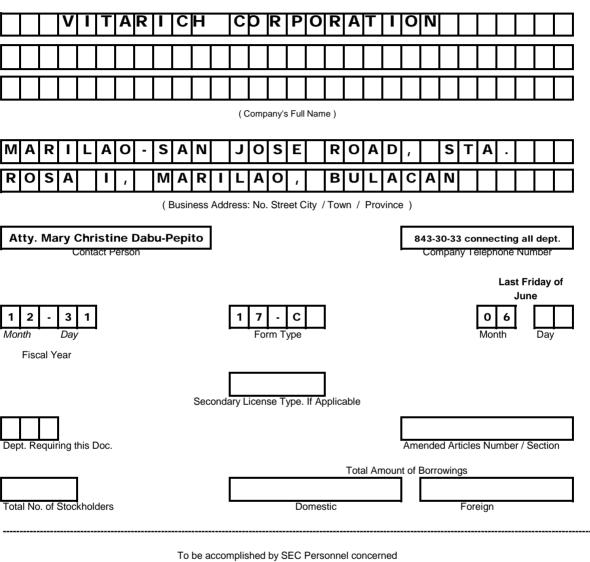
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#### SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

#### SEC FORM 17-C

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

- 1. January 31, 2019 Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)
- 2. SEC Identification Number 21134
- 3. BIR Tax Identification No. 000-234-398
- 4. VITARICH CORPORATION Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
- 5. Bulacan, Philippines 6. Province, country or other jurisdiction Industry Classification Code: of incorporation
- 7. Marilao San Jose Road, Sta. Rosa I, Marilao, Bulacan 3019 Address of principal office Postal Code
- 8. (+632) 843-3033; 843-0237 to 47 Issuer's telephone number, including area code

#### 9. Not applicable

Former name or former address, if changed since last report

10. Securities registered pursuant to Sections 8 and 12 of the SRC or Sections 4 and 8 of the RSA

Title of Each Class

Number of Shares of Common Stock Outstanding and Amount of Debt Outstanding

(SEC Use Only)

Common Stock Total Shares Issued and Outstanding

#### 3,054,334,014

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

#### **Item 9. Other Events**

There is misinformation in the news by News5 that "Pinasara ng DENR Region 3 ang Vitarich Corporation sa Bulacan dahil sa paglabag nito sa Clean Water Act." To correct this error, please be assured that Vitarich Corporation continues to operate, and it has not been closed. Operations continue normally in various parts of the country: Luzon, Visayas and Mindanao.

The news report only pertains to the Vitarich Dressing Plant that is operated by a business partner. The business partner voluntarily closed last Saturday, and has undertaken to address all the issues raised by the DENR. Vitarich and its business partners shall always strive to comply with applicable laws, including especially the Clean Water Act.

### Registrant - VITARICH CORPORATION

By:

ATTY. MARY CHRISTINE DABU-PEPITO Assistant Corporate Secretary, Corporate Information Officer and Compliance Officer

Date: January 31, 2019