment will have no impact on the Company's financial position or performance.
- PAS 28, "Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures" (as revised in 2011) (effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013) — As a consequence of the new PFRS 11, "Joint Arrangements" and PFRS 12, PAS 28 has been renamed PAS 28, "Investments in Associates and Joint Ventures", and describes the application of the equity



method to investments in joint ventures in addition to associates. This amendment will have no impact on the Company's financial position or performance.

- PAS 32, "Financial Instruments: Presentation – Offsetting Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities" (Amendments) (retrospectively applied for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2014) — These amendments to PAS 32 clarify the meaning of "currently has a legally enforceable right to set-off" and also clarify the application of the PAS 32 offsetting criteria to settlement systems (such as central clearing house systems) which apply gross settlement mechanisms that are not simultaneous. The amendments affect presentation only and have no impact on the Company's financial position or performance.
- Philippine Interpretation IFRIC 15, "Agreements for the Construction of Real Estate" — This interpretation covers accounting for revenue and associated expenses by entities that undertake the construction of real estate directly or through subcontractors. The SEC and the Financial Reporting Standards Council have deferred the effectivity of this interpretation until the final Revenue standard is issued by the International Accounting Standards Board and an evaluation of the requirements of the final Revenue standard against the practices of the Philippine real estate industry is completed. Adoption of the interpretation when it becomes effective will not have any impact on the financial statements of the Company.
- Philippine Interpretation IFRIC 20, "Stripping Costs in the Production Phase of a Surface Mine" (effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013) — This interpretation applies to waste removal (stripping) costs incurred in surface mining activity, during the production phase of the mine. The interpretation addresses the accounting for the benefit from the stripping activity. This new interpretation is not relevant to the Company.

Improvements to PFRSs. The Annual Improvements to PFRSs (2009-2011 cycle) contain non-urgent but necessary amendments to PFRSs. The amendments are effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2013 and are applied retrospectively. Earlier application is permitted.

- PFRS 1, "First-time Adoption of PFRS – Borrowing Costs" — The amendment clarifies that, upon adoption of PFRS, an entity that capitalized borrowing costs in accordance with its previous generally accepted accounting principles, may carry forward, without any adjustment, the amount previously capitalized in its opening statement of financial position at the date of transition. Subsequent to the adoption of PFRS, borrowing costs are recognized in accordance with PAS 23, "Borrowing Costs". The amendment does not apply to the Company as it is not a first-time adopter of PFRS.
- PAS 1, "Presentation of Financial Statements – Clarification of the Requirements for Comparative Information" — The amendments clarify the requirements for comparative information that are disclosed voluntarily and those that are mandatory due to retrospective application of an accounting policy, or retrospective restatement or reclassification of items in the financial statements. An entity must include comparative information in the related notes to the financial statements when it voluntarily provides comparative information beyond the minimum required comparative period. The additional comparative period does not need to contain a complete set of financial statements. On the other hand, supporting notes for the third balance sheet (mandatory when there is a retrospective application of an accounting policy, or retrospective restatement or reclassification of items in the financial statements) are not required. The amendments affect disclosures only and have no impact on the Company's financial position or performance.



- PAS 16, “Property, Plant and Equipment – Classification of Servicing Equipment” — The amendment clarifies that spare parts, stand-by equipment and servicing equipment should be recognized as property, plant and equipment when they meet the definition of property, plant and equipment and should be recognized as inventory if otherwise. The amendment will not have any significant impact on the Company’s financial position or performance.
- PAS 32, “Financial Instruments: Presentation – Tax Effect of Distribution to Holders of Equity Instruments” — The amendment clarifies that income taxes relating to distributions to equity holders and to transaction costs of an equity transaction are accounted for in accordance with PAS 12. The Company expects that this amendment will not have any impact on its financial position or performance.
- PAS 34, “Interim Financial Reporting – Interim Financial Reporting and Segment Information for Total Assets and Liabilities” — The amendment clarifies that the total assets and liabilities for a particular reportable segment need to be disclosed only when the amounts are regularly provided to the chief operating decision maker and there has been a material change from the amount disclosed in the entity’s previous annual financial statements for that reportable segment. The Company expects that this amendment will not have any impact on its financial position or performance.

5. Significant Accounting Judgments, Estimates and Assumptions

The preparation of the financial statements in compliance with PFRS requires management to make judgments, estimates and assumptions that affect certain reported amounts and disclosures. In preparing the financial statements, management has made its best judgment and estimates of certain amounts, giving due consideration to materiality. The judgments and estimates used in the financial statements are based upon management’s evaluation of relevant facts and circumstances as at the date of the financial statements. Actual results could differ from those estimates, and such estimates will be adjusted accordingly.

The Company believes that the following represent a summary of these significant judgments and estimates and the related impact and associated risks in the financial statements.

Judgments

In the process of applying the Company’s accounting policies, management has made certain judgments, apart from those involving estimations, which have the most significant effect on the amounts recognized in the financial statements.

Determination of Functional Currency. Based on the economic substance of the underlying circumstances relevant to the Company, the functional currency has been determined to be Philippine peso. It is the currency that mainly influences the selling prices for the Company’s services and the currency that influences labor and other cost of providing the services.

Service Concession Arrangement. Philippine Interpretation IFRIC 12, “Service Concession Arrangements,” outlines an approach to account for contractual arrangements arising from entities providing public services. It provides that the operator should not account for the infrastructure as property, plant and equipment, but recognize a financial asset and/or an intangible asset.

As discussed in Note 2, the ROP (Grantor), acting by and through the TRB, PNCC (Franchisee) and MNTC (Concessionaire) executed the STOA for the Manila-North Expressway, whereby the ROP granted MNTC the rights, obligations and privileges including the authority to finance,



design, construct, operate and maintain the project roads as toll roads (the “Concession”). Upon expiry of the service concession period, MNTC shall hand-over the project roads to the Grantor without cost, free from any and all liens and encumbrances and fully operational and in good working condition, including any and all existing land required, works, toll road facilities and equipment found therein directly related to and in connection with the operation of the toll road facilities.

The Company has made a judgment that the STOA for the Manila-North Expressway qualifies under the intangible asset model, wherein the service concession asset is recognized as an intangible asset in accordance with PAS 38, “Intangibles.” This intangible asset is amortized using the straight-line method over the life of the concession agreement as management believes that straight-line best reflect the pattern of consumption of the concession asset. The carrying value of service concession asset amounted to ₱15,184.2 million and ₱15,556.7 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Note 8).

The Company also recognizes construction revenues and costs in accordance with PAS 11. It measures contract revenue at the fair value of the consideration received or receivable. Given that MNTC has subcontracted the construction to outside contractors, the construction revenue recognized is equal to the construction costs. Construction revenue and costs recognized in statements of income amounted to ₱224.8 million and ₱99.1 million for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

The Company also recognizes its contractual obligations to restore the toll roads to a specified level of serviceability starting January 1, 2008 following the final turnover of the Phase I of the Project from the contractor in October 2007. The Company recognizes a provision following PAS 37, as the obligation arises which is a consequence of the use of the toll roads and therefore it is proportional to the number of vehicles using the toll roads and increasing in measurable annual increments. Provision for heavy maintenance amounted to ₱336.7 million and ₱370.4 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Note 12).

Classifying HTM Investment. The classification to HTM investments requires significant judgment. In making this judgment, the Company evaluates its intention and ability to hold such investments to maturity. If the Company fails to keep these investments to maturity, it will be required to reclassify the entire portfolio as part of AFS financial assets. The investments would therefore be measured at fair value and not at amortized cost.

Prior to 2010, the Company classified its investments in bonds as HTM investments. However, in 2010, the Company sold a significant portion of its investments in bonds before their maturity dates. Thus, the Company reclassified the remaining and newly acquired investment in bonds as AFS financial assets and re-measured the investments to fair value. The breach on the tainting rule precluded the Company from classifying any financial asset as HTM investments for two years and as such, its investments in bonds continues to be classified as AFS financial assets as at December 31, 2012 and 2011 (see Note 26).

Estimates and Assumptions

The key assumptions concerning the future and other key sources of estimation uncertainty at the balance sheet date that have a significant risk of causing a material adjustment to the carrying amounts of assets and liabilities within the next financial year are discussed below.

Determination of Fair Value of Financial Instruments (Including Derivatives). The Company initially records all financial instruments at fair value and subsequently carries certain financial assets and liabilities at fair value, which requires extensive use of accounting estimates and



judgment. Valuation techniques are used particularly for financial assets and liabilities (including derivatives) that are not quoted in an active market. Where valuation techniques are used to determine fair values (discounted cash flow analysis and option pricing models), they are periodically reviewed by qualified personnel who are independent of the trading function. All models are calibrated to ensure that outputs reflect actual data and comparative market prices. To the extent practicable, models use only observable data as valuation inputs. However, other inputs such as credit risk (whether that of the Company or the counterparties), forward prices, volatilities and correlations, require management to develop estimates or make adjustments to observable data of comparable instruments. The amount of changes in fair values would differ if the Company uses different valuation assumptions or other acceptable methodologies. Any change in fair value of these financial instruments (including derivatives) would affect either the statement of income or statement of changes in equity.

Fair values of financial assets and liabilities are presented in Note 26.

Allowance for Doubtful Accounts. Allowance for doubtful accounts is maintained at a level considered adequate to provide for potentially uncollectible receivables. The level of allowance is based on past collection experience and other factors that may affect collectibility. An evaluation of the receivables using specific method, designed to identify potential charges to the allowance, is performed on a continuous basis throughout the year. There were no provisions under collective assessment in 2012 and 2011.

Receivables, net of allowance for doubtful accounts of ₱5.3 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, amounted to ₱163.7 million and ₱100.8 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Note 7).

Due from related parties amounted to ₱5.5 million and ₱9.8 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Note 13).

Impairment of AFS Financial Assets. For debt instruments classified as AFS financial assets, the Company considers loss events that has an impact on the estimated future cash flows of the financial asset, among others, the issuer is experiencing significant financial difficulty, default or delinquency in interest or principal payments, the probability that they will enter bankruptcy or other financial reorganization. Other observable data may indicate that there is a measurable decrease in the estimated future cash flows, such as changes in arrears or economic conditions that correlate with defaults.

No impairment loss was recognized in 2012 and 2011. The carrying value of AFS financial assets amounted to ₱640.3 million and ₱577.7 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Note 26).

Input/Output VAT. Upon the effectivity of Republic Act No. 9337 (RA 9337), the Bureau of Internal Revenue (BIR) issued Revenue Regulation (RR) No. 16-2005 on September 1, 2005, which, for the first time, expressly referred to toll road operations as being subject to VAT. This notwithstanding VAT Ruling 078-99 issued on August 9, 1999 where BIR categorically ruled that MNTC, as assignee of the PNCC franchise, is entitled to the tax exemption privileges of PNCC and is exempt from VAT on its gross receipts from the operation of the NLE.

As further discussed in Note 28, the Company, together with other tollway operators, continued to discuss the issue of VAT with the concerned government agencies from 2005 to 2011. The BIR continuously upheld its position that the tollway operators are subject to VAT and issued several Revenue Memorandum Circulars (RMCs) for the imposition of the VAT. The BIR also continuously



issued VAT assessments to the Company. On the other hand, the TRB continued to direct the tollway companies (including the Company) to defer the imposition of the VAT.

On July 19, 2010, the BIR issued RMC No. 63-2010 to fully implement the imposition of VAT on toll fees. Following the issuance of the RMC, the Company applied for abatement of alleged VAT liabilities for taxable years 2006 and 2007. The BIR was not able to resolve the application for abatement of MNTC because on August 13, 2010, the Supreme Court (SC) issued a temporary restraining order (TRO) on the imposition of the 12% VAT on tollway operators.

On July 19, 2011, the SC upheld the legality of RMC No. 63-2010 issued by the BIR on July 19, 2010, in line with Section 108 of the National Internal Revenue Code (NIRC) that allows the imposition of VAT on all services for a fee. In relation to the SC Decision dated July 19, 2011, the BIR issued RMC No. 39-2011 dated August 31, 2011 to fully implement the imposition of VAT on the gross receipts of tollway operators from all types of vehicles starting October 1, 2011.

In view of RMC No. 39-2011, the Company started imposing VAT on toll fees from motorists and correspondingly started recognizing VAT liability on October 1, 2011. As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, total output VAT liability amounted to ₱86.9 million and ₱76.6 million, respectively (see Note 11). With respect to input VAT, the Company reversed the accumulated input VAT as at December 31, 2010 amounting to ₱1,438.7 million of which, ₱1,150.6 million relates to input VAT on operating expenses and were written off against the related allowance in 2011. The remaining ₱288.1 million input VAT was capitalized to service concession asset as this relates to the construction of service concession asset, property and equipment and other current and noncurrent assets (see Notes 8 and 9). Management believes that had the input VAT not been previously recognized, the input VAT should have formed part of the cost of the assets. The related allowance of ₱288.1 million on input VAT was reversed to income upon capitalization of the input VAT to service concession asset, property and equipment and other current and noncurrent assets in 2011 (see Note 22). Starting October 1, 2011, as allowed under RMC No. 39-2011, the Company recognized input VAT from its purchases of goods and services, portion of which had been applied against output VAT set up as discussed above. As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, the unapplied input VAT amounted to ₱32.4 million and ₱42.1 million, respectively.

Estimating NRV of Inventories. Inventories are presented at the lower of cost or NRV. Estimates of NRV are based on the most reliable evidence available at the time the estimates are made of the amount the inventories are expected to be realized. A review of the items of inventories is performed at each balance sheet date to reflect the accurate valuation of inventories in the financial statements.

There was no write-down of inventories recognized in the financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011. Inventories amounted to ₱45.3 million and ₱55.3 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

Estimated Useful Lives. The useful life of each of the Company's item of service concession asset, property and equipment and intangible assets is estimated based on the period over which the assets are expected to be available for use by the Company. Such estimation is based on a collective assessment of similar businesses, internal technical evaluation and experience with similar assets. The estimated useful life of each asset is reviewed periodically and updated if expectations differ from previous estimates due to physical wear and tear, technical or commercial obsolescence and legal or other limits on the use of the asset. It is possible, however, that future results of operations could be materially affected by changes in the amounts and timing of recorded expenses brought about by changes in the factors mentioned above. An increase in the estimated useful life of any item of service concession asset, property and equipment and intangible assets would decrease the recorded depreciation and amortization expense.



There were no changes in the estimated useful lives of service concession asset, property and equipment and intangible assets in 2012 and 2011. The carrying values of the Company's nonfinancial assets as at December 31, 2012 and 2011 are as follows:

	2012	2011
Service concession asset (see Note 8)	₱15,184,223,470	₱15,556,734,023
Property and equipment (see Note 9)	105,970,726	108,827,544
Intangible assets (see Note 10)	13,918,628	12,709,316

Impairment of Nonfinancial Assets. Impairment review of service concession asset, property and equipment and intangible assets is performed when certain impairment indicators are present. Determining the fair value of assets requires the estimation of cash flows, expected to be generated from the continued and ultimate disposition of such assets.

There was no impairment loss recognized in the financial statements for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011. There was no impairment testing performed for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 as there were no indicators of impairment. The carrying values of the Company's nonfinancial assets as at December 31, 2012 and 2011 are as follows:

	2012	2011
Service concession asset (see Note 8)	₱15,184,223,470	₱15,556,734,023
Property and equipment (see Note 9)	105,970,726	108,827,544
Intangible assets (see Note 10)	13,918,628	12,709,316

Recognition of Deferred Tax Assets. The carrying amount of deferred tax assets is reviewed at each balance sheet date and reduced to the extent that it is no longer probable that sufficient taxable income will be available to allow or part of the deferred tax assets to be utilized. The Company's assessment on the recognition of deferred tax assets on deductible temporary differences is based on the expected future results of operations.

