SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION SEC FORM 17-C

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

1. Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported)

Jun 7, 2017

2. SEC Identification Number

36359

3. BIR Tax Identification No.

000-438-702-000

4. Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter

BASIC ENERGY CORPORATION

5. Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation

METRO MANILA

6. Industry Classification Code(SEC Use Only)

7. Address of principal office

7/F BASIC PETROLEUM BLDG, 104 CARLOS PALANCA ST., LEGASPI VILLAGE, MAKATI CITY
Postal Code
1229

8. Issuer's telephone number, including area code

(+632)8178596

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

NOT APPLICABLE

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	
COMMON	2,603,684,382	

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein

ITEM NO.9

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Basic Energy Corporation BSC

PSE Disclosure Form 4-31 - Press Release References: SRC Rule 17 (SEC Form 17-C) Section 4.4 of the Revised Disclosure Rules

Subject of the Disclosure

PRESS RELEASE

Background/Description of the Disclosure

BASIC ENERGY CORPORATION IS SET TO UNDETAKE DUE DILIGENCE ON SOLMAX POWER LIMITED OF HONGKONG (SOLMAX), WIITH THE END-VIEW OF INVESTING IN THE COMPANY AND ITS SOLAR PROJECTS IN JAPAN.

BASIC ENERGY HAS AGREED TO MAKE A REFUNDABLE EARNEST DEPOSIT TO SOLMAX, TRIGGERING EXCLUSIVITY DURING THE PERIOD OF DUE DILIGENCE, WHICH IS EXPECTED TO COMMENCE IN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS AND BE COMPLETED WITHIN THREE TO SIX MONTHS.

Other Relevant Information

SEE ATTACHED PRES RELEASE

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NEWS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE June 6, 2017

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Basic Energy To Undertake Due Diligence on Solar Projects in Japan

Basic Energy Corporation is set to undertake due diligence on Solmax Power Limited of Hong Kong (Solmax), with the end-view of investing in the company and its solar projects in Japan.

Basic Energy has agreed to make a refundable earnest deposit to Solmax, triggering exclusivity during the period of due diligence, which is expected to commence in the next few weeks and be completed within three to six months.

Vintage Engineering Public Company Limited (VTE), which had earlier made a major investment in Basic Energy, is currently undertaking due diligence on Solmax's portfolio of solar projects in Central Japan.

Should due diligence results prove satisfactory, Basic Energy, which is targeting participation on projects in Japan with a combined installation base of 15 Megawatts, will proceed together with VTE in acquiring ownership stakes in Solmax.