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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.	July 21, 2009 Date of Report
2.	SEC Identification No.: 91447 3. BIR Tax Identification No.: 410-000-190-324
4.	SEMIRARA MINING CORPORATION
	Exact name of issuer as specified in its charter
5.	Philippines Province, country or other jurisdiction of incorporation 6. (SEC Use Only) Industry Classification Code:
7.	2/F DMCI Plaza Bldg., 2281 Chino Roces Avenue, Makati City Address of principal office Postal Code
8.	(2) 888-3555 Fax No. (2) 888-3955 Issuer's telephone number, including area code
9.	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 <u>Title of Each Class</u> <u>Number of Shares of Common Stock</u> (Outstanding)
	Common Shares 277,572,800

11. Indicate the item numbers reported herein: Item 5.

We disclose that we are in receipt today from our external counsel of an Order dated June 24, 2009 denying the Motion for Reconsideration filed by Semirara Mining Corporation (the "Corporation") in the case entitled "HGL Development Corporation, etc., Plaintiff, vs. DENR, etc., Defendant, Semirara Mining Corporation, Defendant-Intervenor, Civil Case No. C-20675, RTC-Caloocan City, Branch 121."

It may be recalled that sometime in 2003, HGL filed a complaint against DENR enjoining the latter to perform its obligations under the Forest Land Grazing Lease Agreement No. 184 (FLGLA No. 184). In 2004, the Corporation filed a Motion for Intervention, which was granted by RTC-Caloocan. Subsequently, the Corporation filed a Motion to Dismiss the case on the ground of lack of jurisdiction, which was denied by RTC-Caloocan. Subsequently, thereafter the Court of Appeals reversed the RTC-Caloocan stating that DENR's order canceling the FLGLA NO. 184 had long been final and executory for HGL's failure to elevate the matter with the Office of the President. This was sustained by the Supreme Court in SC G.R. No. 177844. On July 2, 2008, HGL's Motion for Reconsideration was denied with finality by the Supreme Court.¹

¹ See 2008 Annual Report (SEC Form 17-A) and 2009 Definitive Information Statement (SEC Form 20-IS).

In the meantime, the RTC-Culasi in a case docketed as "HGL Development Corporation, Plaintiff vs. Semirara Coal Corporation, Defendant, Civil Case No. C-146, RTC-Culasi, Antique, Branch 13," dismissed HGL's main complaint on July 18, 2007, as the two cases, RTC-Caloocan and RTC-Culasi, filed by HGL was a deliberate violation of the rule on forum shopping considering its cause of action rests on the validity of its FLGLA No. 184. On November 20, 2007, HGL's Motion for Reconsideration was denied by RTC-Culasi.²

Citing as basis the preceding Orders of RTC-Culasi, the Corporation filed before the RTC-Caloocan a Motion to dismiss. However, on December 24, 2008, RTC-Caloocan denied the same citing also SC G.R. No. 180401 (DENR vs. HGL) where the Supreme Court denied with finality DENR's Petition for Certiorari. The Corporation's Motion for Reconsideration was denied by RTC-Caloocan.³ Hence, the disclosure.

The Corporation shall take the appropriate remedy/ies in accordance with law.

SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Regulation Code, the issuer has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Issuer

Semirara, Mining Corporation

Signature and Title

John R. Sadillo Corporate Secretary

Date

July 21, 2009

3 Ibid.

² See 2008 Annual Report (SEC Form 17-A) and 2009 Definitive Information Statement (SEC Form 20-IS).