Deferred tax assets amounted ₱155.2 million and ₱153.4 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Note 23).

Share-based Payments. The Company measures the cost of equity-settled transactions with employees by reference to the fair value of the equity instruments at the date at which they are granted. Estimating fair value for share-based payments requires determining the most appropriate valuation model for a grant of equity instruments, which is dependent on the terms and conditions of the grant. This estimate also requires determining the most appropriate inputs to the valuation model including the expected life of the option, volatility and dividend yield and making assumptions about them. The assumptions and models used for estimating fair value for share-based payments are disclosed in Note 19.

Total cost arising from share-based payments recognized by the Company, included in salaries and employee benefits under "General and administrative expenses" account in the statement of income, amounted to ₱1.9 million and ₱5.6 million for the year ended December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Notes 17 and 19).

Retirement Costs. The cost of defined benefit retirement plan and the present value of the defined benefit obligation are determined using actuarial valuations. The actuarial valuations involve making various assumptions about discount rates, expected return on assets, future salary increases, mortality rates and future pension increases. Due to the complexity of the valuation, underlying assumptions and its long-term nature, a defined benefit obligation is highly sensitive to changes in these



assumptions. All assumptions are reviewed at each balance sheet date. Further details about the assumptions used are given in Note 18.

Pension asset amounted to ₱20.0 million as at December 31, 2012. Accrued retirement costs amounted to ₱10.6 million as at December 31, 2011. Cumulative unrecognized actuarial loss amounted to ₱2.9 million and ₱36.6 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Note 18).

Long-Term Incentives Benefits. The LTIP for key executives of MPTC and its subsidiaries (includes the Company) was approved by MPTC's BOD and is based on profit targets for the covered performance cycle. The cost of LTIP is determined using the projected unit credit method based on prevailing discount rates and profit targets. While management's assumptions are believed to be reasonable and appropriate, significant differences in actual results or changes in assumptions may materially affect the Company's long-term incentives benefits.

LTIP payable as at December 31, 2012 amounted to ₱32.4 million (see Note 18). There was no LTIP in 2011.

Provisions. The Company recognizes provisions based on estimates of whether it is probable that an outflow of resources will be required to settle an obligation. Where the final outcome of these matters is different from the amounts that were initially recognized, such differences will impact the financial performance in the current period in which such determination is made.

The provision for the heavy maintenance requires an estimation of the periodic cost, generally estimated to be every seven years or the expected heavy maintenance dates, to restore the assets to a level of serviceability during the service concession term and in good condition before the turnover to the Grantor. This is based on the best estimate of management to be the amount expected to be incurred to settle the obligation at every heavy maintenance date discounted using a pre-tax rate that reflects the current market assessment of the time value of money and the risk specific to the liability.

Provisions (current and noncurrent) amounted to ₱501.1 million and ₱439.0 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Note 12).

Contingencies. The Company is a party to certain lawsuits or claims arising from the ordinary course of business. However, the Company's management and legal counsel believe that the eventual liabilities under these lawsuits or claims, if any, will not have a material effect on the Company's financial statements (see Note 28).

6. Cash and Cash Equivalents

This account consists of:

	2012	2011
Cash on hand and in banks	₱487,196,703	₱115,395,103
Short-term deposits	2,190,802,226	1,005,522,058
	₱2,677,998,929	₱1,120,917,161

Cash in banks earn interest at the prevailing bank deposit rates. Short-term deposits are made for varying periods of up to three months depending on the immediate cash requirements of the Company and earn interest at the respective short-term deposit rates (see Note 20).



7. Receivables

This account consists of:

	2012	2011
Trade receivables (see Note 13)	₱127,708,069	₱89,345,710
Interest receivables	6,546,919	3,513,967
Advances to officers and employees (see Note 13)	5,255,272	6,951,469
Other receivables (see Note 13)	29,440,155	6,233,911
	168,950,415	106,045,057
Less allowance for doubtful accounts	5,259,500	5,259,500
	₱163,690,915	₱100,785,557

Trade receivables are noninterest-bearing and are generally collectible within a year.

Advances to officers and employees are normally collectible or liquidated within a month.

Interest receivables are collectible within three months.

Other receivables are noninterest-bearing and are collectible within a year. As at December 31, 2012, other receivables include those receivables from motorists who caused accidental damage to NLE property from day-to-day operations.

There were no movements in the allowance for individually assessed impaired trade receivables as at December 31, 2012 and 2011.

8. Service Concession Asset

The movements in this account follow:

	2012	2011
Cost:		
Balance at beginning of year	₱19,813,824,598	₱19,486,623,005
Additions	224,847,664	99,077,443
Reclassification (see Note 5)	-	228,124,150
Balance at end of year	₱20,038,672,262	₱19,813,824,598
Accumulated amortization:		
Balance at beginning of year	₱4,257,090,575	₱3,664,103,452
Amortization (see Note 16)	597,358,217	592,987,123
Balance at end of year	₱4,854,448,792	₱4,257,090,575
Carrying value:		
At December 31	₱15,184,223,470	₱15,556,734,023
At January 1	15,556,734,023	15,822,519,553

Additions during 2012 pertain to the costs of the supply, installation, test and commissioning of fixed operating equipment (FOE) for the Plaridel Bypass Interchange and Bocaue and Angeles Interchange Toll Facilities, part of Phase I of the NLE. The Plaridel Bypass Interchange has started commercial operations in March 2012, whereas, the Bocaue and Angeles Interchange has started commercial



operations in July 2012. Additions also include the pre-construction costs of Segments 8.2, 9 and 10 of Phase II of the Project.

Additions during 2011 pertain mainly to pre-construction costs of Segments 8.2, 9 and 10 of Phase II of the Project.

As discussed in Note 5, input VAT amounting to ₱228.1 million relates to the construction of the toll road and therefore were reclassified to “Service concession asset” account in 2011 and are being amortized over the remaining service concession term using the straight line method. The amortization of the capitalized input VAT amounted to ₱8.2 million for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011.

9. Property and Equipment

The movements in this account follow:

	Building, Building Improvements and Leasehold Improvements	Transportation Equipment	Office Equipment and Others	Total
Cost:				
At January 1, 2011	₱69,824,103	₱51,445,415	₱72,624,196	₱193,893,714
Additions	2,285,388	16,390,137	12,590,273	31,265,798
Reclassifications (see Note 5)	7,200,251	1,326,214	954,424	9,480,889
Disposals	-	(6,541,022)	(1,311,877)	(7,852,899)
At December 31, 2011	79,309,742	62,620,744	84,857,016	226,787,502
Additions	12,530,431	4,979,643	9,359,850	26,869,924
Disposals	-	(7,489,776)	(6,215,938)	(13,705,714)
At December 31, 2012	₱91,840,173	₱60,110,611	₱88,000,928	₱239,951,712
Accumulated depreciation:				
At January 1, 2011	₱14,011,759	₱28,908,133	₱58,227,111	₱101,147,003
Depreciation (see Note 17)	5,002,690	10,125,768	9,493,886	24,622,344
Disposals	-	(6,497,568)	(1,311,821)	(7,809,389)
At December 31, 2011	19,014,449	32,536,333	66,409,176	117,959,958
Depreciation (see Note 17)	5,240,076	10,463,936	7,981,403	23,685,415
Disposals	-	(6,625,123)	(1,039,264)	(7,664,387)
At December 31, 2012	₱24,254,525	₱36,375,146	₱73,351,315	₱133,980,986
Net book value:				
At December 31, 2012	₱67,585,648	₱23,735,465	₱14,649,613	₱105,970,726
At December 31, 2011	60,295,293	30,084,411	18,447,840	108,827,544
At January 1, 2011	55,812,344	22,537,282	14,397,085	92,746,711

The estimated useful lives of property and equipment are as follows:

Building and building improvements	5–25 years
Leasehold improvements	5 years
Transportation equipment	5 years
Office equipment and others	3–5 years



Computer software with carrying value of ₱12.7 million as at December 31, 2011 previously classified under “Property and equipment” account was reclassified to “Intangible assets” account to conform with current year presentation. The reclassification is only within noncurrent assets and is not material to the financial statements and therefore, opening balance sheet of 2011 is no longer presented (see Note 10).

As discussed in Note 5, input VAT amounting to ₱9.5 million relates to the purchase of property and equipment and therefore were reclassified to “Property and equipment” account in 2011 and are being depreciated over the remaining useful lives of the property and equipment using the straight-line method. The depreciation of the capitalized input VAT amounted to ₱1.9 million and ₱2.3 million for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

Proceeds from the sale of property and equipment amounted to ₱5.9 million and ₱0.4 million in 2012 and 2011, respectively. Loss on disposal of property and equipment amounted to ₱0.2 million for the year ended December 31, 2012 (see Note 22). Gain on disposal of property and equipment amounted to ₱0.3 million for the year ended December 31, 2011.

The gross carrying amounts of fully depreciated property and equipment that are still in use amounted to ₱76.7 million and ₱62.6 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

10. Intangible Assets

Intangible assets pertain to computer software relating to the Company’s accounting, reporting and asset management systems with estimated useful life of 5 years. The movements in this account follow:

	2012	2011
Cost:		
Balance at beginning of year	₱62,395,018	₱55,159,336
Additions	8,756,754	7,235,682
Balance at end of year	₱71,151,772	₱62,395,018
Accumulated amortization:		
Balance at beginning of year	₱49,685,702	₱42,783,111
Amortization (see Note 17)	7,547,442	6,902,591
Balance at end of year	₱57,233,144	₱49,685,702
Carrying value:		
At December 31	₱13,918,628	₱12,709,316
At January 1	12,709,316	12,376,225

As also discussed in Note 9, computer software with carrying value of ₱12.7 million as at December 31, 2011 previously classified under “Property and equipment” account was reclassified to “Intangible assets” account to conform with current year presentation.



11. Accounts Payable and Other Current Liabilities

This account consists of:

	2012	2011
Trade payables (see Note 13)	₱592,538,581	₱300,892,097
Accrued expenses (see Note 13)	524,196,935	562,494,677
Output value-added tax (see Note 5)	86,864,241	76,582,161
Withholding taxes payable	69,941,878	33,523,365
Retention payable	37,841,912	29,112,003
Interest payable	19,876,421	32,472,965
Others	11,543,013	24,987,576
	₱1,342,802,981	₱1,060,064,844

Trade payables and accrued expenses are noninterest-bearing and are normally settled within one year.

Accrued expenses consist of:

	2012	2011
Pretermination costs on interest rate swap (see Notes 14 and 26)	₱171,500,000	₱-
Operator's fee (see Note 13)	161,254,933	73,261,323
PNCC fee (see Note 13)	40,831,188	417,553,845
Salaries and employee benefits	37,702,201	35,263,818
Repairs and maintenance	31,114,920	13,823,669
Management fees (see Note 13)	28,967,568	-
Construction costs	19,693,654	831,690
Professional fees	9,904,443	5,790,763
Advertising and marketing expenses	8,468,592	684,705
Outside services	5,910,004	1,861,343
Toll collection and medical services	548,800	1,646,400
Others	8,300,632	11,777,121
	₱524,196,935	₱562,494,677

Interest payable is settled within six months.

12. Provisions

The movements in this account follow:

	Heavy Maintenance	Others	Total
At January 1, 2011	₱396,692,240	₱37,341,421	₱434,033,661
Additions (see Notes 16 and 17)	120,000,000	38,799,285	158,799,285
Payments	(146,297,614)	(7,500,000)	(153,797,614)
At December 31, 2011	370,394,626	68,640,706	439,035,332
Additions (see Notes 16 and 17)	120,000,000	108,313,713	228,313,713
Payments	(153,651,302)	(12,554,560)	(166,205,862)
At December 31, 2012	₱336,743,324	₱164,399,859	₱501,143,183



	Heavy Maintenance	Others	Total
At December 31, 2012:			
Current	₱154,037,407	₱94,672,619	₱248,710,026
Noncurrent	182,705,917	69,727,240	252,433,157
	₱336,743,324	₱164,399,859	₱501,143,183
At December 31, 2011:			
Current	₱180,462,724	₱68,640,706	₱249,103,430
Noncurrent	189,931,902	–	189,931,902
	₱370,394,626	₱68,640,706	₱439,035,332

As discussed in Note 5, provision for heavy maintenance pertains to the present value of the estimated contractual obligations of the Company to restore the service concession asset to a specified level of serviceability during the service concession term and to maintain the same assets in good condition prior to turnover of the assets to the Grantor. The amount of provision is reduced by the actual obligations paid for heavy maintenance of the service concession asset.

Other provisions include estimated liabilities for certain reimbursements of corporate expenses being claimed against the Company by a related party (see Note 13). Other provisions also include estimated liabilities for losses on claims by a third party. The information usually required by PAS 37 is not disclosed as it may prejudice the Company's negotiation with the third party.

13. Related Party Disclosures

Enterprises and individuals that directly, or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, control, or are controlled by, or under common control with the Company, including holding companies, subsidiaries and fellow subsidiaries are related parties of the Company. Associates and individuals owning, directly or indirectly, an interest in the voting power of the Company that gives them significant influence over the enterprise, key management personnel, including directors and officers of the Company and close members of the family of these individuals and companies associated with these individuals also constitute related parties.



The following table provides the total amount of significant transactions for the relevant year:

Related Party			Management Fees (see Note 17)	Operator's Fee (see Note 16)	PNCC Fee (see Note 16)	Outside Services (see Note 17)	Repairs and Maintenance (see Note 16)	Other Income (see Note 22)
MPTC	Intermediate Parent Company	2012	₱26,116,074	₱-	₱-	₱-	₱-	₱-
		2011	58,500,000	-	-	-	-	-
MPTDC	Parent Company	2012	26,116,069	-	-	-	-	-
		2011	-	-	-	-	-	-
PNCC	Stockholder	2012	-	-	39,985,915	-	-	-
		2011	-	-	385,244,775	-	-	-
TMC	Affiliate	2012	-	1,492,527,064	-	-	-	-
		2011	-	1,566,118,059	-	-	-	-
Egis Projects Philippines, Inc. (EPPI)	Affiliate	2012	-	-	-	-	14,923,509	-
		2011	-	-	-	-	26,153,481	-
Easytrip Services Corp. (ESC)	Affiliate	2012	-	-	-	31,531,621	-	273,420
		2011	-	-	-	32,835,319	-	-
Smart Communications Inc. (Smart)	Affiliate	2012	-	-	-	-	-	38,524,392
		2011	-	-	-	-	-	27,727,317
Philippine Long Distance Telephone Company (PLDT)	Affiliate	2012	-	-	-	-	-	1,849,518
		2011	-	-	-	-	-	2,583,821
Digital Mobile Philippines, Inc (Digitel)	Affiliate	2012	-	-	-	-	-	1,148,000
		2011	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total		2012	₱52,232,143	₱1,492,527,064	₱39,985,915	₱31,531,621	₱14,923,509	₱41,795,330
		2011	58,500,000	1,566,118,059	385,244,775	32,835,319	26,153,481	30,311,138



Outstanding balances of receivables from/payables to related parties are carried in the balance sheets under the following accounts:

