

August 11, 2015

The Philippine Stock Exchange, Inc.

3/F, Tower One & Exchange Plaza Ayala Triangle, Ayala Avenue Makati City

Attention: **MS. JANET A. ENCARNACION** Head, Disclosure Department

Gentlemen:

Philex Petroleum Corporation ("PXP" or "the Company") hereby informs the exchange that the Pledge of PXP's shareholdings in subsidiaries to Philex Mining Corporation, as earlier disclosed, has been approved by shareholders, representing at least 2/3 of the outstanding shares of PXP, during the Special Shareholders' Meeting held today.

Very truly yours,

(signed) Mark Raymond H. Rilles Finance Controller