	Relationship		Advances to Contractors and Consultants	Receivables (see Note 7)	Due from Related Parties ⁽¹⁾	Accounts Payable and Other Current Liabilities ⁽²⁾ (see Note 11)	Dividends Payable ⁽³⁾ (see Note 15)	Due to Related Parties	Terms	Conditions
MPTC	Intermediate Parent Company	2012	₱-	₱-	₱1,420,090	₱25,833,639	₱-	₱-	On demand;	Unsecured; no
		2011	-	-	4,404,248	-	-	468,000	noninterest-bearing	impairment
MPTDC	Parent Company	2012	-	-	3,379,826	3,133,929	560,097,120	-	On demand;	Unsecured; no
		2011	-	-	5,353,509	-	-	53,510	noninterest-bearing	impairment
PNCC	Stockholder	2012	-	-	-	40,831,188	20,868,000	-	(2) On demand;	Unsecured
		2011	-	-	-	417,553,845	37,740,000	-	noninterest-bearing (3) 15- 45 days; noninterest-bearing	
TMC	Affiliate	2012	-	-	655,959	325,537,240	-	-	(1) On demand;	Unsecured; no
		2011	-	-	-	295,636,057	-	-	noninterest-bearing (2) 30 days; noninterest-bearing	impairment
ESC	Affiliate	2012	-	63,799,316	-	38,731,663	-	-	On demand;	Unsecured; no
		2011	-	52,943,771	-	43,835,308	-	-	noninterest-bearing	impairment
EPPI	Affiliate	2012	9,031,041	-	-	3,860,731	-	-	On demand;	Unsecured; no
		2011	16,095,285	-	-	6,055,494	-	-	noninterest-bearing	impairment
Egis Projects, SA (Egis)	Stockholder	2012	-	-	-	-	116,026,080	-	45 days;	Unsecured
		2011	-	-	-	-	-	-	noninterest-bearing	
Global Fund Holdings, Inc. (GFHI)	Stockholder	2012	-	-	-	-	34,432,200	-	45 days;	Unsecured
		2011	-	-	-	-	-	-	noninterest-bearing	
Banco de Oro Unibank, Inc. (BDO)	Stockholder	2012	-	-	-	-	103,296,600	-	45 days;	Unsecured
		2011	-	-	-	-	-	-	noninterest-bearing	
Smart	Affiliate	2012	-	45,346,189	-	-	-	-	On demand;	Unsecured; no
		2011	-	12,421,535	-	-	-	-	noninterest-bearing	impairment

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	Relationship		Advances to Contractors and Consultants	Receivables (see Note 7)	Due from Related Parties ⁽¹⁾	Accounts Payable and Other Current Liabilities ⁽²⁾ (see Note 11)	Dividends Payable ⁽³⁾ (see Note 15)	Due to Related Parties	Terms	Conditions
PLDT	Affiliate	2012	₱-	₱1,294,078	₱-	₱-	₱-	₱-	On demand;	Unsecured; no
		2011	-	1,673,970	-	-	-	-	noninterest-bearing	impairment
Digitel	Affiliate	2012	-	2,611,840	-	-	-	-	On demand;	Unsecured; no
		2011	-	-	-	-	-	-	noninterest-bearing	impairment
		2012	₱9,031,041	₱113,051,423	₱5,455,875	₱437,928,390	₱834,720,000	₱-		
		2011	16,095,285	67,039,276	9,757,757	763,080,704	37,740,000	521,510		

Settlement of outstanding balances at year-end occurs in cash for the outstanding receivables from/payables to related parties, while advances to contractors and consultants will be applied to future services rendered.



Transactions with MPTC

- MPTC and MPTDC perform managerial and financial advisory services for the Company in 2012 and 2011. The Company is in the process of formalizing its management agreements with MPTC and MPTDC as at February 20, 2013.

Transactions with Stockholders

- In consideration of the assignment by PNCC of its usufructuary rights, interests and privileges under its franchise, PNCC is entitled to receive payment equivalent to 6% and 2% of the toll revenue from the NLE and Segment 7, respectively. Any unpaid balance carried forward will accrue interest at the rate of the latest Philippine 91-day Treasury bill rate plus 1% per annum. This entitlement, as affirmed in the Amended and Restated Shareholders' Agreement (ARSA) dated September 30, 2004, shall be subordinated to operating expenses and the requirements of the financing agreements and shall be paid out subject to availability of funds. In December 2006, the Company entered into a letter agreement with PNCC to set out the detailed procedure for payment.

The PNCC franchise expired in May 2007. However, since the payment is a continuing obligation under the ARSA, the Company continues to accrue and pay the PNCC entitlement.

Prior to the letter of TRB, the Company has been remitting payments directly to PNCC on a semi-annual basis. On December 2, 2010, the Company received a letter from the TRB dated November 30, 2010, citing a decision of the SC dated October 19, 2010 directing MNTC to remit forthwith to the National Treasury, through TRB, all payments representing PNCC's percentage share of the toll revenues and dividends, if any, arising out of PNCC's participation in the NLE Project. In the said decision, the SC ruled, among others, that after the expiration of the franchise of PNCC, its share/participation in the JVAs and STOAs, inclusive of its percentage share in toll fees collected by joint venture companies currently operating the expressways, shall accrue to the Philippine Government.

On the basis of the conflicting claims of PNCC and TRB to the revenue share and dividends, on December 8, 2010, the Company filed a motion for clarification asking the SC to clarify the entity to which the Company should remit its payments which was then due on December 20, 2010. Pending resolution by the SC of the motion for clarification, and pursuant to a BOD resolution dated December 23, 2010, the Company filed a petition for consignment with the Regional Trial Court (RTC) of Caloocan for the latter to hold the payments in trust and deliver to the party ultimately adjudged by the SC to be entitled to it, unless PNCC and the TRB, in the meantime, resolve the matter between themselves, in which case the funds should be delivered and disposed of pursuant to their agreement and settlement.

On December 29, 2010, the Company through a letter sent by its legal counsel, informed PNCC and TRB of the consignment made to the RTC of Caloocan. Moreover, in a resolution dated January 18, 2011, the SC directed the Company to remit to the National Treasury PNCC's percentage share of toll revenues and dividends arising out of PNCC's participation in the NLE Project. Subsequently, PNCC filed a motion for clarification with the SC to clarify whether only PNCC's net income from the toll revenues, or PNCC's gross share in the NLE tollway revenues, should be remitted to the National Government. On April 12, 2011, the SC issued a Resolution directing MNTC to remit PNCC's share in the net income from toll revenues to the National Treasury and the TRB, with the assistance of the Commission on Audit (COA), was directed to prepare and finalize the implementing rules and guidelines relative to the determination of the net income remittable by PNCC to the National Treasury.



In the meantime, while the guidelines have yet to be formulated, PNCC and TRB have agreed to remit the entire consigned amount to the National Treasury. Thus, PNCC, TRB and MNTC filed an urgent joint manifestation and motion with the RTC of Caloocan asking it to dismiss the Petition and remit the consigned amount to the National Treasury. MNTC subsequently filed a motion to dismiss PNCC's counterclaims against MNTC. On August 10, 2011, the RTC of Caloocan issued an Order dismissing PNCC's counterclaims against MNTC.

On September 19, 2011, Forum Holdings Corporation (FHC, an Intervenor) filed a Petition-in-Intervention with the RTC of Caloocan praying that MNTC be ordered to comply with its contractual commitment to PNCC under contract by releasing and delivering directly to PNCC the consigned amount. The Intervenor, however, does not pray for any damages against MNTC. PNCC has filed its opposition to the Motion for Intervention.

The SC, in a resolution dated November 15, 2011, ordered the RTC Judge to comply with the SC's resolutions and immediately remit PNCC's share in the net income from the toll revenues to the National Government. The RTC issued an Order dated November 24, 2011 that the consigned amount of ₱337.9 million (includes the PNCC fees for the period from January 2010 to November 2010 amounting to ₱310.4 million and dividends declared to PNCC in December 2010 amounting to ₱27.5 million) be remitted to the National Government. The consigned amount was remitted to the National Treasury on December 23, 2011. The remittance was certified in a Sheriff's return dated December 26, 2011 which was received by RTC of Caloocan on December 27, 2011.

On January 11, 2012, RTC of Caloocan, despite the fact that the consigned amount has already been remitted to the National Treasury, granted FHC's petition filed on September 19, 2011. Following the directive of the TRB dated March 22, 2012, MNTC has remitted to the National Government through the TRB the payments for the PNCC fees accruing since the month of December 2010 and the dividends payable to PNCC after December 2010. In accordance with the TRB directive, 90% of the PNCC fees and dividends payable was remitted to the TRB, while the balance of 10% to PNCC. As at February 20, 2013, the case is still pending with the RTC of Caloocan.

- The Company claimed reimbursements from MPTDC for certain expenses incurred in behalf of MPTDC amounting to ₱3.4 million and ₱5.5 million in 2012 and 2011, respectively. Outstanding receivables from MPTDC amounted to ₱3.4 million and ₱5.4 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

Transactions with Affiliates

- TMC, an associate of MPTDC, provides services to the Company as operator to the NLE, Segment 7 and Segment 8.1 under the O&M. The O&M contains the terms and conditions for the operation and maintenance by TMC of Phase I of the NLE and subsequently, of Segment 7, and sets forth the scope of its services. TMC is assisted by Egis Road Operation Philippines as service provider in accordance with the Technical Assistance Agreement (TAA). Under the O&M, the Company pays TMC a minimum fixed annual amount of ₱637.1 million for the NLE and ₱40.6 million for Segment 7, to be escalated on a quarterly basis plus a variable component, which took effect upon start of commercial operations. The O&M, which also provides for certain bonuses and penalties as described in the O&M, shall be effective for the entire concession period.



MPTDC (then FPIDC) and Egis Road Operation (collectively known as “Guarantors”) guaranteed the liability of TMC under the O&M pursuant to the Agreements on the shareholders’ corporate guarantee executed by the Guarantors with MNTC.

On May 7, 2010, MNTC and TMC agreed to reduce, effective on February 11, 2010, the minimum fixed annual amount from ₱637.1 million to ₱605.4 million for the NLE and from ₱40.6 million to ₱38.8 million for the Segment 7 in view of the expiration of the TAA on February 10, 2010 and due to the reduction of six Point of Sales facilities being operated and maintained by TMC.

Moreover, on May 27, 2010, pursuant to the O&M and the TRB’s approval to integrate the operations period of Phase I and Segment 8.1, portion of Phase II of the Project, and to extend the concession term, MNTC and TMC agreed to extend the O&M to cover Segment 8.1 from June 1, 2010 until December 31, 2037. Consequently, MNTC agreed to pay TMC an annual base fee for the operations and maintenance of Segment 8.1 in the amount of ₱33.6 million effective in June 2010.

On December 10, 2012, pursuant to the O&M and the TRB’s approval to open and operate the Plaridel Bypass Interchange as an integral part of Phase I of the Project, MNTC and TMC agreed that the scope of the O&M shall correspondingly cover the Plaridel Bypass Interchange from June 25, 2012 until December 31, 2037. Consequently, MNTC agreed to pay TMC an annual base fee for the operations and maintenance of the Plaridel Bypass Interchange in the amount of ₱17.5 million effective in 2012. The Plaridel-Bypass Interchange is a 1.5-km stretch connecting Plaridel to NLE.

The Company also engaged TMC to operate and maintain the Bocaue and Angeles Interchange in which the engagement for the operations and maintenance is still being formalized as at February 20, 2013.

- In September 2007, the Company entered into a contract with EPPI, a wholly owned subsidiary of Egis, for FOE second line maintenance services. This contract pertains to services beyond the primary maintenance obligations of TMC under the O&M. The contract amount up to September 2010 is €1.2 million. On December 3, 2010, the Company and EPPI entered into a Supplemental Agreement for NLE and Phase II Segment 8.1 FOE second line maintenance services to extend the term for another three years starting in September 2010. The contract amount up to September 2013 is €1.2 million. Total services paid amounted to €0.3 million (₱14.4 million) in 2012 and €0.3 million (₱16.4 million) in 2011.
- In October 2011, the Company entered into an agreement with EPPI for the design, supply and installation of FOE at Dau, Mabalacat and Tipo Toll Plazas with the objective of having a single toll collection system for both the NLE and SCTEx. Total contract price amounted to €2.6 million, a fixed lump sum price, inclusive of VAT, and valid for 425 days from the Base Date. Unapplied mobilization advances to EPPI, included as part of “Advances to contractor and consultants” account in the balance sheet amounted to €0.2 million (₱9.0 million) as at December 31, 2012 and 2011. The installation of the FOE has not yet been started since the SCTEx has not yet been turned over to MNTC as at February 20, 2013 (see Note 24).
- On April 26, 2011, the Company entered into an agreement with EPPI for the supply, installation, testing and commissioning works of FOE at Phase 1 Bocaue and Angeles Toll Plazas with the objective of addressing the closed system toll revenue leakage from north bound motorists. Total contract price amounted to €0.4 million (₱23.5 million). The installation of the FOE was completed on July 29, 2012.



- On February 7, 2012, the Company issued the Notice to Proceed to EPPI for the supply, installation, test and commissioning of the FOE at the newly constructed Plaridel Bypass interchange, including the interconnection with the NLE existing system. Total contract price amounted to €0.8 million (₱45.2 million), a fixed lump sum price, inclusive of VAT and payable in Philippine peso. The installation of the FOE was completed on March 20, 2012.
- The Company purchased spare parts inventories from EPPI. Total purchases amounted to ₱21.1 million in 2012 and ₱9.9 million in 2011.
- On December 5, 2007, the Company engaged the services of ESC, a wholly owned subsidiary of Egis, to assist the Company in increasing the usage of the electronic toll collection (ETC) facility along the NLE which ended on April 30, 2010. On November 24, 2010, the Company and ESC signed the Supplemental Agreement to the Service Agreement extending the services of ESC as ETC service provider for another eight years effective on May 1, 2010 with a five year extension. In accordance with the Supplemental Agreement, MNTC will pay ESC an annual fixed fee of ₱14.0 million for Class 1 vehicles and annual fixed fee of ₱5.0 million for Class 2 and 3 vehicles, which are to be maintained and escalated every year for labor index and consumer price index (CPI). MNTC shall also pay for variable fees of ₱0.75 and ₱2.5 per transaction for Class 1 vehicles depending on the number of transactions achieved during the year compared with prior year; and ₱3.0 and ₱4.0 per transactions for Class 2 and 3, respectively, which are also to be maintained and escalated every year for labor index and CPI.
- In 2010, as part of MNTC's commercial policy on sponsorship of NLE communication programs through co-branding, the Company and Smart, together with PLDT, entered into an agreement for the "Northern Fiesta Campaign" which is a collaborative tourism promotion of local fiestas and festivals in the North and of safety and traffic discipline along the NLE through print media and through banners and traffic control gates stickers in the NLE toll plazas. Outstanding receivable from Smart for its share in the costs of the promotion amounted to ₱2.9 million (inclusive of VAT) and ₱12.4 million (inclusive of VAT) as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

Also, on January 5, 2011, MNTC and Smart signed a Utility Facilities Contract where MNTC provides Smart an access for the construction, operation and maintenance of a cell site inside the NLE right of way for an annual fee of ₱0.3 million which shall then be escalated annually to 4.5% starting on the fourth year of the contract and every year thereafter. The contract is effective from April 26, 2010 for a period of five years which may be renewed or extended upon mutual agreement by MNTC and Smart.

On March 26, 2012, MNTC and Smart agreed on the terms of the grant to Smart of exclusive rights to name the NLEx-Mindanao Avenue Cloverleaf as a Smart Connect Interchange and put up outdoor advertising structures near the interchange. The annual package is based on a predetermined timetable of when the official road signs are progressively built. The base price is from ₱175.0 million to ₱228.2 million and may increase depending on the final features and characteristics of the cloverleaf. Outstanding receivable from Smart for the naming rights and outdoor advertising near the interchange amounted to ₱42.4 million (inclusive of VAT) as at December 31, 2012.



- On March 17, 2010, MNTC and PLDT entered into an agreement with respect to the commercial aspect of the Utility Facilities Contract for the Fiber Optic Overlay along Phase I of the NLE, the contract of which is currently being negotiated between MNTC and PLDT. Pending the final contract, PLDT already paid ₱1.3 million for annual fee for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011.

PLDT also paid ₱0.1 million for the annual fee for the Fiber Optic Overlay along Phase II Segment 8.1 for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011.

In relation to the joint sponsorship agreement discussed above, the Company has outstanding receivable from PLDT for its share in the costs of the promotion amounting to ₱1.1 million (inclusive of VAT) and ₱1.7 million (inclusive of VAT) as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively. The Company also has outstanding receivable from PLDT relating to Utility Facilities Contract for the Fiber Optic Overlay along the NLE amounting to ₱0.2 million as at December 31, 2012.

- On October 22, 2012, MNTC and Digitel entered into an advertising arrangement related to various advertising mediums which include rental, material production, installation and maintenance at several locations along NLE covering the period from November 2012 to November 2013. Total consideration for the one year arrangement amounted to ₱6.9 million.

Transactions with Other Related Parties

- Compensation of key management personnel of the Company are as follows:

	2012	2011
Short-term employee benefits	₱103,930,143	₱83,777,148
Retirement costs (see Note 18)	11,280,472	10,786,377
Executive stock option expense (see Note 19)	1,937,988	5,639,149
Long-term incentive plan payable (see Note 18)	32,414,200	-
	₱149,562,803	₱100,202,674

- The Company acts as a surety or co-obligor with certain Company officers for the payment of valid corporate expenses through the use of corporate credit cards at specified approved amounts ranging from ₱0.1 million to ₱0.3 million.
- The Company paid directors fees amounting to ₱0.7 million and ₱0.6 million in 2012 and 2011, respectively, recorded under “General and administrative expenses” account in the statement of income (see Note 17).
- Total advances to officers and employees amounted to ₱5.3 million and ₱7.0 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Note 7).



14. Long-term Debt

This account consists of:

	2012	2011
Peso-denominated Notes and Loans:		
Series A Notes	₱6,148,128,542	₱6,210,230,849
Philippine National Bank (PNB) Loan	1,890,000,000	1,995,000,000
Term Loan Facility	1,000,000,000	1,000,000,000
	9,038,128,542	9,205,230,849
Less unamortized debt issue costs	132,160,218	154,613,409
	8,905,968,324	9,050,617,440
Less current portion of long-term debt - net of unamortized debt issue costs of ₱22,803,271 in 2012 and ₱21,927,648 in 2011	144,299,038	145,174,660
	₱8,761,669,286	₱8,905,442,780

The unamortized debt issue costs incurred in connection with the availment of long-term debt amounting to ₱132.2 million and ₱154.6 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively, were deducted against the long-term debt. The movements in debt issue costs are as follows:

	2012	2011
Balance at beginning of year	₱154,613,409	₱139,470,924
Amortization during the year (see Note 21)	(22,453,191)	(134,890,348)
Debt issue costs incurred during the year	-	150,032,833
Balance at end of year	₱132,160,218	₱154,613,409

Series A Notes

On December 21, 2010, the Company entered into a Notes Facility Agreement with local financing institutions for a ₱2.7 billion short-term unsecured and subordinated notes facility. Proceeds of the notes which were fully drawn on January 11, 2011 were used for the prepayment of the U.S. dollar loans and other corporate purposes. The notes are payable every three months, up to a maximum term of one year from initial drawdown date.

On April 15, 2011, the Company entered into a Corporate Notes Facility Agreement with various local financial institutions for fixed-rate unsecured notes amounting to ₱6.2 billion, with tenors ranging from 5 years, 7 years and 10 years ("Series A Notes"). Proceeds of the notes were used to prepay the ₱2.7 billion short-term loan in full and to partially prepay the 2006-issued Fixed Rate Corporate Notes (FXCNs), with outstanding amount of ₱3.0 billion, on April 19, 2011. Weighted average fixed interest rate on the Series A Notes is 7.22% per annum. Debt issue costs incurred in the availment of the Series A Notes amounted to ₱141.9 million in 2011. Acceleration of the unamortized debt issue costs relating to the prepayment of the 2006-issued FXCN amounted to ₱61.3 million in 2011.

On November 29, 2011, the Company issued a notice of prepayment to the remaining 2006-issued FXCN holders. On December 15, 2011, these noteholders with outstanding notes of ₱2.3 billion were prepaid in full. Acceleration of unamortized debt issue costs relating to the prepayment of the remaining 2006-issued FXCN holders amounted to ₱36.1 million.

The prepayment fees paid to noteholders in relation to the prepayment of the 2006-issued FXCN amounting to ₱329.9 million were recognized as part of "Interest expense and other finance costs" in the 2011 statement of income (see Note 21).



PNB Loan

On March 16, 2009, MNTC entered into a seven-year term loan agreement for a facility amount of ₱2.1 billion with PNB to finance the project cost of Segment 8.1. Interest rate on the PNB Loan is initially fixed at 9.61% per annum. On November 22, 2010, the interest rate of the PNB Loan was amended from fixed to floating rate based on the six-month Philippine Dealing System Treasury Fixing (PDST-F) rate plus a spread of 0.50%.

On March 11, 2011, MNTC entered into an interest rate swap transaction with PNB to convert the floating-rate PNB loan to fixed rate effective March 14, 2011. The interest rate swap effectively fixed the floating rate of the said loan over the remaining tenor at 5.9% per annum.

On April 15, 2011, the Company entered into an Amended and Restated Loan Agreement with PNB to amend certain commercial terms of the 2009 PNB Loan, incorporate the interest rate conversion from fixed to floating rate, release the security and align the loan covenants with that of the Series A Notes.

On December 28, 2012, MNTC issued a notice for early termination of the interest rate swap transaction with PNB effective December 15, 2012. The early termination payment amounted to ₱175.0 million (see Notes 11 and 26).

Term Loan Facilities

On December 12, 2011, the company entered into a Term Loan Facility Agreement for a ₱1.0 billion fixed-rate term loan facility from The Insular Life Assurance Company, Ltd. and the Philippine American Life and General Insurance Company. The loan facility has a final maturity date of 15 years, with two bullet repayment tranches of ₱500.0 million each after 10 and 15 years from availment date. Average fixed interest rate on the loan facility is 7.10% per annum. Debt issue cost incurred in the availment of the fixed-rate term loans amounted to ₱8.1 million.

Others

On April 27, 2009, the Company obtained a standby letter of credit (SBLC) facility of up to ₱100.0 million from Security Bank to secure the Company's Segment 8.1 construction obligation in favor of the TRB. The letter of credit for an amount of ₱80.3 million was issued effective April 27, 2009. Upon TRB's final acceptance of Segment 8.1, as certified by its independent engineer, the Company cancelled the SBLC effective April 11, 2011.

As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, the Company is in compliance with the required financial ratios and other loan covenants. The Company's long-term debts are unsecured as at December 31, 2012 and 2011.

15. Equity

Capital Stock

Details of shares of stock of the Company as at December 31, 2012 and 2011 follow:

	Number of Shares
Authorized - ₱100 par value	40,000,000
Issued	17,760,000

Shareholders' Agreement (SA)

On December 16, 1999, MPTDC (then FPIDC), PNCC and Egis (collectively referred to as the "Principal Shareholders") executed a SA to govern their rights and duties as shareholders of the



Company as well as the management, financing, and operations of the Company. The SA was amended on December 13, 2001 extending the term of the original SA.

On September 30, 2004, the Principal Shareholders of the Company and Leighton International Limited (LIL, formerly Leighton Asia Limited), amended and restated the SA dated December 13, 2001. The ARSA provides, among others, the transfer of certain Company shares from MPTDC to LIL resulting to a revised equity participation as follows: MPTDC - 67.1%; LIL - 16.5%; Egis - 13.9%; and PNCC - 2.5%.

On November 12, 2009, LIL and GFHI executed a Share Purchase Agreement and a Deed of Absolute Sale whereby GFHI purchased from LIL 2,930,400 common shares of the Company or 16.5% of the Company's outstanding capital stock for and in consideration of US\$40.0 million.

Likewise on the same date, an Accession to Shareholders Agreement was executed between GFHI, MPTDC, PNCC, Egis, LIL and MNTC, whereby GFHI agreed to accede to the ARSA and assume all the obligation of LIL as a shareholder under the ARSA.

On October 4, 2010, GFHI and BDO executed a Share Purchase Agreement and a Deed of Absolute Sale, whereby BDO purchased from GFHI 2,197,800 common shares of the Company, equivalent to 12.4% of the Company's outstanding capital stock in consideration of ₱1,405.1 million.

Likewise on the same date, an Accession to Shareholders Agreement was executed among BDO, GFHI, MPTDC, PNCC, Egis, and MNTC, whereby BDO agreed to accede to the ARSA and assume all the obligation of GFHI as a shareholder under the ARSA.

Cash Dividends

The Company's BOD declared the following cash dividends in 2012 and 2011:

Declaration Date	Record Date	Payment Date	Cash Dividend	
			per Share	Total
July, 26, 2012	July 26, 2012	September 15, 2012	₱49	₱870,240,000
December 18, 2012	December 18, 2012	January 31, 2013	47	834,720,000
August 3, 2011	August 3, 2011	August 12, 2011	40	710,400,000
December 16, 2011	December 15, 2011	December 31, 2011	45	799,200,000

Unpaid dividends amounted to ₱834.7 million and ₱37.7 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

16. Cost of Services

This account consists of:

	2012	2011
Toll operation and maintenance costs	₱2,169,706,413	₱2,261,491,237
Amortization of service concession asset (see Note 8)	597,358,217	592,987,123
Cost of inventories	7,673	18,633
	₱2,767,072,303	₱2,854,496,993



Toll operation and maintenance costs consist of:

	2012	2011
Operator's fee (see Note 13)	₱1,492,527,064	₱1,566,118,059
PNCC fee (see Note 13)	399,859,153	385,244,775
Provision for heavy maintenance (see Note 12)	107,142,857	109,116,393
Repairs and maintenance (see Note 13)	105,502,279	127,680,969
Insurance	42,971,970	48,957,913
Toll collection and medical services	20,223,090	21,297,634
Others	1,480,000	3,075,494
	₱2,169,706,413	₱2,261,491,237

17. General and Administrative Expenses

This account consists of:

	2012	2011
Salaries and employee benefits (see Notes 13, 18 and 19)	₱215,170,462	₱196,334,506
Provisions (see Note 12)	108,313,713	38,799,285
Advertising and marketing expenses	66,952,441	60,289,272
Taxes and licenses	52,259,250	70,063,924
Management fees (see Note 13)	52,232,143	58,500,000
Outside services (see Note 13)	43,672,982	49,639,497
Professional fees	36,152,514	31,562,736
Depreciation of property and equipment (see Note 9)	23,685,415	24,622,344
Representation and travel	20,417,363	26,264,300
Provision for potential losses on claim for refund	11,060,341	8,640,240
Communication, light and water	7,650,455	9,523,453
Amortization of intangible assets (see Note 10)	7,547,442	6,902,591
Repairs and maintenance	5,365,714	9,103,440
Training and development costs	4,022,767	3,171,569
Office supplies	3,156,577	3,420,286
Directors' fees (see Note 13)	710,000	590,000
Collection charges	127,758	5,445,734
Rentals	75,224	517,354
Miscellaneous	10,240,695	6,526,853
	₱668,813,256	₱609,917,384

18. Employee Benefits

LTIP

On April 27, 2012, MPTC's BOD approved the implementation of LTIP of MPTC and its subsidiaries (MPTC Group) which will be effective on January 1, 2012. MPTC's LTIP is aimed at providing a competitive level of financial incentives for eligible employees to encourage them to achieve performance targets consistent with the MPTC Group's long-term business plans; recognizing and rewarding the contribution of eligible employees to the overall profitability and performance of the MPTC Group; and attracting and retaining talented employees to ensure the sustained growth and success of the MPTC Group. The payment under the 2012 to 2014 LTIP



was intended to be made at the end of the 2012 to 2014 Performance Cycle (without interim payments) and contingent on the achievement of the MPTC Group's cumulative consolidated core income target for the 2012 to 2014 Performance Cycle.

Total amount of LTIP under this Plan is fixed upon achievement of the target Core Income and is not affected by changes in future salaries of the employees covered. The liabilities of the 2012 to 2014 LTIP was determined using the projected unit credit method. The long term employee benefit liability comprises the present value of the defined benefit obligation (using discount rate based on government bonds) at the end of the reporting period.

The total cost of the LTIP recognized by the Company in 2012 included in "Salaries and employee benefits" account under "General and administrative expenses" in the statement of income and in "Long-term incentive plan payable" account in the balance sheet amounted to ₱32.4 million. There was no LTIP 2011.

Retirement Costs

The Company has a funded noncontributory defined benefit retirement plan covering all of its regular and full time employees. The plan provides for a lump sum benefit payment upon retirement. Contributions and costs are determined in accordance with the actuarial study made for the plan which is normally obtained every two years.

The following tables summarize the components of provision for retirement benefits included in salaries and employee benefits under "General and administrative expenses" account in the statement of income and "Pension asset" or "Accrued retirement costs" account in the balance sheet, which are based on the latest actuarial valuation.

	2012	2011
Components of provision for retirement benefits:		
Current service cost	₱15,479,076	₱13,055,802
Interest cost	6,947,480	6,512,846
Expected return on plan assets	(3,098,902)	(1,890,146)
Net actuarial loss recognized for the year	1,414,706	657,333
Past service cost - non-vested benefits	463,814	231,907
Past service cost - vested benefits	-	18,588,469
	₱21,206,174	₱37,156,211

	2012	2011
Accrued retirement costs (Pension asset):		
Balance at beginning of year	₱10,646,909	₱873,614
Contribution during the year	(51,877,649)	(27,382,916)
Provision for retirement benefits for the year	21,206,174	37,156,211
	(₱20,024,566)	₱10,646,909



Movements in the present value of retirement obligation (PVRO) are as follows:

	2012	2011
Balance at beginning of year	₱125,405,769	₱68,082,135
Current service cost	15,479,076	13,055,802
Interest cost	6,947,480	6,512,846
Actuarial loss (gain)	(28,310,263)	21,510,124
Benefits paid	(14,741,123)	(3,271,234)
Past service cost - vested benefits	-	18,588,469
Past service cost - non-vested benefits	-	927,627
Balance at end of year	₱104,780,939	₱125,405,769

Changes in fair value of plan assets (FVPA) are as follows:

	2012	2011
Balance at beginning of year	₱77,472,555	₱47,253,657
Contribution during the year	51,877,649	27,382,916
Benefits paid	(14,741,123)	(3,271,234)
Actuarial gain	3,959,984	4,217,070
Expected return on plan assets	3,098,902	1,890,146
Balance at end of year	₱121,667,967	₱77,472,555

The actual return on plan assets amounted to ₱7.1 million in 2012 and ₱6.1 million in 2011.

The Company does not expect to contribute to its defined benefit retirement plan in 2013.

The major categories of plan assets as a percentage of the fair value of total plan assets follow:

	2012	2011
Investments in:		
Government securities	67.27%	76.08%
Debt securities	15.39%	6.45%
Equity securities	5.10%	8.13%
Loans/notes receivable	4.29%	4.72%
Cash and cash equivalents	7.21%	4.06%
Receivables and others	0.74%	0.56%
	100.00%	100.00%

The plan assets are maintained in a trust account with a local bank that was set up by the Company in November 2006.

The reconciliation of the PVRO to the accrued retirement costs/pension asset recognized in the balance sheets is as follows:

	2012	2011
PVRO	₱104,780,939	₱125,405,769
FVPA	(121,667,967)	(77,472,555)
Underfunded (overfunded) PVRO	(16,887,028)	47,933,214
Cumulative unrecognized actuarial loss at end of year	(2,905,632)	(36,590,585)
Unrecognized past service cost – non-vested benefits	(231,906)	(695,720)
Accrued retirement costs (Pension asset)	(₱20,024,566)	₱10,646,909



Actuarial loss in excess of corridor is amortized over the average expected working lives of its eligible employees as follows:

	2012	2011
Cumulative unrecognized actuarial loss		
at beginning of year	₱36,590,585	₱19,954,864
Actuarial loss (gain) for the year due to PVRO	(28,310,263)	21,510,124
Actuarial gain for the year due to FVPA	(3,959,984)	(4,217,070)
	4,320,338	37,247,918
Less actuarial loss recognized for the year	1,414,706	657,333
Cumulative unrecognized actuarial loss		
at end of year	₱2,905,632	₱36,590,585

	2012	2011
Cumulative unrecognized actuarial loss		
at beginning of year	₱36,590,585	₱19,954,864
Limit of corridor	(12,540,577)	(6,808,214)
Actuarial loss outside corridor to be amortized	24,050,008	13,146,650
Divided by expected average remaining service		
years of eligible employees	17	20
Amortization of actuarial loss to be recognized		
for the year	₱1,414,706	₱657,333

The principal assumptions used to determine accrued retirement costs as at December 31, 2012 and 2011 are as follows:

	2012	2011
Discount rate	4.58%	5.54%
Rate of increase in compensation	7.00%	12.00%
Expected rate of return	4.00%	4.00%

The overall expected rate of return on plan assets is determined based on the market prices prevailing on that date, applicable to the period over which the obligation is to be settled.

The underfunded (overfunded) status and experience adjustments for the current and previous four years are as follows:

	2012	2011	2010	2009	2008
PVRO	₱104,780,939	₱125,405,769	₱68,082,135	₱35,455,729	₱14,822,369
FVPA	(121,667,967)	(77,472,555)	(47,253,657)	(35,575,826)	(24,068,574)
Underfunded (Overfunded)					
PVRO	(16,887,028)	47,933,214	20,828,478	(120,097)	(9,246,205)
Experience adjustments on					
retirement obligation -					
loss (gain)	4,370,872	(111,365)	6,097,300	700,476	(470,161)
Experience adjustments on plan					
assets - gain	(3,959,984)	(4,217,070)	(2,302,692)	(5,584,086)	(1,121,903)



The following table presents the carrying amounts and fair values of the plan assets of the Company:

	2012	2011
Investments in:		
Government securities	₱81,849,549	₱58,937,376
Debt securities	18,720,266	5,000,000
Equity instruments	6,210,000	6,300,000
Loans/notes receivables	5,220,402	3,656,197
Cash and cash equivalents	8,770,923	3,146,414
Receivables and others	896,827	432,568
	₱121,667,967	₱77,472,555

The plan asset's carrying amount approximates its fair value since these are short-term in nature or marked-to-market.

As at December 31, 2012, the plan assets consist of the following:

- Investments in government securities consist primarily of fixed-rate treasury notes and retail treasury bonds that bear interest ranging from 3.89% to 9.42% per annum and have maturities from 2013 to 2037.
- Investments in corporate debt instruments consist of quoted, unsecured, long-term corporate bonds and subordinated notes, which bear interest ranging from 5.45% to 6.27% per annum and have maturities from 2017 to 2022.
- Cash and cash equivalents include regular savings and time deposits, which bear interest ranging from 3.00% to 4.10% per annum.
- Loans and notes receivables consist of unsecured FXCNs of PLDT, a related party, amounting to ₱2.4 million and unsecured subordinated note of an unaffiliated company amounting to ₱2.6 million as at December 31, 2012. The PLDT FXCNs and the subordinated note bear interest of 6.57% and 6.73% per annum, respectively. Both notes are due in 2016. Interest income on these loans and notes receivable amounted to ₱0.1 million in 2012.
- Investments in equity securities include investment in perpetual non-voting preferred shares of FPHC amounting to ₱6.2 million as at December 31, 2012. Gain arising from these investments amounted to ₱0.2 million for the year ended December 31, 2012. The carrying amounts of investments in equity securities also approximate their fair values since they are marked-to-market.
- Other financial assets held by the plan are primarily accrued interest income from cash and cash equivalents and investments in debt securities.

19. Share-based Payment Plan

On June 24, 2007, the stockholders of MPIC approved a share option scheme (the Plan) under which MPIC's directors may, at their discretion, invite executives of MPIC upon the regularization of employment of eligible executives, to take up share option of MPIC to obtain an ownership interest in MPIC and for the purpose of long-term employment motivation. The scheme became effective on June 14, 2007 and is valid for ten (10) years. An amended plan was approved by the stockholders of MPIC on February 20, 2009.

As amended, the overall limit on the number of shares which may be issued upon exercise of all options to be granted and yet to be exercised under the Plan must not exceed 5% of the shares in



issue from time to time. The maximum number of shares in respect of which options may be granted under the Plan shall not exceed 5% of the issued shares of MPIC on June 14, 2007 or the date when an event of any change in the corporate structure or capitalization affecting MPIC's shares occurred, as the case may be.

The exercise price in relation to each option shall be determined by MPIC's Compensation Committee, but shall not be lower than the highest of: (i) the closing price of the shares for one or more board lots of such shares on the PSE on the option offer date; (ii) the average closing price of the shares for one or more board lots of such shares on the PSE for the five (5) business days on which dealings in the shares are made immediately preceding the option offer date; and (iii) the par value of the shares.

MPIC has granted, on July 2, 2010, options in respect of 94,300,000 common shares of MPIC to new directors and senior management officers of MPIC and to selected management committee members of MPIC subsidiaries (includes the Company). The stock options will expire on July 2, 2015. With respect to the stock options granted to MPIC subsidiaries, said stock options will vest as follows: 30% on July 2, 2011; 35% on July 2, 2012; and 35% on July 2, 2013.

A summary of the Company's stock option activity received from MPIC and related information for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 follows:

	2012		2011	
	Number of shares	Exercise price	Number of shares	Exercise price
Outstanding at beginning of year	6,500,000	₱2.73	7,700,000	₱2.73
Exercised during the year	1,670,000	2.73	1,200,000	2.73
Outstanding at end of year	4,830,000	₱2.73	6,500,000	₱2.73
Exercisable at end of year	2,135,000	₱-	1,110,000	₱-

The weighted average remaining contractual life for the share options outstanding as at December 31, 2012 and 2011 is 2.5 years and 3.5 years, respectively.

The fair value of the options granted is estimated at the date of grant using Black-Scholes-Merton formula, taking into account the terms and conditions upon which the options were granted. The following tables list the inputs to the model used for the ESOP in 2010:

	30% vesting on July 2, 2011	35% vesting on July 2, 2012	35% vesting on July 2, 2013
Grant date		July 2, 2010	
Spot price	₱2.65	₱2.65	₱2.65
Exercise price	₱2.73	₱2.73	₱2.73
Risk-free rate	4.61%	5.21%	5.67%
Expected volatility*	69.27%	67.52%	76.60%
Term to vesting (in days)	365	731	1,096
Call price	₱0.73	₱1.03	₱1.39

* The expected volatility reflects the assumption that the historical volatility over a period similar to the life of the options is indicative of future trends, which may also not necessarily be the actual outcome.



Executive stock options expense, recognized by the Company in “Salaries and employee benefits” account under “General and administrative expenses” in the statement of income amounted to ₱1.9 million and ₱5.6 million in 2012 and 2011, respectively (see Notes 13 and 17).

Carrying value of the ESOP, recognized under “Other reserve” in the statement of changes in equity, amounted to ₱7.6 million and ₱5.6 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively.

20. Interest Income

Sources of interest income follow:

	2012	2011
Cash and cash equivalents (see Note 6)	₱81,138,506	₱107,975,299
AFS financial assets (see Note 26)	34,944,625	34,658,167
Others	518,706	563,035
	₱116,601,837	₱143,196,501

21. Interest Expense and Other Finance Costs

Sources of interest expense and other finance costs follow:

	2012	2011
Interest expense on bank loans (see Notes 14 and 26)	₱659,466,103	₱794,415,849
Finance costs:		
Amortization of debt issue costs (see Note 14)	22,453,191	134,890,348
Bank charges	1,178,239	1,158,874
Lenders’ fees	956,694	5,602,677
Loan prepayment fees (see Note 14)	–	329,943,301
	₱684,054,227	₱1,266,011,049

22. Other Income and Other Expense

Details of other income and other expense follow:

Other Income

	2012	2011
Income from advertising (see Note 13)	₱45,002,103	₱32,697,931
Income from toll service facilities	17,277,992	20,220,627
Income from utility facilities (see Note 13)	1,926,304	1,814,636
Reversal of allowance for potential losses on input VAT (see Note 5)	–	288,052,966
Refunds from lenders	–	24,183,224
Others	4,390,775	3,218,438
	₱68,597,174	₱370,187,822



Other Expense

	2012	2011
Mark-to-market loss on derivatives (see Note 26)	P44,844,434	P94,636,391
Loss on sale of property and equipment (see Note 9)	176,481	-
	P45,020,915	P94,636,391

23. Income Taxes

The provision for current income tax for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 is as follows:

	2012	2011
Regular corporate income tax (RCIT)	P781,694,037	P522,300,904
Final tax on interest income from banks	23,194,589	28,524,542
	P804,888,626	P550,825,446

The components of the Company's deferred tax assets and liabilities follow:

	2012	2011
Deferred tax assets:		
Provision for heavy maintenance	P90,728,555	P99,742,297
Accrued salaries and employee benefits and provisions	44,953,092	3,194,073
Unamortized past service cost	12,522,956	4,100,123
Fair value changes on derivatives deferred in equity	6,965,854	10,118,451
Fair value changes on derivatives charged to statement of income	-	28,928,219
Unearned toll revenue	-	3,175,377
Allowance for doubtful accounts	-	1,577,850
Provision for potential losses on claim for refund	-	2,592,072
	155,170,457	153,428,462
Deferred tax liabilities:		
Difference in amortization of service concession asset	(491,496,942)	(447,928,145)
Unamortized realized foreign exchange losses capitalized	(22,264,658)	(23,155,245)
Fair value changes on AFS financial assets	(11,914,800)	(8,136,525)
Pension asset	(6,007,370)	-
Unrealized foreign exchange gains - net	-	(49,603)
	(531,683,770)	(479,269,518)
Deferred tax liabilities - net	(P376,513,313)	(P325,841,056)

For tax purposes, the Company used the units of production method of amortization for service concession asset as approved by the BIR.



The reconciliation of provision for income tax computed at the statutory income tax rate to provision for income tax as shown in the statements of income is summarized as follows:

	2012	2011
Income before income tax	₱2,805,817,801	₱2,142,569,996
Income tax computed at statutory tax rate of 30%	841,745,340	642,770,999
Add (deduct) the tax effects of:		
Interest income already subjected to final tax	(34,824,939)	(42,790,040)
Nondeductible expenses and others	14,345,099	20,409,551
Reversal of allowance for potential losses on input VAT (Note 5)	-	(86,415,890)
Final tax on interest income	23,194,589	28,524,542
Write-off of deferred tax assets relating to allowance for doubtful accounts and provision for potential losses on claim for refund	4,169,922	-
Provision for income tax	₱848,630,011	₱562,499,162

The reconciliation of net deferred tax liability is summarized as follows:

	2012	2011
Balance at beginning of year	₱325,841,056	₱322,154,388
Provision for income tax during the year recognized in the statements of income	43,741,385	11,673,716
Income tax effect during the year recognized in the statements of comprehensive income	6,930,872	(7,987,048)
Balance at end of year	₱376,513,313	₱325,841,056

24. Subic-Clark-Tarlac Expressway (SCTEx) Agreement

In 2010, the Company participated in a public bidding conducted by the BCDA for the right to manage, operate and maintain the SCTEx on an “as is, where is” basis for a period until October 30, 2043. On June 9, 2010, BCDA formally awarded the Company the right to enter into a concession agreement with BCDA for the management, operation and maintenance of SCTEx. On November 8, 2010, the parties entered into a Concession Agreement under which BCDA granted the Company the usufructuary rights to and the right to manage, maintain and operate the 94-km SCTEx for a period of 25 years, extendable by another eight years. In granting the concession, BCDA has also assigned to the Company its rights under the TOA it signed with the TRB including the right to collect toll fees. The assignment is subject to certain conditions including, among others, the necessary Philippine Government approvals and the execution of a STOA.

On July 20, 2011, MNTC and BCDA signed a Business and Operating Agreement (BOA) covering the assignment by BCDA to MNTC of its rights, interest and obligations under the TOA relating to the management, operation and maintenance of the SCTEx (which shall include the exclusive right to possess and use the SCTEx toll road and facilities and the right to collect toll). BCDA shall retain all rights, interests and obligations under the TOA relating to the design, construction and financing of the SCTEx. Nevertheless, the Parties hereby acknowledge that BCDA has, as at date of the Agreement, designed, financed and constructed the SCTEx as an operable toll road in accordance with the TOA. The BOA was the result of the amendments made to the previously signed Concession Agreement between BCDA and MNTC last November 2010.



The BOA must be approved by the President of the Republic of the Philippines before MNTC could take over the management of SCTEx.

From and after the effective date, BCDA and MNTC shall each be entitled to a direct share in the Audited Gross Toll Revenues from the SCTEx.

The term of the agreement shall be from effective date, until October 30, 2043. At the end of the contract term or upon termination of the Agreement, the SCTEx shall be turned over to BCDA/successor-in-interest conformably with law, and in all cases in accordance with and subject to the terms and conditions of the STOA to be entered into by and among MNTC, BCDA and ROP, through TRB, in relation to SCTEx.

On December 14, 2012, MNTC and BCDA agreed to extend the longstop date for the effectivity of the BOA until March 31, 2013.

As at February 20, 2013, the parties are still in the process of obtaining certain consents and formalizing the STOA and therefore the SCTEx had not been assigned and turned over to the Company and has not been accounted for accordingly in the financial statements.

25. Financial Risk Management Objectives and Policies

The Company's principal financial instruments comprise long-term loans, proceeds of which were used to finance the construction of the Project on a limited recourse basis. The Company has various other financial instruments such as cash and cash equivalents, receivables from trade debtors and payables to trade creditors, which arise directly from its operations. The Company also holds AFS financial assets.

The Company also enters into derivative transactions, particularly interest rate swaps and cross currency swaps, to manage the interest rate and foreign currency risks arising from its operations and sources of finances.

The main risks arising from the Company's financial instruments are interest rate risk and foreign currency risk which were both mitigated when the Company entered into cross currency swap and interest rate swap transactions in 2008 to 2009. As a result, the Company locked in the amount of its debt service obligations until maturity date. In line with its capital restructuring program, the Company terminated all its swap transactions on January 14, 2011 simultaneous with the prepayment of the underlying loans. However, on March 11, 2011, the Company entered again into an interest rate swap transaction for its floating-rate PNB Loan. On December 28, 2012, MNTC issued a notice for early termination of this interest rate swap transaction with PNB effective December 15, 2012 (see Note 14).

Aside from the risks discussed above, the Company is also exposed to credit and liquidity risks which are discussed in detail below.

Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Company's exposure to interest rate risk relates primarily to the Company's long-term debt with floating interest rates. In accordance with its interest rate management policy, the Company converted its outstanding loans into fixed-rate debt, effectively locking in the interest rate on its loan obligations and reducing exposure to interest rate fluctuations.



To further reduce its cash flow interest rate risk exposure, the Company entered into a series of derivative transactions, in particular, cross currency interest rate swaps (see Note 26).

The cash flow interest rate exposure of the Company has changed with the prepayment of its foreign currency loans on January 14, 2011. With 100.0% of its financial instruments in local currency loans, around 21.0% of which is in floating interest rate, exposure is now limited to changes in six-month PDST-F. In March 2011, the Company mitigated its exposure to interest-rate fluctuations by fixing the remaining floating-rate loan via an interest rate swap transaction. In December 2012, MNTC decided to unwind the interest rate swap transaction in order to take advantage of record-low interest rates.

The following table summarizes the changes in interest rates after taking into account the result of the swap transactions:

Loan Facility	Notional Amount		Floating Interest Rate	Fixed Interest Rate
	December 31, 2012	December 31, 2011		
PNB	₱-	₱1,995,000,000	PDST-F + 0.50% Margin	5.88%

The Company has also fixed-rate bonds classified as AFS financial assets and cash and cash equivalents.

The following tables set out the principal amount, by maturity, of the Company's interest-bearing financial assets and liabilities:

December 31, 2012						
	Interest Rate	Within the Year ('000)	2-3 Years ('000)	4-5 Years ('000)	More than 5 Years ('000)	Total ('000)
Cash and cash equivalents	0.05% - 3.88%	₱2,605,580	₱-	₱-	₱-	₱2,605,580
AFS financial assets	5.88% - 9.00%	50,600	300,000	200,000	50,000	600,600
		₱2,656,180	₱300,000	₱200,000	₱50,000	₱3,206,180
Fixed-rate loans:						
Series A-5	6.54%	₱10,000	₱20,000	₱960,000	₱-	₱990,000
Series A-7	7.27%	42,102	84,205	84,205	3,957,617	4,168,129
Series A-10	7.70%	10,000	20,000	20,000	940,000	990,000
Term-loan facility	7.10%	-	-	-	1,000,000	1,000,000
		62,102	124,205	1,064,205	5,897,617	7,148,129
Floating-rate loan -						
PNB Loan	PDST-F + 0.50% Margin	105,000	1,785,000	-	-	1,890,000
		₱167,102	₱1,909,205	₱1,064,205	₱5,897,617	₱9,038,129

December 31, 2011						
	Interest Rate	Within the Year ('000)	2-3 Years ('000)	4-5 Years ('000)	More than 5 Years ('000)	Total ('000)
Cash and cash equivalents	0.05% - 4.88%	₱1,068,923	₱-	₱-	₱-	₱1,068,923
AFS financial assets	5.88% - 9.00%	-	50,600	500,000	-	550,600
		₱1,068,923	₱50,600	₱500,000	₱-	₱1,619,523



December 31, 2011						
Interest Rate	Within the Year ('000)	2-3 Years ('000)	4-5 Years ('000)	More than 5 Years ('000)	Total ('000)	
Fixed-rate loans:						
Series A-5	6.54%	₱10,000	₱20,000	₱970,000	₱-	₱1,000,000
Series A-7	7.27%	42,102	84,205	84,205	3,999,719	4,210,231
Series A-10	7.70%	10,000	20,000	20,000	950,000	1,000,000
Term-loan facility	7.10%	-	-	-	1,000,000	1,000,000
		62,102	124,205	1,074,205	5,949,719	7,210,231
Floating-rate loan -						
PNB Loan	PDST-F + 0.50% Margin	105,000	997,500	892,500	-	1,995,000
		₱167,102	₱1,121,705	₱1,966,705	₱5,949,719	₱9,205,231

Interest on financial instruments classified as floating rate is repriced semi-annually on each interest payment date. Interest on financial instruments classified as fixed rate is fixed until the maturity of the instrument. The other financial instruments of the Company that are not included in the above table are noninterest-bearing and are therefore not subject to cash flow interest rate risk.

The following table demonstrates the sensitivity of income to changes in interest rates with all other variables held constant. The management expects that interest rates will move by ± 50 basis points within the next reporting period. There is no other impact on the Company's equity other than those already affecting the statement of income:

	Increase/Decrease in Basis Points	Effect on Income Before Income Tax
2012	+50	(₱9,450,000)
	-50	9,450,000
2011	+50	₱-
	-50	-

With regard to the Company's derivatives transactions, the following table demonstrates the sensitivity of fair value changes due to movements in interest rates with all other variables held constant. The management expects that interest rates will move by ± 50 basis points within the next reporting period. There is no other impact on the Company's equity other than those already affecting the statement of income:

	Increase/Decrease in Basis Points	Effect on Income Before Income Tax
2011	+50	₱29,170,563
	-50	(20,496,654)

There were no outstanding derivative transactions as at December 31, 2012.

Foreign Currency Risk

Foreign currency risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in foreign exchange rates. As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, the Company is not significantly exposed to foreign currency risk as the Company fully paid its U.S. dollar-denominated loans in January 2011 (see Note 14). The minimal exposure to foreign currency risk relates to the Company's foreign currency denominated cash and cash equivalents and trade payables as at December 31, 2012 and 2011.

Prior to 2010, the Company's foreign currency risk arises mainly from its exposure to U.S. dollar-denominated long-term loans. Exposure to foreign currency risk was significantly reduced when the Company refinanced its outstanding U.S. dollar loans with peso loans. The exposure was further reduced when the Company entered into derivative transactions in 2008 and 2009. This



allowed the Company to fully hedge its exposure on variability in cash flows due to foreign currency exchange fluctuations through cross currency interest rate swaps.

In connection with the Company's objective of reducing the exposure to foreign currency risk to zero, since revenues are 100% peso-denominated, the ATR adjustment formula was revised starting July 2008. The revised formula removes the foreign exchange component factor, which passes on 50% of the foreign currency exposure on bi-annual adjustments following the initial toll rate adjustment.

On January 14, 2011, the Company's exposure to foreign exchange currency risk in relation to its long-term loans was eliminated with the full prepayment of its outstanding dollar-denominated loans.

The sensitivity of income to changes in foreign exchange rates is not significant because the Company holds minimal amount of foreign currency-denominated assets and liabilities.

Credit Risk

Credit risk is the risk that the Company will incur a loss arising from customers, clients or counterparties that fail to discharge their contracted obligations. The Company's exposure to credit risk on trade receivables is indirect since the responsibility for account management and collection is part of the subscription account management function of its operator, TMC. In prior years, the Company, through TMC, offers a credit card payment option called automatic debit via credit card (Credit Card ADA) which, to a certain extent, operates like a post-payment account that can have some collection backlog if not managed properly. The Company's policy is to provide TMC a 30-day window within which to collect declined Credit Card ADA transactions for the annual period. Any uncollected Credit Card ADA top-ups after the 30-day grace period will be considered as part of the toll collection variance of TMC (ADA variance). In 2011, the cut-off date for the determination of the ADA variance is on January 30, 2011, following the 30-day policy. As at January 30, 2011, the declined ADA reload transactions amounted only to ₱0.03 million. In 2012, the Company transferred all obligations on Credit Card ADA transactions to ESC.

With respect to credit risk arising from other financial assets, which comprise cash and cash equivalents, due from related parties and AFS financial assets, the Company's exposure to credit risk arises from default of the counterparty, with a maximum exposure equal to carrying amount of these financial assets. The Company does not require collateral for its financial assets.

The Company's credit risk is concentrated on AFS financial assets covering at least 79% and 84% of the Company's financial assets, except cash and cash equivalents, as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively. The table below shows the maximum exposure to credit risk for the Company's financial assets, without taking account of any collateral, credit enhancements and other credit risk mitigation techniques.

	December 31, 2012	December 31, 2011
Cash and cash equivalents ^(a)	₱2,605,579,634	₱1,068,923,344
Receivables ^(b)	158,435,643	93,834,088
Due from related parties	5,455,875	9,757,757
AFS financial assets	640,316,000	577,721,750
Refundable deposits ^(c)	2,505,562	3,712,110
Total credit risk exposure	₱3,412,292,714	₱1,753,949,049

^(a) Excluding cash on hand.

^(b) Excluding advances to officers and employees.

^(c) Included in "Other noncurrent assets" account in the balance sheets.



Cash and cash equivalents are placed with reputable local and international banks which meet the standards of the Company's Board.

Receivables are the trade receivables related to Credit Card ADA transactions as described earlier and receivables from ESC when Easytrip tag-motorists ply in NLE and those non-toll revenues in the form of advertising services particularly from Smart. ESC, Smart and TMC are considered as low-risk counterparties as these are well-established companies. Moreover, the Company has payment obligations to TMC which far exceed the aggregate amount of receivables. Receivables also arise from motorists who cause accidental damage to NLE property from day-to-day operations. Property damage claims are initially processed by TMC and are eventually turned over to MNTC.

The Company also generates non-toll revenues in the form of service fees collected from business locators, generally called TSF, along the stretch of the NLE. The collection of such fees is provided in the STOA and is based on the principle that these TSF derive benefit from offering goods and services to NLE motorists. The fees range from one-time access fees to recurring fees calculated as a percentage of sales. The arrangements are backed by a service facility contract between the Company and the various locators. The credit risk on these arrangements is minimal because the fees are collected on a monthly basis mostly from well-established companies. The exposure is also limited given that the recurring amounts are not significant and there are adequate safeguards in the contract against payment delinquency. Nevertheless, the Company closely monitors receivables from the TSF.

As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, the aging analysis of past due but not impaired trade receivables follows. All other financial assets of the Company are neither past due nor impaired as at December 31, 2012 and 2011.

	Neither Past Due nor Impaired	Past Due but not Impaired					Total	Total
		<31 Days	31-60 Days	61-90 Days	91-180 Days	181 Days - 1 Year		
2012	₱112,496,697	₱1,614,018	₱801,466	₱703,951	₱1,044,962	₱5,787,475	₱9,951,872	₱122,448,569
2011	63,742,079	-	1,649,252	1,205,370	2,971,381	14,518,128	20,344,131	84,086,210

The tables below show the credit quality of the Company's financial assets based on their historical experience with the corresponding third parties:

December 31, 2012					
	Neither Past Due nor Impaired - High-grade	Past Due but not Impaired	Impaired	Total	
Cash and cash equivalents ^(a)	₱2,605,579,634	₱-	₱-	₱2,605,579,634	
Receivables:					
Trade receivables	112,496,697	9,951,872	5,259,500	127,708,069	
Interest receivables	6,546,919	-	-	6,546,919	
Other receivables	29,440,155	-	-	29,440,155	
Due from related parties	5,455,875	-	-	5,455,875	
AFS financial assets	640,316,000	-	-	640,316,000	
Refundable deposits ^(b)	2,505,562	-	-	2,505,562	
	₱3,402,340,842	₱9,951,872	₱5,259,500	₱3,417,552,214	

^(a) Excluding cash on hand.

^(b) Included in "Other noncurrent assets" account in the balance sheets.



December 31, 2011

	Neither Past Due nor Impaired - High-grade	Past Due but not Impaired	Impaired	Total
Cash and cash equivalents ^(a)	₱1,068,923,344	₱-	₱-	₱1,068,923,344
Receivables:				
Trade receivables	63,742,079	20,344,131	5,259,500	89,345,710
Interest receivables	3,513,967	-	-	3,513,967
Other receivables	6,233,911	-	-	6,233,911
Due from related parties	9,757,757	-	-	9,757,757
AFS financial assets	577,721,750	-	-	577,721,750
Refundable deposits ^(b)	3,712,110	-	-	3,712,110
	₱1,733,604,918	₱20,344,131	₱5,259,500	₱1,759,208,549

^(a) Excluding cash on hand.

^(b) Included in "Other noncurrent assets" account in the balance sheets.

With the exception of the impaired portion and past due accounts, all of the Company's financial assets are considered high-grade receivables since these are receivables from counterparties who are not expected to default in settling their obligations. These counterparties include reputable local and international banks and companies and the Philippine government. Other counterparties also have corresponding collectibles from the Company for certain contracted services. The first layer of security comes from the Company's ability to offset amounts receivable from these counterparties against payments due to them.

Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Company is not exposed to significant liquidity risk because of the nature of its operations which provides daily inflows of cash from toll collections. The Company is able to build up sufficient cash from operating revenues prior to the maturity of its payment obligations. In 2011, the Company arranged additional short-term lines to boost its ability to meet short-term liquidity needs. The Company has short-term credit lines amounting to ₱1,450.0 million and ₱1,300.0 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively and cash and cash equivalents amounting to ₱2,678.0 million and ₱1,120.9 million as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively, that are allocated to meet the Company's short-term liquidity needs.

The tables below summarize the maturity profile of the Company's financial assets and financial liabilities as at December 31, 2012 and 2011 based on undiscounted payments:

	December 31, 2012				Total
	Within the Year	2-3 Years	4-5 Years	More than 5 Years	
Financial Assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents	₱2,677,998,929	₱-	₱-	₱-	₱2,677,998,929
Receivables ^(a)	163,695,143	-	-	-	163,695,143
Due from related parties	5,455,875	-	-	-	5,455,875
AFS financial assets ^(b)	89,598,443	381,653,819	223,501,910	115,330,729	810,084,901
	₱2,936,748,390	₱381,653,819	₱223,501,910	₱115,330,729	₱3,657,234,848



December 31, 2012

	Within the Year	2-3 Years	4-5 Years	More than 5 Years	Total
Financial Liabilities:					
Accounts payable and other current liabilities ^(c)	₱1,185,695,446	₱-	₱-	₱-	₱1,185,695,446
Dividends payable	834,720,000	-	-	-	834,720,000
Long-term debt ^(d)	719,492,169	2,978,267,354	1,974,156,967	6,718,632,350	12,390,548,840
	₱2,739,907,615	₱2,978,267,354	₱1,974,156,967	₱6,718,632,350	₱14,410,964,286

^(a) Excluding advances to officers and employees.

^(b) Including interest to be received.

^(c) Excluding statutory liabilities.

^(d) Including interest to be paid.

December 31, 2011

	Within the Year	2-3 Years	4-5 Years	More than 5 Years	Total
Financial Assets:					
Cash and cash equivalents	₱1,120,917,161	₱-	₱-	₱-	₱1,120,917,161
Receivables ^(a)	99,093,588	-	-	-	99,093,588
Due from related parties	9,757,757	-	-	-	9,757,757
AFS financial assets ^(b)	-	62,807,250	635,281,250	-	698,088,500
	₱1,229,768,506	₱62,807,250	₱635,281,250	₱-	₱1,927,857,006

Financial Liabilities:					
Accounts payable and other current liabilities ^(c)	₱949,731,707	₱-	₱-	₱-	₱949,731,707
Due to related parties	521,510	-	-	-	521,510
Dividends payable	37,740,000	-	-	-	37,740,000
Long-term debt ^(d)	710,271,301	2,234,363,797	2,960,033,115	7,212,813,426	13,117,481,639
	1,698,264,518	2,234,363,797	2,960,033,115	7,212,813,426	14,105,474,856

Derivative liabilities:					
Derivative contracts – receipts	(45,570,427)	(130,888,718)	(46,419,353)	-	(222,878,498)
Derivative contracts – payments	112,382,630	204,446,940	39,762,734	-	356,592,304
	66,812,203	73,558,222	(6,656,619)	-	133,713,806
	₱1,765,076,721	₱2,307,922,019	₱2,953,376,496	₱7,212,813,426	₱14,239,188,662

^(a) Excluding advances to officers and employees.

^(b) Including interest to be received.

^(c) Excluding statutory liabilities.

^(d) Including interest to be paid.

Capital Management

The primary objective of the Company's capital management is to ensure that it maintains healthy capital ratios in order to support its business and maximize shareholder value while complying with the financial covenants required by the lenders. These loan covenants were overhauled in April 2011. Under the new loan agreement, MNTC is required a Maintenance Debt Service Coverage Ratio of not less than 1.15 times and maintain a Debt to Equity Ratio not exceeding 3.0 times for the first three years after the date of the loan agreement and not exceeding 2.5 times after such period. The loan agreement provides that MNTC may incur new loans or declare dividends as long as the Pro-forma DSCR for the relevant year is not less than 1.3 times.

The Company also ensures that its debt to equity ratio is in line with the requirements of the Board of Investments (BOI). BOI requires the Company to comply with a 75:25 debt to equity ratio as proof of capital build-up. The Company's long-term debt to equity ratio stood at only 56:44 and 58:42 as at December 31, 2012 and 2011, respectively, indicating that the Company has the capacity to incur additional long-term debt to build up its capital.



	2012	2011
Long-term debt	₱8,905,968,324	₱9,050,617,440
Total equity	6,894,560,117	6,624,222,305
Total capital	₱15,800,528,441	₱15,674,839,745
Debt to equity ratio	56:44	58:42

The Company continuously evaluates whether its capital structure can support its business strategy.

In 2011, the Company completed the implementation of its capital restructuring program through a series of transactions that also extended the maturity of its loan obligations amidst the low-interest rate environment. The Company also ended the year with an improved leverage ratio, boosting its debt capacity in preparation for the financing of expansion projects.

26. Financial Assets and Financial Liabilities

Fair values

A comparison of carrying and fair values of all of the Company's financial instruments by category as at December 31, 2012 and 2011 follows:

	2012		2011	
	Carrying Value	Fair Value	Carrying Value	Fair Value
Financial Assets				
Loans and receivables:				
Cash and cash equivalents	₱2,677,998,929	₱2,677,998,929	₱1,120,917,161	₱1,120,917,161
Receivables:				
Trade	122,448,569	122,448,569	84,086,210	84,086,210
Interest receivables	6,546,919	6,546,919	3,513,967	3,513,967
Other receivables	29,440,155	29,440,155	6,233,911	6,233,911
Due from related parties	5,455,875	5,455,875	9,757,757	9,757,757
Refundable deposits ^(a)	2,505,562	2,505,562	3,712,110	3,708,618
	2,844,396,009	2,844,396,009	1,228,221,116	1,228,217,624
AFS financial assets -				
Investment in bonds	640,316,000	640,316,000	577,721,750	577,721,750
	₱3,484,712,009	₱3,484,712,009	₱1,805,942,866	₱1,805,939,374
Financial Liabilities				
FVPL -				
Derivative liabilities	₱-	₱-	₱130,155,566	₱130,155,566
Other financial liabilities:				
Accounts payable and other current liabilities ^(b)	1,185,695,446	1,185,695,446	949,731,707	949,731,707
Due to related parties	-	-	521,510	521,510
Dividends payable	834,720,000	834,720,000	37,740,000	37,740,000
Long-term debt	8,905,968,324	9,817,379,206	9,050,617,440	9,616,868,839
	10,926,383,770	11,837,794,652	10,038,610,657	10,604,862,056
	₱10,926,383,770	₱11,837,794,652	₱10,168,766,223	₱10,735,017,622

^(a) Included in "Other noncurrent assets" account in the balance sheets.

^(b) Excluding statutory liabilities.



The following methods and assumptions were used to estimate the fair value of each class of financial instrument for which it is practicable to estimate such value:

Derivative Liabilities

As at December 31, 2011, the fair values of the interest rate swap transaction is the net present value of estimated future cash flows using Philippine risk free rates ranging from 1.9% to 8.2%.

Cash and Cash Equivalents, Receivables, Due from Related Parties, Accounts Payable and Other Current Liabilities, Dividends Payable and Due to Related Parties

Carrying value approximates the fair value at balance sheet date due to the short-term nature of the transactions.

AFS Financial Assets

As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, the Company's AFS financial assets consist of investments in fixed rate retail treasury bonds of the ROP. The quoted ROP treasury bonds which bear fixed interest rates ranging from 5.9% to 9.0% is payable quarterly (see Note 20) and with the following maturities:

Maturity Date	December 31, 2012		December 31, 2011	
	Fair Value	Principal Amount	Fair Value	Principal Amount
July 31, 2013	₱53,003,500	₱50,600,000	₱55,596,750	₱50,600,000
August 19, 2015	319,875,000	300,000,000	313,125,000	300,000,000
March 3, 2016	214,250,000	200,000,000	209,000,000	200,000,000
October 24, 2037	53,187,500	50,000,000	—	—
	₱640,316,000	₱600,600,000	₱577,721,750	₱550,600,000

Investments in bonds were previously classified as HTM investments and carried at amortized cost. In August 2010, prior to bonds' maturity, the Company sold ₱300.0 million of its investment in retail treasury bonds and invested the same for new retail treasury bonds with higher yield at 5.9% from 5.3%. The maturity date of the new retail treasury bonds is August 2015. The pretermination of the bonds precludes the Company from classifying any existing and new investments as HTM investments, hence the reclassification of investments in bonds to AFS financial assets.

In March 2011 and October 2012, the Company acquired additional ₱200.0 million and ₱50.0 million of treasury bonds with interest rate of 6.0% and 6.1% maturing on March 3, 2016 and October 24, 2037, respectively.

Proceeds from the maturity of bonds on July 31, 2011 amounted to ₱50.0 million. There were no disposals of bonds in 2012.

The fair value is based on the quoted market price of the financial instruments as at December 31, 2012 and 2011. The movements in the net unrealized gain on fair value change in AFS financial assets under "Other comprehensive income reserve" account for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 follow:

	2012	2011
Balance at beginning of year	₱27,121,750	₱23,493,000
Changes in fair value	12,594,250	3,628,750
Balance at end of year	39,716,000	27,121,750
Tax effects of items taken directly in equity	(11,914,800)	(8,136,525)
	₱27,801,200	₱18,985,225



Refundable Deposits

Estimated fair value is based on the discounted value of future cash flows using the prevailing peso interest rates that are specific to the tenor of the instruments' cash flows ranging from 1.8% to 2.2% in 2011. In 2012, the fair value of refundable deposits approximates their carrying value as they are already due at yearend.

Long-term Debt

For both fixed rate and floating rate (repriced every six months) peso-denominated notes and loans, estimated fair value is based on the discounted value of future cash flows using the prevailing peso interest rates. In 2012 and 2011, the prevailing peso interest rates ranged from 2.2% to 7.7% and 2.2% to 7.1%, respectively.

Fair Value Hierarchy

As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, the Company held the following financial instruments measured at fair value:

	December 31, 2012	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Financial Assets				
AFS financial assets –				
Investment in bonds	₱640,316,000	₱640,316,000	₱–	₱–
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	December 31, 2011	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Financial Assets				
AFS financial assets –				
Investment in bonds	₱577,721,750	₱577,721,750	₱–	₱–
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Financial Liabilities				
Financial liabilities at FVPL –				
Derivative liabilities at FVPL	₱130,155,566	₱–	₱130,155,566	₱–

During the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011, there were no transfers between Level 1 and Level 2 fair value measurements and no transfers into and out of Level 3 fair value measurements.

Derivative Instruments

PNB Term Loan

On March 11, 2011, MNTC entered into a pay-fixed, receive-floating interest rate swap contract to hedge the variability of cash flows pertaining to the floating rate PNB Term Loan effective March 14, 2011. Under the swap, MNTC will receive semi-annual interest equal to six-months PDST-F plus 0.50% per annum spread and pay semi-annual fixed interest of 5.9% per annum, based on the amortizing principal balance of the PNB Term Loan, starting from June 15, 2011 until December 15, 2015. The interest rate swap effectively fixed the floating rate of the said loan over the duration of the agreement at 5.9% per annum.

The swap was designated as cash flow hedge at trade date. As at June 30, 2011, the effectiveness ratio was only 58.05% and the hedging relationship failed to meet the 80% to 125% hedge effectiveness criterion of PAS 39. As a result, the hedge was de-designated by the Company. The ₱39.0 million (gross of ₱10.7 million tax) deferred in equity representing the negative fair value change of the swap up to March 31, 2011 (the last testing date when the hedge was still effective) is being amortized over the term of the hedged loan and recognized under “Interest expense and other finance costs” account. Fair value changes of the swap subsequent to March 31, 2011 is



recognized in the “Mark-to-market loss” account included in “Other expense” account in the statement of income. As at December 31, 2011, the outstanding notional amount of the interest rate swap amounted to ₱1,995.0 million with a negative fair value of ₱130.2 million. As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, the unamortized amount deferred in equity amounted to ₱23.2 million (gross of ₱7.0 million tax) after amortization of ₱10.5 million and ₱33.7 million (gross of ₱10.1 million tax) after amortization of ₱5.3 million. The negative fair value change of the swap from April 1, 2011 to December 31, 2011 amounted to ₱91.2 million while the negative fair value change in 2012 amounted to ₱44.8 million.

Under cash flow hedge accounting, the effective portion of the change in fair values of the designated hedges are recognized directly in equity and recycled in earnings in the same periods during which the hedged transaction affects earnings.

As mentioned in Note 14, this swap was preterminated on December 28, 2012.

As at December 31, 2012 and 2011, there are no derivatives accounted for as cash flow hedges.

Hedge Effectiveness of Cash Flow Hedges. Movements of the Company’s cumulative translation adjustments on cash flow hedges under “Other comprehensive income reserve” account for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 follow:

	2012	2011
Balance at beginning of year	(₱33,728,171)	(₱3,475,927)
Changes in fair value of cash flow hedges	–	(59,250,968)
	(33,728,171)	(62,726,895)
Transferred to statements of income:		
Mark-to-market loss	–	3,475,927
Interest expense*	10,508,656	25,522,797
	10,508,656	28,998,724
	(23,219,515)	(33,728,171)
Tax effects of items taken directly to equity	6,965,854	10,118,451
Balance at end of year	(₱16,253,661)	(₱23,609,720)

*Included in “Interest expense on bank loans” under “Interest expense and other finance costs” account (see Note 21).

Fair Value Changes on Derivatives. The net changes in the fair values of all derivative instruments for the years ended December 31, 2012 and 2011 follow:

	2012	2011
Balance at beginning of year	(₱130,155,566)	(₱209,010,941)
Net changes in fair values of derivatives:		
Designated as accounting hedges	–	(59,250,968)
Not designated as accounting hedges* (see Notes 21 and 22)	(44,844,434)	(112,777,098)
	(175,000,000)	(381,039,007)
Fair value of settled instruments:		
Designated as accounting hedges	–	20,255,865
Not designated as accounting hedges	175,000,000	230,627,576
Balance at end of year	₱–	(₱130,155,566)

*In 2012, this is recorded as mark-to-market loss under “Other expense” account in the statement of income. In 2011, these are recorded in the statement of income as follows: (a) ₱91,160,464 is included in mark-to-market loss under “Other expense” account and (b) ₱21,616,634 is included in “Interest expense” account.



27. Registration with the Board of Investments (BOI)

MNTC is registered with the BOI as a preferred pioneer enterprise as a new operator of the NLE under the Omnibus Investment Code of 1987, otherwise known as Executive Order No. 226.

Under the terms of the registration, MNTC is subject to certain requirements, principally that of maintaining at least 60.0% Filipino ownership or voting equity. As a registered enterprise, the Company is entitled to certain tax and non-tax incentives, including ITH for six years from December 1999 or from actual start of commercial operations whichever comes first but not earlier than the date of registration subject to certain conditions.

On October 16, 2001, the BOI has granted the Company's request for an extension of the ITH reckoning date from December 1999 to first quarter of 2004. Thus, the Company's Income Tax Holiday (ITH) will end at the end of the first quarter of 2010. ITH incentive amounted to ₱486.3 million in 2010.

On July 29, 2009, upon the request of the Company and after filing the necessary application, the BOI has granted an extension of the Company's ITH up to December 31, 2010 subject to the following conditions:

- At the time of the actual availment of the ITH incentive, the derived capital equipment to labor ratio shall not exceed US\$10,000 to one worker; and
- The Company shall undertake Corporate Social Responsibility activities which shall be completed on the actual availment of the bonus year.

28. Contingencies and Others

a. Value-Added Tax

When RA 9337 took effect, the BIR issued RR No. 16-2005 on September 1, 2005, which, for the first time, expressly referred to toll road operations as being subject to VAT. This notwithstanding VAT Ruling 078-99 issued in August 9, 1999 where BIR categorically ruled that MNTC, as assignee of PNCC franchise, is entitled to the tax exemption privileges of PNCC and is exempt from VAT on its gross receipts from the operation of the NLE.

However, the TRB, in its letter dated October 28, 2005, directed the Company (and all Philippine toll expressway companies) to defer the imposition of VAT on toll fees. Due to the possibility that the Company may eventually be subjected to VAT, the Company, in 2005, carved out the input tax from its purchases of goods and services (includes input tax in relation to the Project construction cost) in 2004 which were previously recorded as part of service concession asset and recorded such input tax, together with the input tax on 2005 purchases and onwards, as a separate "Input value-added tax" account and accordingly reflected the input tax in the VAT returns.

In September 2005, the Company also requested for confirmation from the BIR that the Company can claim input VAT for the passed-on VAT on its purchases of goods and services for 2003 and prior years. The request has not been acted upon by the BIR as at February 20, 2013.



On December 21, 2009, the BIR issued RMC No. 72-2009 as a reiteration of RMC No. 52-2005 imposing VAT on the tollway operators. However, on January 21, 2010, the Tollways Association of the Philippines (TAP) issued a letter to tollway operators referring to a letter issued by TRB to TAP dated December 29, 2009 reiterating TRB's previous instruction to all toll operators to defer the imposition of VAT on toll fees until further orders from their office. The TRB directive resulted from the Cabinet meeting held last December 29, 2009 at Baguio City where the deferment of the implementation of RMC No. 72-2009 was discussed.

On March 26, 2010, the BIR issued RMC No. 30-2010 directing the imposition of the 12% VAT starting April 1, 2010, with coverage initially limited to private vehicles. However, on March 30, 2010, the TAP issued a letter to tollway operators referring to a letter issued by TRB to TAP dated March 30, 2010 directing the deferment of collection of VAT on toll fees until further orders from their office.

To fully implement the imposition of the VAT on toll fees, the BIR issued RMC No. 63-2010 dated July 19, 2010, stating among others that the VAT shall be imposed on the gross receipts of tollway operators from all types of vehicles starting August 16, 2010 and that the accumulated input VAT account of the toll companies shall have a zero balance on August 16, 2010. Any input VAT that will thenceforth be reflected in the books of accounts and other accounting records of tollway operators will have to be for purchases of goods and services delivered/rendered and invoiced/receipted on or after August 16, 2010.

Meanwhile, on August 4, 2010, MNTC, in accordance with RMC No. 63-2010, applied for abatement of alleged VAT liabilities for taxable years 2006 and 2007.

The BIR was not able to resolve the application for abatement of MNTC because on August 13, 2010, the SC issued a temporary restraining order on the imposition of the 12% VAT on tollway operators. However, on July 19, 2011, the SC upheld the legality of RMC No. 63-2010 issued by the BIR on July 19, 2010, in line with Section 108 of the National Internal Revenue Code that allows the imposition of VAT on all services for a fee.

In relation to the SC Decision dated July 19, 2011, the BIR issued RMC No. 39-2011 dated August 31, 2011 to fully implement VAT on the gross receipts of tollway operators from all types of vehicles starting October 1, 2011. Other provisions of RMC No. 39-2011 follow:

- i. Tollway operators who have been assessed for VAT liabilities on receipts from toll fees for prior periods can apply for Abatement of the tax liability, surcharge and interest under Section 204 of the NIRC and RR No. 13-2001.
- ii. The accumulated input VAT account of the toll companies shall have a zero balance on October 1, 2011. Any input VAT that will thenceforth be reflected in the books of accounts and other accounting records of tollway operators will have to be for purchases of goods delivered and invoiced on or after October 1, 2011. Whereas, for services, it should be for purchases of services which will be rendered and receipted on or after October 1, 2011.
- iii. No future claims for tax credit or refunds shall be allowed for any VAT passed-on to the Tollways operators on any of their purchases made prior to October 1, 2011.
- iv. All tollway operators are required to comply with the invoice/receipt format prescribed under RMC No. 40-2005.



In view of RMC No. 39-2011, the Company started imposing VAT on toll fees from motorists and correspondingly started recognizing VAT liability on October 1, 2011. The Company also reduced its accumulated input VAT to zero as at September 30, 2011. The input VAT were either charged to expense or capitalized to assets.

Through all the years that the issues of VAT are being discussed, the Company continues to receive the following VAT assessments:

- Formal Letter of Demand from the BIR on March 16, 2009 requesting the Company to pay deficiency VAT plus penalties amounting to ₱1,010.5 million for taxable year 2006.
- The Company received a Final Assessment Notice from the BIR dated November 15, 2009, assessing the Company for deficiency VAT plus penalties amounting to ₱557.6 million for taxable year 2007.
- Notice of Informal Conference from the BIR dated October 5, 2009, assessing the Company for deficiency VAT plus penalties amounting to ₱470.9 million for taxable year 2008.
- Notice of Informal Conference issued by the BIR on May 21, 2010 assessing MNTC for deficiency VAT plus penalties amounting to ₱1,026.6 million for taxable year 2009. Included also in the Notice is the increase of the deficiency VAT for taxable year 2008 from ₱470.9 million to ₱1,209.2 million (including penalties).

Notwithstanding the foregoing, management believes, in consultation with its legal counsel, that in any event, the STOA amongst the Company, ROP, acting by and through the TRB, and PNCC, provides the Company with legal recourse in order to protect its lawful interests in case there is a change in existing laws which makes the performance by the Company of its obligations materially more expensive.

- b. The Company is also a party to certain claims and assessments relating to local business tax and real property taxes as follows:

Local Business Tax (LBT)

In 2008, the Company received an assessment from the municipality of Guiguinto, Bulacan for alleged deficiency of its share of LBT for the years 2005 to 2007 amounting to ₱67.4 million, inclusive of surcharges and penalties. The Company, through its legal counsel, protested and subsequently, in 2009 filed a complaint for annulment of assessment (with prayer for the issuance of TRO and/or writ of preliminary injunction) with the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan claiming, among other things, that its predecessor, PNCC has never been subjected to LBT and as such the Company continued the customary practice of obtaining the business permits solely from the local government unit where its principal office is located (Pasig City and later, Caloocan City).

On November 19, 2009, TRB informed the Company that TRB's BOD has approved the Company's request to intervene in the LBT case for the purposes of protecting the interests of the government and the motoring public, avoiding any disruption in the operation of the NLE as a limited access facility and resisting collateral attack in the validity of the STOA. TRB also advised the Company that on November 12, 2009, the omnibus motion (i) for intervention and (ii) to admit attached manifestation and motion in intervention was filed by the Office of the Solicitor General on behalf of TRB praying for the issuance of a TRO and a writ of preliminary injunction to enjoin the municipality from closing the Company's business



particularly with respect to its operations of the BuroI-Tabang and BuroI-Sta.Rita toll exits and any facility that is indispensable in the operation of the tollway.

In March 2010, the Company received a final demand letter from the municipality to pay LBT, permits, and regulatory fees. On March 12, 2010, the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan denied the Company's application for the issuance of a TRO and/or writ of preliminary injunction. On March 15, 2010, the Company filed with the Court of Appeals a petition for certiorari (with application for the issuance of a TRO and/or a writ of preliminary injunction) to annul or set aside the orders of the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan denying the Company's application for the issuance of a writ of preliminary injunction. The Court of Appeals, in its decision dated July 23, 2010, dismissed the petition. On August 17, 2010, the Company filed a motion for reconsideration but the motion was denied by the Court of Appeals on December 3, 2010.

On July 25, 2011, the Company received a copy of the decision of the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan dated July 7, 2011. The RTC dismissed the Company's complaint for lack of merit and upheld the imposition of taxes and further ordered the Company to settle the taxes upon finality of the decision. The Company filed its motion for reconsideration on August 9, 2011, which was denied by the RTC in an order dated October 6, 2011. A proffer of excluded evidence and a petition for review with the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan and Court of Tax Appeals (CTA), respectively, were filed on November 9, 2011 by the Company. The CTA, in a decision dated December 3, 2012, partially granted the Company's petition for review. The CTA modified the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan's decision dated July 7, 2011 and order dated October 6, 2011. The CTA cancelled and set aside for lack of basis the notice of assessment dated 2008 issued against the Company for ₱67.4 million LBT for the years 2005 to 2007. However, the CTA ordered the Company to pay the municipality of Guiguinto the ₱2.3 million mayor's permit and other regulatory fees assessment for the years 2004 to 2008, inclusive of surcharges and penalties. The municipality of Guiguinto subsequently filed with the CTA a motion for reconsideration. The CTA has not yet acted on the motion as at February 20, 2013.

Meanwhile, on July 22, 2010, the Company filed another complaint with the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan seeking to annul and set aside the illegal assessment for unpaid LBT in the total amount of ₱34.0 million, inclusive of surcharges and penalties, for the years 2008 and 2009 issued against the Company by the Municipal Treasurer of Guiguinto, Province of Bulacan in February 2010. On May 20, 2011, the Company filed a manifestation with the RTC that with the categorical withdrawal of the assessment by the Municipal Government, there is no longer any need to pursue this case. The RTC issued an order dated May 23, 2011 which deemed the case closed and terminated.

In the meantime, on April 23, 2010, the Bureau of Local Government Finance (BLGF) issued a ruling that the toll fees collected by each toll booth of the Company shall be recorded thereat and that the LBT payable to LGU shall be solely based on 100% of the gross receipts of the toll booths located in said LGU and that the foregoing LBT allocation shall be applied prospectively. On September 23, 2010, the Company requested for a partial reconsideration and reiterated that the Company's gross receipts may be allocated among all LGUs where the toll roads traverse. On March 4, 2011, BLGF reaffirmed its original position that the Company shall be classified as a contractor for purposes of local taxation and that LBT should be paid based only to LGUs that host toll plazas, thus, no LBT should be due to municipalities with no established toll plazas.

In 2012, the Company paid LBT to various LGUs following the above BLGF ruling.



Real Property Tax (RPT)

In 2008, the Company received real property tax assessments covering the toll expressway traversing the municipality of Guiguinto amounting to ₱2.9 million for the years 2005 to 2008. The Company appealed before the Local Board of Assessment Appeals (LBAA) of Bulacan and prayed for the cancellation of the assessment. The case is still pending before the LBAA of Bulacan.

The outcome of the claims on LBT and RPT cannot be presently determined. Management believes that these claims will not have a significant impact on the Company's financial statements. With regards to the RPT, management and its legal counsel believes that the STOA also provides the Company with legal recourse in order to protect its lawful interests in case there is a change in existing laws which makes the performance by the Company of its obligations materially more expensive.

c. Others

The Company is a co-respondent [together with TRB, PNCC, other tollway companies, TMC, MPTDC (then FPIDC) and BHC] in two SC cases, where, based on the following allegations, the petitioners' claimed that the STOAs for the North Luzon Expressway, the South Luzon Expressway and the South Metro Manila Skyway are null and void:

- the negotiation and execution of the STOAs failed to undergo public bidding in accordance with applicable laws and regulations of the Philippines;
- the STOAs granted to the Company a 30-year franchise for the construction, maintenance and operation of the NLE in violation of the PD under which the PNCC's franchise was granted and the Philippine Constitution; and
- the provisions of the STOAs providing for the establishment and adjustment of toll rates violate the statutory requirement for the TRB to conduct public hearings on the level of authorized toll rates.

The SC, in a decision dated October 19, 2010, among other things, declared as valid and constitutional the challenged STOAs. Petitioner Francisco filed a motion for reconsideration dated November 5, 2010 while some of the petitioners in Marcos, et al. v. TRB et al. filed a partial motion for reconsideration dated October 8, 2010. On January 24, 2011, the Company filed a consolidated comment to the aforementioned motions for reconsideration.

In a resolution dated March 22, 2011, the SC resolved to among other things, deny with finality the motion for reconsideration filed by Petitioner Francisco and the partial motion for reconsideration dated October 8, 2010 filed by the petitioners, as the basic issues raised therein have been passed upon by the court and no substantial arguments were presented to warrant the reversal of the questioned decision. The SC issued an entry of judgment certifying that the October 19, 2010 decision declaring, among other things, the STOA as valid and constitutional has, on July 1, 2011, become final and executory and thereby recorded in the Book of Entries of Judgments.

The Company is also a party to other cases and claims arising from the ordinary course of business filed by third parties which are either pending decisions by the courts or are subject to settlement agreements. The outcome of these claims cannot be presently determined. In the opinion of management and the Company's legal counsel, the eventual liability from these lawsuits or claims, if any, will not have a material adverse effect on the Company's financial position and financial performance.



29. Supplementary Information Required Under Revenue Regulations 19-2011

On December 9, 2011, the BIR has issued RR No. 19-2011 prescribing the new income tax forms to be used effective calendar year 2011. In the case of corporations using BIR Form 1702, the taxpayer is now required to include as part of its Notes to the Audited Financial Statements, which will be attached to the income tax return, schedules and information on taxable income and deductions taken.

The schedule and information of taxable income and deductions taken are as follows:

Sales, Revenue, Receipts and Fees	
Toll Fees – net	₱6,773,541,668
Sale of magnetic cards	5,625
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	6,773,547,293
Cost of Sales/Services	
Operator's fee	1,492,527,064
Depreciation of service concession asset	742,587,541
PNCC fee	399,859,153
Heavy maintenance expense	137,188,663
Repairs and maintenance	105,502,279
Insurance	42,971,970
Toll collection and medical services	20,223,090
Cost of transponders	7,673
Others	1,480,000
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	2,942,347,433
Non-Operating Taxable Other Income	
Income from advertising	45,002,103
Income from toll service facilities	17,277,992
Income from utility facilities	1,926,304
Foreign exchange gain	1,612,953
Others	4,909,481
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	70,728,833
Total Gross Income	<hr/>
	3,901,928,693
Less: Itemized deductions	
Advertising and promotions	66,952,441
Amortization of intangible assets	7,547,442
Charitable contributions	4,187,606
Communication, light and water	7,650,455
Depreciation	23,685,415
Director's fees	710,000
Fuel and oil	6,792,718
Insurance	1,312,219
Interest	610,771,110
Janitorial and messengerial services	2,442,418
Losses	176,481
Management fees	52,232,143
Miscellaneous	11,321,636
Office supplies	3,156,577
Other services	38,255,119

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Professional fees	₱36,152,514
Rental	75,224
Repairs and maintenance - material and supplies	5,365,714
Representation and entertainment	4,446,151
Salaries and allowances	143,728,935
Security services	2,975,445
SSS, Philhealth, HDMF contributions	1,982,503
Taxes and licenses	51,444,495
Trainings and seminars	4,022,767
Transportation and travel	9,178,494
Others:	
Finance costs	199,588,124
Collection charges	127,758
	<u>1,296,281,904</u>
Net Taxable Income	<u>₱2,605,646,789</u>

30. Supplementary Information Required Under Revenue Regulations 15-2010

In compliance with the requirements set forth by RR No. 15-2010 hereunder are the information on taxes and license fees paid as at and for the year ended December 31, 2012.

Value-added tax (VAT)

Details of the Company's net sales/receipts, output VAT and input VAT accounts are as follows:

- a. Net Sales/Receipts and Output VAT declared in the Company's VAT returns filed in 2012

	Net Sales/ Receipts	Output VAT
Sales of services:		
Vatable receipts	₱6,820,016,520	₱818,401,982
Zero-rated	195,328	–
	<u>₱6,820,211,848</u>	<u>₱818,401,982</u>

The Company's sales of services are based on actual collections received, hence, may not be the same as amounts reflected in the statements of income. The amount of output tax is deferred upon recording of sales services subject to VAT. These deferred output taxes are reclassified to output tax upon collection.

1Sales from services represent collections received from such sales which for the year amounted to ₱6,820.2 million, of which ₱6,773.2 million pertains to toll collections and ₱47.0 million pertains to collections from toll service facilities and others which are recorded in "Other income" account in the statements of income.

The Company has zero-rated sales amounting to ₱0.2 million pursuant to the provisions of National Internal Revenue Code Section 106 (A) (2) (a) (5) which states that those considered export sales under Executive Order No. 226, otherwise known as the Omnibus Investment Code of 1987, and other special laws shall be subject to zero percent rate.



Withholding Taxes

Details of withholding tax payments for the year ended December 31, 2012 are as follows:

Expanded withholding taxes	₱107,804,385
Withholding taxes on compensation and benefits	44,893,863
Final withholding taxes	14,698,987
Withholding taxes on VAT	136,666
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	₱167,533,901

Tax Assessments and Litigations

Value-added Tax Assessments. The Company has received the following VAT assessments from the BIR:

- Formal Letter of Demand from the BIR on March 16, 2009 requesting the Company to pay deficiency VAT plus penalties amounting to ₱1,010.5 million for taxable year 2006.
- Final Assessment Notice from the BIR dated November 15, 2009, assessing the Company for deficiency VAT plus penalties amounting to ₱557.6 million for taxable year 2007.

On August 4, 2010, MNTC, in accordance with RMC No. 63-2010, applied for abatement of alleged VAT liabilities for taxable years 2006 and 2007. The BIR has yet to resolve the application for abatement of MNTC.

Local Business Tax Assessments. In 2008, the Company received an assessment from the municipality of Guiguinto, Bulacan for alleged deficiency of its share of LBT for the years 2005 to 2007 amounting to ₱67.4 million, inclusive of surcharges and penalties. The Company, through its legal counsel, protested and subsequently, in 2009 filed a complaint for annulment of assessment with the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan.

On July 25, 2011, the Company received a copy of the Decision of the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan dated July 7, 2011. The RTC dismissed the Company's complaints for lack of merit and upheld the imposition of taxes and further ordered the Company to settle the taxes upon finality of the decision. The Company filed its motion for reconsideration on August 9, 2011, which was denied again by the RTC in an order dated October 6, 2011. A proffer of excluded evidence and a petition for review with the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan and Court of Tax Appeals (CTA), respectively, were filed on November 9, 2011 by the Company. The CTA, in a decision dated December 3, 2012, partially granted the Company's petition for review. The CTA modified the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan's decision dated July 7, 2011 and order dated October 6, 2011. The CTA cancelled and set aside for lack of basis the notice of assessment dated 2008 issued against the Company for ₱67.4 million LBT for the years 2005 to 2007. However, the CTA ordered the Company to pay the municipality of Guiguinto the ₱2.3 million mayor's permit and other regulatory fees assessment for the years 2004 to 2008, inclusive of surcharges and penalties. The municipality of Guiguinto subsequently filed with the CTA a motion for reconsideration. The CTA has not yet acted on the motion as at February 20, 2013.

Meanwhile, on July 22, 2010, the Company filed another complaint with the RTC of Malolos, Bulacan seeking to annul and set aside the illegal assessment for unpaid LBT in the total amount of ₱34.0 million, inclusive of surcharges and penalties, for the years 2008 and 2009 issued against the Company by the Municipal Treasurer of Guiguinto, Province of Bulacan in February 2010. On May 20, 2011, the Company filed a manifestation with the RTC that with the categorical withdrawal of the assessment by the Municipal Government, there is no longer any need to pursue



this case. The RTC issued an order dated May 23, 2011 which deemed the case closed and terminated.

Real Property Tax Assessment. In 2008, the Company received real property tax assessments covering the toll expressway traversing the municipality of Guiguinto amounting to ₱2.9 million for the years 2005 to 2008. The Company appealed before the Local Board of Assessment Appeals (LBAA) of Bulacan and prayed for the cancellation of the assessment. The case is still pending before the LBAA of Bulacan.

